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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 4441A.

GENERAL.—*The 20th September* 1878.—Mr. H. Lee, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Durbhunga, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 3rd instant.

Moulvi Shere Ali, Officiating Deputy Collector, employed on settlement work, Sonthal Pergunnahs, was on privilege leave from the 24th July to 23rd August last.

Mr. T. D. Beighton, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Midnapore district.

The 21st September 1878.—Baboo Umbica Churn Roy Chowdry, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st October next.

The 22nd September 1878.—Baboo Kedar Nath Dutt, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, is transferred to the Burdwan Division.

Mr. F. E. Pargiter, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Perozepore, Backergunge, is transferred to Jessore, and is appointed to have charge of the Magoorah division of that district.

Baboo Protap Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is transferred to Backergunge, and is appointed to have charge of the Perozepore division of that district.

Mr. C. J. S. Faulder, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Sarun, on leave, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Moorshedabad district.

The 24th September 1878.—Major W. L. Samuells, Assistant Commissioner, Hazareebagh, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Commissioner of Singbhoom.

Mr. R. H. Renny is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Assistant Commissioner of the Third Grade, and is posted to the Sudder Station of the Manbhoom district, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Singbhoom.

The 26th September 1878.—Baboo Kali Nath Dey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Brahmunbariah, Tipperah, is allowed leave for two months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Tariny Sunker Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tipperah, is appointed to have charge of the Brahmunbariah division of that district during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Kali Nath Dey, or until further orders.

Mr. W. Cornell, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore, is appointed to be a District and Sessions Judge of the First Grade, *vice* the Hon'ble H. T. Prinsep.

Mr. P. D. Dickens, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Nuddea, is appointed to be a District and Sessions Judge of the Second Grade, *vice* Mr. W. Cornell.

The 27th September 1878.—Baboo Protap Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, was in charge of the Magoorah division of the Jessore district from the 24th July to the 10th August last, inclusive.

Baboo Gooroo Churn Dass, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Moorshedabad, having resumed charge of his duties on the forenoon of the 10th instant, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 9th August last, is cancelled.

The 30th September 1878.—Mr. C. C. Quinn, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Durbhunga, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 2nd proximo.

Mr. P. Nolan, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Durbhunga during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. C. Quinn, or until further orders.

The 1st October 1878.—In supersession of the orders of the 27th August last, Baboo Bissessur Banerjee, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to be also Superintendent of Survey, under Section 4, Act V (B.C.) of 1875, in the districts of Midnapore, Balasore, 24-Pergunnahs, Hooghly, Burdwan, Bankoora, Manbhoom, and Singbhoom.

Mr. F. J. G. Campbell is allowed furlough for two years under Section 12, Chapter IV of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he left India.

POLICE.—*The 20th September* 1878.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Waller, District Superintendent of Police, Monghyr, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him under orders of the 11th July last.

The 25th September 1878.—Mr. O. S. Stack, District Superintendent of Police, Moorshedabad, is allowed leave for two months and fifteen days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. H. V. H. Roberts, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Dinagepore, is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Moorshedabad, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. O. S. Stack, or until further orders.

REGISTRATION.—*The 27th September* 1878.—Baboo Kristo Hurry Bose, Special Sub-Registrar of Chittagong, is allowed leave for three months and five days, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

The 1st October 1878.—Baboo Mohesh Chunder Bose, Special Sub-Registrar of Burrisal, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Moulvi Mahomed Hafiz, Rural Sub-Registrar of Backergunge, is appointed to act as Special Sub-Registrar of Burrisal during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Mohesh Chunder Bose, or until further orders.

OPIUM.—*The 23rd September* 1878.—Mr. W. Masters, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Hajeepore, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he may be relieved.

Mr. H. F. Drummond, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Monghyr, is appointed to act as Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Hajeepore during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. Masters, or until further orders.

MEDICAL.—*The 18th September* 1878.—Mr. H. Munro, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Sasseram, in the district of Shahabad, *vice* Shah Abdul Hameed, deceased.

The 27th September 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Kader Nath Sen, attached to the Dhenkanal Charitable Dispensary, Cuttack, is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he may be relieved of his duties.

Assistant Surgeon Bejoy Coomar Chuckerbutty is appointed to have medical charge of the Dhenkanal Charitable Dispensary, Cuttack, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Kader Nath Sen, or until further orders.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 18th September* 1878.—The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be Commissioners of the Busseerhaut Municipality :—

Baboo Judu Nath Bose. | Baboo Sharoda Churn Chowdhry.
Baboo Huran Chundra Das.

Moulvi Afzulludin Ahmed is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Barh Municipality.

Baboo Khetter Mohun Dutt is re-appointed to be a Commissioner of the Goberdanga Municipality.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Goberdanga Municipality :—

Baboo Haran Chunder Chatterjee, Zemindar.
" Koylash Chunder Banerjee, Gantidar.
" Girija Prosunno Mookerjee, Zemindar.
" Ram Chunder Mitter.

ROAD CESS.—*The 27th September* 1878.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Burdwan :—

Mr. F. E. F. deLacournenve, Manager of the Raneegunge Coal Association.
Baboo Bhola Nath Kobiraj, Zemindar.

The following Notification is republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 125.—*The 14th September* 1878.—The undermentioned officer has been permitted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to return to duty, as advised in list dated 9th August 1878 :—

Name.	Service.	Appointment.	Date on which permitted to return.
J. F. Needham	Uncovenanted	Assistant Superintendent of Police, Second Grade, Assam.	.....

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

The 1st October 1878.—Page 1038 of the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* of September 25th 1878, the 5th line from the top of the page—

For the words 'under state of drunkenness' read 'in a state of drunkenness.'

H. M. KISCH,
Offg. Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st October 1878.—On the report of the Central Examination Committee Mr. C. H. Swinden, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is declared to have passed in Bengali by the Higher Standard at the half-yearly departmental examination held in May 1878.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF PUBNA.

The 25th September 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75, Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Pubna have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year beginning on the 1st October 1878, at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Parts II and III of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500 ...	1	0	0
"	500, "	1,000 ...	3	0	0
"	1,000, "	2,000 ...	4	8	0

" 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF MONGHYR.

The 27th September 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Monghyr have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing cess year commencing from 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500	...	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000	...	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000	...	4	8	0

,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF HAZAREEBAGH.

The 27th September 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Hazareebagh have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing cess year commencing from the 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands and mines under Parts II and III of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500	...	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000	...	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000	...	4	8	0

,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF CUTTACK.

The 27th September 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Cuttack have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing cess year commencing from the 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II, and on the annual net profits of mines, &c., under Part III of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500	...	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000	...	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000	...	4	8	0

,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF BEERBHOOM.

The 28th September 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Beerbhoom have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from the 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500 ...	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000 ...	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000 ...	4	8	0

,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF TIPPERAH.

The 28th September 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Tipperah have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing cess year commencing from 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000	4	8	0

,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF MOZUFFERPORE.

The 30th September 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Mozufferpore have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing cess year commencing from 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than	Rs. 100, but less than Rs.	500 ...	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000 ...	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000 ...	4	8	0

,, 2,000, ,, and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd September 1878.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section 3 of Regulation I of 1872, entitled the Southal Pergunnahs Settlement Regulation, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that "The Bengal Excise Act, 1878" (Act VII (B.C.) of 1878), shall have force and effect in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, with effect from this date, with the exception of so much of Section 5 of the said Act as relates to the manufacture of Pachwai.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th September 1878.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 314 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confirm the Bye-laws stated at foot of this notification, which were made by the Commissioners of the Municipality of Ranaghat, in the district of Nuddea, at a meeting, convened expressly for the purpose, and of which due notice had been given, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 315 of the same Act, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the penalties for any breach of the said Bye-laws which have been declared by the Commissioners.

BYE-LAWS

For regulating the time and mode of collecting the taxes.

1. EVERY officer authorized to grant receipts shall be provided with a certificate of his authority to collect, and every such certificate shall bear the seal of the municipality and the signature of the Chairman. Every collecting officer at the time of demanding payment shall be bound to show this certificate if required, and no tax-payer shall be bound to pay unless such certificate is shown and a printed receipt tendered to him.

2. For all sums paid on account of any tax mentioned in the Act, a printed receipt signed by the tax darogah and the collecting officer, showing the quarter for which the sum is paid, the amount of the tax, the number of the holding and of the ward in which it is situated, and the person from whom the tax is levied, shall be given to the person paying the same.

3. When any tax, rate or toll is levied by distress and sale of moveable property, payment of the purchase-money and delivery of the property shall be made immediately after the sale; and if the purchaser fail to pay the full amount of his bid, it shall be lawful for the distraining officer to sell the property again on the same or any other day, and the first or any succeeding purchaser, except the last, shall in such case be responsible to the Commissioners for any loss; and such loss shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

4. Every person required in writing to furnish any schedule or return which the Commissioners may lawfully require him to furnish, shall send such schedule or return to the office of the Commissioners within one week from the date of the service of the requisition in the manner described in section 367 of the Act.

For regulating the conduct of persons employed by the Commissioners.

5. The Commissioners shall have power to inflict, for neglect of duty, a fine not exceeding one month's pay upon any person employed by them.

6. All persons now holding, or who may hereafter be appointed to any office under the Commissioners, shall, when required so to do, furnish good security to such amount as the Commissioners may from time to time fix, and any person failing to furnish such security within such time as the Commissioners may appoint, shall be held to have thereby forfeited his appointment, and may be removed from office.

For regulating the disposal of offensive matter, rubbish, and dead bodies of animals.

7. Every person, within whose premises any animal may die, shall, within six hours after its death, or if death occurs at night, within four hours after daylight, either remove at his own expense the carcass to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the reception of such carcasses, or report the death to the conservancy overseer of the division, within which such premises may be situated.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

In case the person liable shall not remove the carcass, he shall pay to the said overseer the expense of removing the carcass at such rate as the Commissioners may determine; and in case the said person be not the owner of the animal, and the owner be known, the owner shall alone be responsible for the payment of such expense, and such expense shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

8. No person shall dispose, or cause to be disposed of any corpse, or any part of a corpse otherwise than by burning or burying it at or in some lawful burning or burial ground

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

9. If the corpse of any person within the municipal limits shall remain unburied or unburnt after 12 hours from the time of death, the Municipal Commissioners may dispose of such corpse through their servants, and recover the expense from any assets left by the deceased.

For the regulation and management of privies.

10. No person shall carry night-soil through the streets except between the hours of 3 A.M. and 8 A.M., or otherwise than in a closely covered receptacle, or shall use any place, other than those approved by the Commissioners, for the purpose of depositing such night-soil therein.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

11. Within such limits as the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting may appoint, no person shall construct or keep, after prohibition by the Municipal Commissioners, any well-privy.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20. The penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a daily fine of one rupee.

12. The Municipal Commissioners may direct the use of lime, coal-tar, carbolic acid, or other deodorants or disinfectants in any privy or premises, if at any time it seem to them necessary to do so for the preservation of public health or for the prevention of infection or spread of disease; provided that the Municipal Commissioners shall be bound to supply such deodorants, &c., at cost price, and the price shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

The penalty for refusal to use the deodorant shall be a daily fine of one rupee.

For regulating traffic in the Streets.

13. Every carriage or cart plying on the streets after one hour after sunset shall carry a light or lights.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

For regulating or prohibiting the use of fire-balloons, fire-works, fire-arms, or missiles in the vicinity of public roads.

14. No one shall let off any fire-balloon, fire-work, fire-arm, or any missile, in or near a public street without the consent of the Municipal Commissioners previously obtained.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

Miscellaneous Bye-laws.

15. No person shall put, or cause to be put, on any house or building any spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, which shall be so placed that the water discharged therefrom shall be thrown or fall upon any public road or thoroughfare, and all persons shall take such measures with regard to existing spouts and articles mentioned for the conveyance or discharge of water as may be necessary to prevent injury to any public road or thoroughfare.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10. The penalty for continued infringement shall be a fine not exceeding one rupee daily.

16. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or by the side of any public drain any substance or thing whereby the said drain is or may be in any way obstructed.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10. The penalty for continued infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily.

17. Except by, and with the written permission of the Commissioners, and in such a manner as they shall direct, no person shall construct any building or structure of any kind abutting on any public road or drain, and no person shall place over any public drain any bridge or platform.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20. The penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily.

18. No person shall prepare any channel, or convey water by any channel, across any public thoroughfare, except in such manner as shall have been first approved by the Commissioners, and any such channel may be filled up by the Commissioners, who may recover the expense from the offender or from the person for whose benefit the channel may have been cut.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

19. No person shall, without the permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch within municipal limits any jute, hemp, or other vegetable matter, or any animal matter.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20. The penalty for continued infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 2 daily.

20. No person shall wash in any public tank, well, or ditch, the clothes or bedding or furniture used by any person suffering from cholera or from any contagious disease.

The penalty for disobedience shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

21. No person shall, without the consent of the Municipal Commissioners, fill up or stop any existing cess-pool so as to obstruct the drainage of any part of the town.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20; and the Commissioners may order the offender to remove the obstruction at his own expense, and, if he neglects to do so, may impose a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 2, or may do the work at his expense.

22. No person shall collect, or allow to be collected (except for the purpose of conveying it away), on or near any public road or place, any manure or other offensive substance.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

23. No person shall tether or graze cattle, goats, or other animals, or cause them to be tethered on any public highway.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

24. No person shall allow any diseased or worn-out animal to stray into any highway.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

25. No person shall cut grass from the banks or sides of any roads or from any public place within municipal limits without the written permission of the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

26. No person shall throw or place on any road or street any broken glass, broken bottles, or crockery, but such rubbish may be placed directly on the conservancy carts.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

For regulating burial grounds, &c.

27. No person shall bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse, or part of a corpse, in any burial ground in a grave constructed of masonry in such manner that the top of the coffin, or the body where no coffin is used, shall be at a less depth than four feet from the surface ground.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

28. No person shall bury, or cause to be buried, in any burial ground any corpse, or part of a corpse, in a grave not constructed of masonry which shall be less than six feet deep.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

29. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial ground at a less distance than two feet from any other existing grave.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

30. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, a grave in any burial place in any other line than that marked out by the Commissioners or by some person authorized on their behalf.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

31. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another body without the permission of the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

For regulating the burning of dead bodies.

32. Every person who shall bring, or convey, or cause to be conveyed or brought, any corpse or part thereof to any burning ground, shall burn or cause the same to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at the said burning ground.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

33. No person when burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse, or part of a corpse, in any burning ground, shall permit the same or any part thereof to remain without being completely reduced to ashes, or shall permit the clothes or other articles connected with the burning of such corpse to remain at or near such burning ground unless the same be completely reduced to ashes.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

34. No person shall carry a corpse, or part of a corpse, through any highway unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from public view.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

35. No person while carrying any corpse, or part of a corpse, shall put it down in or near any bazar or crowded thoroughfare for any purpose whatever.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

36. Every corpse, or part of a corpse, that has been kept or used for the purpose of dissection, must be removed in a closed vehicle.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th September 1878.—A plan and an estimate amounting to Rs. 49,689, for the construction of additional sidings for the Port Commissioners' tramway, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with their Vice-Chairman's letter, No. 1202, dated the 2nd July 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the work under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th September 1878.—A plan and an estimate amounting to Rs. 29,850, for doubling the Port Commissioners' tramway on the extension from the Chittpore Bridge to Cossipore, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with their Vice-Chairman's letter, No. 1493, dated 7th August 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the work under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of Receipts and Charges of the Pooree Port Fund for the year 1877-78.

MONTHS.	RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.					
				Port establishment.					
	Port dues.	Sundry receipts—miscellaneous.	Total.	Establishment.	Vessels and boats.	Miscellaneous establishments—travelling allowance.	Construction and repairs.	Marine—Light-house Establishments.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
April 1877	35 6 3	... ..	35 6 3	70 0 0	53 5 0	6 8 0	.....	.....	129 13 0
May "	52 11 3	... ..	52 11 3	70 0 0	50 0 0	15 4 10	.....	... ..	135 4 10
June "	14 8 6	.....	14 8 6	18 1 0	53 10 0	.....	.....	.....	71 11 0
July "	22 10 10	.....	22 10 10	9 6 0	50 0 0	.....	25 0 0	... ..	84 6 0
August "	27 13 6	.....	27 13 6	37 5 8	*448 8 0	... .	... ..	.....	485 13 8
September "	.....	.....	.....	8 9 3	55 4 0	9 6 4	... ..	20 15 3	94 2 10
October "	.....	1 0 0	1 0 0	.....	54 8 0	... .	. . .	25 12 0	80 4 0
November "	.....	.....	. ..	... ..	50 0 0	. . ..	... ..	26 0 0	76 0 0
December "	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	50 0 0	... ..	... ..	.....	50 0 0
January 1878	110 13 10	.. ..	110 13 10	.. ..	50 0 0	... .	.....	22 10 2	72 10 2
February "	205 14 3	.....	205 14 3	.. ..	80 6 5	... ..	.....	173 1 7	253 8 0
March "	23 4 1	.....	23 4 1	.. ..	57 0 0	... .	. .	32 1 9	89 1 9
Total ...	493 2 6	1 0 0	494 2 6	213 5 11	1,052 9 5	31 3 2	25 0 0	300 8 9	1,622 11 3

* A difference of Rs. 345 exists between this office and Collector's accounts, and he has been requested to include the amount in his account for 1878-79.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th September 1878.—A plan and estimate amounting to Rs. 12,500 (twelve thousand five hundred) for the construction of a landing stage at Temple's Wharf at the northern end of the port, for the convenience of the traffic passing over the inland vessels wharves at that spot, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta, with their Vice-Chairman's letter No. 1305, dated the 23rd July 1878, to the address of the Public Works Department of this Government, and that department having approved of the same, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the project under section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 27th September 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz. for widening the passage of Hurree Ghose's Street Bye Lane, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose pieces of land Nos. 101 and 102, Hurree Ghose's Street, in the town of Calcutta, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, measuring, more or less, 1 cottah 3 chittacks and 5 feet, are required. The boundaries of the land are as follows :—bounded on the north by a public drain and lane; on the south partly by No. 101, Hurree Ghose's Street, belonging to Juggodish Nath Roy and others, and partly by No. 102, Hurree Ghose's Street, belonging to the late Joynarain Mitter; on the east by Huree Ghose's Street; and on the west by No. 100, Hurree Ghose's Street, belonging to Manoshey Dabee.

A plan of the land is deposited in the office of the Municipal Commissioners for the inspection of the public.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4442A.

The 19th September 1878.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Baboo Rakhal Das Mullick of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of Ranaghat, in the district of Nuddea.

The 20th September 1878.—Baboo Jeebun Kristo Chatterjee, Second Subordinate Judge and Officiating Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Rajshahye, is allowed privilege leave for the ensuing Dusserah vacation under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 25th September 1878.—Mr. C. W. Odling, Executive Engineer, Arrah division, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class for the trial of offences under Act III (B.C.) of 1876.

The 27th September 1878.—Baboo Kaderessur Roy, Subordinate Judge, Jessore, is allowed leave for the Dusserah vacation under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Upendro Chunder Mullick, Officiating Small Cause Court Judge, Jessore, is allowed leave for the Dusserah vacation under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

The following postings and transfers of Moonsifs are made with effect from the 28th October next.

Baboo Mothoora Lall Roy, Moonsif of Olipore, in Rungpore, is appointed to be First Moonsif of Kurigaon, in that district.

Baboo Denobundhoo Roy, L.L., Moonsif of Barabari, in Rungpore, is appointed to be Second Moonsif of Kurigaon, in that district.

Baboo Kartic Chunder Paul, B.L., Moonsif of Budergunge, in Rungpore, is appointed to be Moonsif of Nelphamaree, in that district. Baboo Kartic Chunder Paul will exercise the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits not exceeding Rs. 50 in value throughout the Nelphamaree Moonsifee.

Baboo Benode Behary Mitter, B.L., is appointed to be a Moonsif of the Sudder Station of the Rungpore district. Baboo Benode Behary Mitter will, however, continue to officiate as Second Moonsif of Comillah, in the district of Tipperah.

Baboo Dinesh Chunder Roy is appointed to officiate as a Moonsif at Rungpore, with effect from the re opening of the Courts after the Dusserah vacation, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Benode Behary Mitter, or until further orders.

In supersession of the orders of the 17th instant, Baboo Kali Coomar Bose, B.L., Moonsif of Beergunge, in Dinagepore, is appointed to be a Moonsif at the Sudder Station of that district and at Maldah.

In supersession of the orders of the 17th instant, Baboo Gopee Mohun Mookerjee, B.L., Moonsif of Gungarampore, in Dinagepore, is appointed to be a Moonsif at Gyebanda, in Rungpore.

Baboo Loke Nath Nundi, L.L., Additional Moonsif of Barabari, in Rungpore, is appointed to be a Moonsif at Bogra.

The 28th September 1878.—Baboo Nepal Chunder Bose, B.L., Third Moonsif of Patna, is transferred to Buxar, in the district of Shahabad.

The following appointments are made to the Fourth Grade of Moonsifs.

Mr. Rajkishen Sen, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Tumlook in Midnapore.

Baboo Sree Gopal Chatterjee, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Begumgunge and Soodaram in Noakholly.

Baboo Kalidhan Chatterjee, B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Kaligunge in Dacca.

Baboo Anundo Nath Mozoomdar, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Jungypore in Moorshedabad.

Baboo Shoshee Bhushun Chowdhry, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Nemal in Midnapore.

Baboo Sarut Koomar Ghosal, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Goalundo in Furreedpore.

Baboo Okhoykoomar Sen, B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Manickgunge in Dacca.

Baboo Poorno Chunder Mitter, B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Putwakhali and Dukhin Shabazpore in Backergunge.

Baboo Opendro Nath Bose, B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Nicklee in Mymensingh.

Baboo Jogendrolal Chowdhry, L.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Brahminbaria in Tipperah.

Baboo Abhinash Chunder Mookerjee, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Khoolna in Jessore.

Baboo Russick Chunder Roy, B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Moolfutgunge in Furreedpore.

Baboo Tejchunder Mookerjee, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Arrareah and the Sudder Station at Purneah.

Baboo Behary Lal Banerjee, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Kooshtea in Nuddea.

Baboo Kedar Nath Roy, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Barabari and Gyebanda in Rungpore.

Mr. Jogendro Nath Sirkar, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Azimgunge and the Sudder Station of Moorshedabad.

Baboo Bepin Chunder Roy, B.L., is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Netrokona in Mymensingh.

Baboo Hurrish Chunder Sen, L.L., is appointed to be Moonsif of Raojan in Chittagong.

Baboo Bhoobun Mohun Ghose, B.L., is appointed to be Moonsif of Sonamgunge, in Sylhet.

Baboo Unnodapershad Chatterjee, L.L., is appointed to be Moonsif of Cox's Bazar in Chittagong.

Baboo Khetter Mohun Mookerjee, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Moonsif of Busseerhat in the 24-Pergunnahs.

Baboo Lal Behary Dey, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to be Moonsif of Kishengunge in Purneah.

The above appointments will take effect from the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the Dusserah vacation.

Baboo Kristodhun Chowdry, Moonsif of Raojan, in Chittagong, is transferred to Manbazar, in Chota Nagpore.

Baboo Shamchand Dhur, B.L., Moonsif of Manbazar, Chota Nagpore, is transferred to Bood-Bood in Burdwan as an Additional Moonsif.

Baboo Jogendro Nath Roy, L.L., Moonsif of Sonamgunge, in Sylhet, is transferred as an Additional Moonsif to Diamond Harbour in the 24-Pergunnahs.

Baboo Digumber Canoongoe, Moonsif of Cox's Bazar, is transferred to Deang in Chittagong.

Baboo Janoki Nath Dutt, M.A. and B.L., Moonsif of Alipore, is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Alipore and Satkhira in the 24-Pergunnahs.

Baboo Juggudbhundhoo Dutt, M.A. and B.L., Moonsif of Hathazaree, in Chittagong, is transferred to Dacca.

Baboo Hurripershad Dass, B.L., Moonsif of Kissengunge, in Purneah, is transferred to Bagirhat in Jessore.

Baboo Anund Coomar Surbadhicaree, Moonsif of Ranaghat, in Nuddea, is transferred to Kaligunge in Dacca.

Baboo Hurgovind Mookerjee, B.L., Moonsif of Baraset, is transferred to the Sudder Station of Bankoora.

Baboo Nilmoney Dass, B.L., Moonsif of Bankoora, is transferred to Maldah.

Baboo Trigunna Prosonno Bose, L.L., Moonsif of Deang, in Chittagong, is transferred as an Additional Moonsif to Cutwa in Burdwan, and will exercise the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits not exceeding Rs. 50 in value.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Banerjee, B.L., Moonsif of Dacca, is transferred to Alipore in the 24-Pergunnahs, and will exercise the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits not exceeding Rs. 50 in value.

Baboo Ooma Churn Dutt, B.L., Moonsif of Maldah, is transferred to Baraset, and will exercise the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits not exceeding Rs. 50 in value.

Baboo Denesh Chunder Roy, B.L., Moonsif of Basirhat, in the 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred to Hathazaree, in Chittagong, and will, on transfer, cease to exercise the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes.

Baboo Rajendro Coomar Bose, B.L., Moonsif of Kaligunge, in Dacca, is transferred to Ranaghat in Nuddea, and will, on transfer, cease to exercise the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes.

In supersession of the orders of the 14th instant, Baboo Rasbehary Bose, L.L., is appointed to act as Moonsif of Begumgunge, in Noakholly, from the re-opening of the Court after the vacation, till the return to duty of Baboo Okhoy Coomar Bose, or till further orders.

In supersession of the orders of the 22nd August last, Baboo Juggudeswar Goopta B.L., is appointed to act as a Moonsif at Nemal, in Midnapore, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Oopendro Chunder Mullick, B.L., or till further orders.

Baboo Motilal Singh, B.L., is appointed to act as Moonsif at Pooree from the re-opening of the Court after the vacation, till the return to duty of Baboo Juggut Doollub Mozoomdar, B.L., or till further orders.

In supersession of the orders of the 16th instant, Baboo Khetter Mohun Mitter, B.L., is appointed to act as Moonsif of Jhenida from the re-opening of the court after the vacation, till the return to duty of Baboo Prosunno Coomar Roy, B.L., or till further orders.

In supersession of the orders of the 9th and 10th instant, Baboo Gobind Chunder Bysack, B.L., is appointed to act as a Moonsif at Bogra from the re-opening of the court

after the Dusserah vacation till the return to duty of Baboo Jugobundoo Gangooly, B.L., or till further orders.

Baboo Mohendro Nath Ghose, L.L., is appointed to act as Second Moonsif of Nasirnuggur, in Tipperah, from the re-opening of the court after the vacation till the return to duty of Baboo Joy Gopal Singh, B.L., or till further orders.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MOONSIFS.—*The 19th September* 1878.—Baboo Kali Coomar Bose, Moonsif of Beergunge, in the district of Dinagepore, is allowed leave for the ensuing Dusserah vacation under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 20th September 1878.—Baboo Syam Kishore Bose, Moonsif of Chintamun, in the district of Dinagepore, is allowed leave for the ensuing Dusserah vacation under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. P. N. Bannerjee, First Moonsif of Moonsheegunge, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-eight days, with effect from the 15th October 1878, under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Bacharam Mookerjee, Moonsif of Lukhipore, in the district of Noakholly, is allowed leave for the ensuing Dusserah vacation under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Amrita Lall Pal, First Moonsif of Burdwan, is allowed leave for the ensuing Dusserah vacation under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 25th September 1878.—Baboo Judoo Nath Dass, Moonsif of Jajpore, in the district of Cuttack, is allowed leave for three months, under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 14th November 1878, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

The 27th September 1878.—Baboo Nilmadbub Bundopadhya, Moonsif of Rughoonathpore, in Chota Nagpore, is allowed leave for one month, under rule 1, section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 22nd October 1878, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Girindro Mohun Chuckerbutty, Second Moonsif of Bhanga, in the district of Furreedpore, is allowed leave of absence for six months, under section 3, supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that already granted to him on the 31st July 1878. The whole period of his leave should be treated, under section 15, supplement F, as leave on medical certificate.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1878.—Under section 79 of Act III of 1877 (the Indian Registration Act), it is hereby notified for general information that with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the addition of the following clause to Article C of the Schedule of Fees published under section 77 of Act VIII of 1871 :—

(*d.*) For withdrawal of a sealed cover containing a will ... Rs. 2.

This clause will come into force from the 15th October 1878.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th September 1878.—It is hereby notified that in the exercise of the powers vested in him by section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts Act (VI of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal vests Baboo Trigunno Prosunno Bose, L.L., Additional Moonsif of Cutwa, Baboo Gopal Chunder Banerjee, B.L., Moonsif of Alipore, and Baboo Uma Churn Dutt, B.L., Moonsif of Baraset, with the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which they shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of their moonsiffee jurisdictions.

Baboo Denesh Chunder Roy, B.L., and Baboo Rajendro Coomar Bose, B.L., who are, under separate orders of this date, transferred respectively to Hathazaree and Ranaghat will, in their new stations, cease to exercise the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes with which they are at present vested.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1878.—Under the powers vested in him by Section 2, Act II (B.C.) of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal), the Lieutenant-Governor hereby extends the provisions of Act II (B.C.) of 1867 to the thana of Ganguriya, in the Sudder sub-division of the district of Burdwan.

The limits of the thana of Ganguriya will be the same as those now fixed for police purposes.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th September 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the site of the military lines in the village of Bandarjuri, ghât Dumka, pergunnah Belpatta, zillah Sonthal Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 83 beeghas 14 cottahs 8½ dhoors of standard measurement, bounded on all sides by lands belonging to the village of Bandarjuri, in the khas possession of the zemindar, is required within the aforesaid village of Bandarjuri, ghât Dumka.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th September 1878.

No. 206.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. C. White, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, rejoined the Burdwan Division on the 16th September 1878, before noon, on return from special leave granted* to him.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 110 of 8th May 1878.

T. H. WICKES,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, in the Public Works Department.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 24th September 1878.

No. 263.—*Notifications.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Military Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 897, *dated 20th September* 1878.—The services of Lieutenant A. C. Foley, Royal Engineers, are, with reference to the notification by the Public Works Department, No. 390, dated the 9th September 1878, replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief."

The 27th September 1878.

No. 264.—Mr. C. W. Hope, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Irrigation Branch by the Railway Branch, is posted to the South-Western Circle, with effect from the afternoon of the 21st September 1878.

No. 265.—Mr. R. H. Rhind, Executive Engineer, First Grade, took over charge of the Brahminee-Byturnee Division from Mr. Roberts on the forenoon of the 18th September 1878.

The 28th September 1878.

No. 266.—The following extract from the General Orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, dated the 27th July 1878, is republished for information :—

The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard in Hindustanee on 1st and 2nd July 1878. :—

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Lieutenant A. C. Foley, Royal Engineers

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D. B. HORN,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, in the P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

IN supersession of all previous notifications it is hereby notified, for general information, under Section VI of the "Canals' Act of 1864," that the following revised Schedule of Rates for tolls in the Canals of the Orissa Circle will come into effect from and after the 1st October 1878 :—

Kendrapara Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM THE WEST.				ENTERING FROM THE EAST.			
	At Jugguthpore Head Lock.	At Kendupatna.	At Buspore.	At Marsaghai.	At Jumboo Lock.	At Marsaghai.	At Buspore.	At Kendupatna.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September, and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage of boats.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100.	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

High Level Canal, Range I.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM THE NORTH.			ENTERING FROM THE SOUTH.		
	At the Brahmini river, Janapore.	At Nealpore.	At Byree.	At Chowduar.	At Byree.	At Nealpore.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September, and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

High Level Canal, Range II.

	RANGE II.		RANGE III.
	Entering from North-East.	Entering from South-West.	Entering from South-West.
	At Rorya.	At Jokodia.	At Tickora.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September, and October	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage .	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

Gobri Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM WEST.			ENTERING FROM EAST.		
	At Jugguthpore Head Lock.	At Kendupatna.	At Chackra.	At Gundukia.	At Chackra.	At Kendupatna.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September, and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timber, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

Taldunda Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	Jobra Lock.	At Beereebatty.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds throughout the year, whether passing through canal or simply locking in	0 8 0	0 8 0
Timber, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage of boats	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0

Passenger boats.—A charge of one anna per head per mile on 1st class passengers, *i.e.*, by steamers and boats and ¼ (quarter) pie per head per mile for all other passengers over and above the toll leviable from the boats or steamers by measurement. This charge to be leviable from the owners of boats or steamers and not from the passengers, except when a Government boat or steamer is hired by any person for his exclusive use. The hire in such cases charged by Government is for the use of the boat, and the tollage of boat, plus mileage charge per head, will be levied from the passenger at the rate of one anna.

Empty boats.—To be charged on tonnage of the boat itself as ascertained from its draught for displacement.

Exemption.—From payment of canal dues at the above rates for goods will not be allowed to any department or departments. The canal officers, *i.e.*, those directly in charge of irrigation works, and whose duty will necessitate travelling through the canal for inspection thereof, and the Deputy Revenue Superintendent, will be allowed to pass free of tollage. All other Government officers, heretofore passed free on grant of certificates of *being on duty*, will be expected to pay the required tollage for themselves and baggage boats.

Special rate.—Allowed to Messrs. Bullock, Welsted and Co. for their boats and passenger steamers, will cease from the 1st October next, and they will be charged thereafter similarly as the general public at the rates above notified, their boats and steamers being measured in accordance with existing rules for such measurement.

Demurrage.—The number of days which a boat entering the canal by booking or paying tollage at one of the locks may remain in it without additional payment, shall be calculated at the rate of one day for every eight miles or portion of eight miles to be traversed. Boats remaining for a longer period will pay a demurrage of eight annas per 100 maunds per diem for each day or part of a day that they may remain in excess.

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DRAFT RULES PROPOSED UNDER ACT III (B.C.) OF 1876.

Dated the 10th September 1878.

No. 249.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 99 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct the publication of the following rules for the Sone Canals which it is proposed to substitute for the rules passed and published at pages 938 to 943, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd August 1876.

Rule under Act III (B.C.) of 1876.

1. The Collector, before awarding compensation under sections 16 and 17 of the Act, shall obtain the written opinion of the Superintending Canal Officer, which shall form part of the record of the proceedings.

2. Water shall not be granted where, in the opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer, loss from wastage is likely to occur. From the decision of the Divisional Canal Officer an appeal shall lie to the Superintending Canal Officer, whose order shall be final.

3. Water shall not ordinarily be granted where the length of the water-course, from its head to its point of contact with the village boundary, would exceed two (2) miles.

4. Water for irrigation shall not be supplied, except through a water-course so constructed and maintained that, in the opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer—

(*a*) the water will pass without wastage;

(*b*) the existing necessary lines of communication, the flow of drainage water, and the passage of water for irrigation, will not be obstructed.

5. The Divisional Canal Officer may withhold or postpone the grant of water for a crop to any cultivator whose fields he may have ascertained by personal inspection (by himself or one of his assistants) to be unprepared for irrigation by division into compartments not greater in area than 1 cottah or 1361·25 superficial feet, and by the addition of small water-channels, as is customary in irrigation from wells.

Rice-fields are exempted from the operation of this rule.

NOTE.—*This rule shall only apply in those cases in which the discovery is made previous to the first watering of a crop; the water having been once given cannot be withheld for that crop, but a higher rate may be levied as provided in Rule 25.*

6. Persons desiring to construct a village channel shall prefer a written application to the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer. In the latter case the application shall be forwarded to the Divisional Canal Officer.

7. The application, if granted, shall be subject to the Act, and also, unless otherwise specially agreed upon, be deemed granted under the following conditions:—

(*a*)—That the water supplied shall not be used for other purposes than irrigation without the written consent of the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer.

(*b*)—That the applicants nominate a headman known or ascertained to be a substantial person possessed of property to attend to their interests to receive and carry out the orders of the Canal Officers, to distribute the water among the shareholders in the water-course according to their shares, and to collect and pay in to the Collector, or other duly authorized person, all water-rates leviable on the lands watered from the water-course. Such headman shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Penal Code.

(*c*)—That in any case where persons desirous of taking water fail to appoint a headman, or cannot agree among themselves as to the headman, the Collector shall nominate, and the Divisional Canal Officer appoint a headman.

(*d*)—That the headman shall furnish security for the payment of all sums realized by him, the stamp and registration fees on security bonds being deducted from the percentage allowed under Rule 10.

(*e*)—That for each crop, previous to water being taken for any field, application shall be made in the prescribed form (appendix A) through the said headman to the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer or other officer authorized to receive such applications, and that no water shall be taken until after the receipt of a "permit" (appendix B) from such officer.

(*f*)—That in any case where the Divisional Canal Officer, owing to the known recusancy of any village, or of any class of cultivators, anticipates difficulty in realizing water-rates, he shall intimate the same to the Collector or Sub-Deputy Collector, in whose option it shall be to require payment of water-rates in advance.

(*g*)—That any other cultivators in the same village, able and willing to irrigate their lands from the said water-course, shall be admitted as shareholders in the water-course on paying their proportionate share (to be determined by the amount of land they hold) of the first cost and maintenance of the water-course.

(*h*)—That all alterations in the number of shareholders, distribution of shares, or nomination of headman, shall be reported through the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer for the sanction of the Divisional Canal Officer.

8. The Divisional Canal Officer may accept the nominee of the shareholders in a water-course as "headman" of such water-course, and is empowered to pay him the fees as hereinbelow detailed, subject to the condition of satisfactory performance of duty.

9. The allowance to the headman of a water-course for duties connected with that water-course, such as arranging that it shall be kept in proper repair, seeing that no lands obtain water without a regular "permit," distributing the water to the shareholders, seeing to the outlet being closed according to the orders of the Divisional Canal Officer, and generally assisting the officers of the Irrigation Department, shall be 5 per cent. on the assessments of canal water-rates derived from the water-courses in his charge. The Divisional Canal Officer may retrench the whole or any part of the fees under this rule in the event of the conditions not being complied with.

10. The allowance to the headman of a water-course for collecting the water-rates shall be 3 per cent. on the assessments, and shall be paid by the Collector on receipt of the full payment of demand for that crop and not otherwise, unless he can satisfy the Collector that the balance in arrear is so through no negligence of his. The payment to be made within two months of the dates named in the permit.

11. An appeal against retrenchment under Rules 9 and 10 shall lie to the Superintending Canal Officer and Commissioner respectively, if preferred within thirty days of such retrenchment, and the Superintending Canal Officer or Commissioner's decision shall be final.

12. Contracts between the Divisional Canal Officer on the part of Government and private individuals for the use of water as a motive power, or for any other purpose whatsoever not included in the published schedule of rates, shall, if for any period not exceeding one year, require the previous sanction of the Superintending Canal Officer.

If for longer periods, such contracts shall be submitted for the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor in the Irrigation Department.

13. Tanks may be filled with canal water without charge and without reference to the area irrigated in any village, whenever water can be made available without injury to the cultivation dependent on any canal, under the following regulations:—

(*a*)—No tank shall be so filled unless exclusively used for domestic purposes, and for watering cattle; such tanks are generally in the immediate neighbourhood of villages.

(*b*)—No tank shall be so filled from which irrigation is practised.

(*c*)—No tank shall be so filled which, intercepting any line of drainage, is liable to overflow from accumulation of water derived from natural causes.

(*d*)—No tank shall be so filled except on the written order of the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer, issued on the written applications of the parties concerned. The filling of tanks can only be permitted at such times and to such extent as the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer approves.

(*e*)—No tank shall be so filled unless the water-course used to fill it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer to be in a sound condition when the application is made.

(*f*)—The privilege herein accorded may be suspended for twelve months for breach of these regulations by written order of the Divisional Canal Officer, subject, however, to revision by the Superintending Engineer, whose decision shall be final.

14. The Divisional Canal Officer may, by written order under section 76 (*a*) (ii), stop the supply to any water-course when he has satisfied himself by personal inspection (by himself or one of his assistants) that the water-course is not maintained in proper repair. Immediate report of any such closure shall be made to the Superintending Canal Officer, and the special ground for stoppage explained.

15. The Divisional Canal Officer may, under section 76 (*a*) (iii), regulate the distribution of the available water in proportion to the average area irrigated from the several outlets, or in proportion to the quantities of water contracted for, and may close the outlets in rotation as shall be necessary.

Such periodical closures shall not extend beyond ten consecutive days, and shall be notified to the headman of water-courses. For longer closures the authority of the Superintending Canal Officer is required.

Nothing in the above rules shall be taken to affect the power of the Superintending or any Divisional Officer to stop any supply of water in case of pressing emergency.

16. The water-gauges on distributaries or other channels shall be held to give authoritative data for all calculations of discharge required to verify claims for remission of water-rate on account of loss of water.

17. Claims to remission, under section 76 (*b*) of ordinary charges payable for use of canal water shall only be admitted on proof of actual loss caused by the stoppage of supply. On proof of such loss the Divisional Canal Officer may remit the whole or any portion of the charges. All applications for remission of water-rates shall be made by the parties concerned in person, or through their headman, to the nearest Sub-Divisional Canal Officer at least seven days prior to the cutting of the crop, and the Sub-Divisional Officer shall thereupon inspect the applicant's fields, and forward his application for decision to the Divisional Canal Officer with his remarks

18. Before awarding compensation under section 76 (*c*), the Collector shall obtain the written opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer, and such opinion shall form part of the record of the proceedings. Under this rule an appeal shall lie to the Commissioner of the division, whose order shall be final.

19. Under section 78 of the Act the rates chargeable per acre on the different descriptions of crops are fixed for three years, viz. from 1st June 1876 to the 1st June 1879, and are as follows :—

WATER-RATES.

Sone Canals.

Class.	Nature of Crop.	Flow Irrigation per			Lift Irrigation per			Per
		Cottah.	Beegha.	Acre.	Cottah.	Beegha.	Acre.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
I	Sugarcane	0 2 6	3 2 0	5 0 0	0 1 8	2 1 4	3 5 4	Crop.
II	Rice, vegetables, water-nuts, wheat, barley, cotton, tobacco, indigo, opium, garden, and all crops not otherwise specified	0 1 3	1 9 0	2 8 0	0 0 10	1 0 8	1 10 8	Do.

NOTE.

1 Cottah ... ... = 1361·25 superficial feet.
1 Beegha ... ... = 27225·00 " "
1 Acre ... ... = 43560·00 " "

20. Up to 1st June 1879 leases for three years may be granted at the following rates provided that the area leased in any village shall not be less than the whole irrigable area in the case of khureef cultivation or half the irrigable area in that of the rubbee cultivation. In the latter case the area must be as far as possible in one block. In certain cases it may, at the discretion of the Superintending Engineer, be comprised in two or at most three blocks.

Schedule of Rates.

	Per acre.	Per beegha.	Per cottah.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rubbee, including bhadace ...	2 4 0	1 6 6	0 1 2
Khureef	1 8 0	0 15 0	0 0 9

21. Three-year leases will not be granted for sugarcane.

22. By irrigable area is to be understood as a general rule the extent of land for which water can be supplied at the rate of 80 acres in khureef and 180 acres in rubbee per cubic foot of available supply.

23. Leases for three years at the reduced rates may be given (1) on the application of all the cultivators of a village, on condition of their agreeing in such application to become

jointly and severally responsible for the payment of all amounts due on account of water-rates; or (2) on the joint application of the cultivators and of some person hereinafter called the contractor, who may agree to collect and pay to Government under section 82 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876 all sums which may be due under the application on account of water-rates. The application of villagers binding themselves jointly and severally will be in the form prescribed in appendix C. The joint application of villagers and a water-rate contractor shall be in the form prescribed in appendix D. Every application under this rule must be signed by each applicant in the presence of at least one respectable witness.

24. A contractor or contractors shall be entitled to collect water dues at the rates given in the schedule attached to rule 20 from the cultivators who have applied for the water supplied. Every due from a cultivator to a contractor on account of water-rates shall be deemed a sum due to Government under sections 82 and 85 of Act III of 1876.

25. A contractor (or, in case there be more than one, each severally and jointly) shall be responsible for all sums payable on the application (appendix D), and shall be entitled to a deduction of 5 per cent. for cost of collection.

26. When the lease under these rules is for the supply of water to khureef crops or to all irrigable rubbee in the village, a list in form E should be submitted with the application showing the number of each field in the map, the area of the field, crop to be grown, and amount payable; and this should be signed by each cultivator. Water will be supplied in accordance with this list during the period of the lease. Similar lists must be submitted each year before water is supplied to rubbee lands when the area leased is less than the whole area of irrigable rubbee land in the village. In such cases the fields receiving water may vary from year to year, but the total area to be watered can never be less than the area stated in the application for the three years' lease.

27. No water shall be taken previous to receipt of a permit (appendix B) signed by the Divisional Canal Officer. When an agreement has been made for the collection of the rates by a contractor or contractors the Divisional Canal Officer shall furnish such contractor or contractors with an authorization under section 82 to collect the amounts due by the cultivators according to the list furnished under rule 26, one copy of which is to be sent to the Collector.

28. Every contractor shall nominate a headman to be approved by the Canal Officer to perform the duties specified in rule 9. Such headman shall receive 5 per cent. on the assessment, but the Canal Officer may retrench the whole or any part of these fees if the duties are not properly performed.

29. If only a portion of a field be irrigated the water-rate shall be chargeable on the whole field, unless such portion shall have been clearly demarcated, previous to the admission of the water, by a ridge not less than half a foot high. The headman will be held personally responsible for the due observance of this rule.

30. When a portion of a field has been irrigated with canal water and a portion with well or reservoir water, the whole field shall be liable for canal water-rate, unless a clearly distinguishable boundary exists between the two portions. The headman will be held personally responsible for the due observance of this rule.

31. If well or reservoir water is conveyed in the same channel as canal water, the whole of the irrigation from that channel shall be liable to canal water-rate. The headman will be held personally responsible for the due observance of this rule.

32. Irrigation from natural or artificial escape channels, when the supply is permanent, shall be governed by the same rules as irrigation from other parts of the canal.

33. Irrigation from such channels, when the supply is intermittent, may be allowed at such reduced rates as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

34. Persons irrigating lands from a canal without a written permit for water for such lands, or taking water at times prohibited by proper authority, shall be chargeable with double water-rates on the area irrigated, in addition to such penalties as may be imposed under sections 93 and 94 of the Act.

35. The charge leviable for water suffered to run to waste on uncultivated lands shall be calculated at the highest rate specified in the schedule, viz. five rupees per acre on the area flooded; provided that in every such case the Divisional Canal Officer may impose a lower charge if he thinks fit. The headman to be held responsible for the payment of such rates as may be imposed, leaving it to him to realize the same from those to blame.

36. If mixed crops be grown in the same field, the water-rate shall be calculated on the highest rated crop.

37. When the original crop sown in a canal irrigated field fails and is ploughed up, and a fresh crop is sown in the same season, the water-rates leviable shall be due on the second crop.

38. When a field is irrigated which has not been prepared by division into compartments, and by the addition of small water-channels as prescribed in rule 5, an additional charge may be imposed equal to half the amount of water-rate leviable on the field. In each case the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Officer must certify that he personally examined the field, and that it was not properly prepared for irrigation according to the terms of the rule.

39. The amounts demandable for water-rate shall be determined and apportioned by the Divisional Canal Officer.

40. All water-rates shall become due on the dates noted on the "permits," viz. the dates on which the crops ordinarily come to maturity, and are as follows:—

Water-rate on spring crops,—wheat, barley, peas, poppy, &c.,—shall become due on 15th April.

Water-rate on summer crops,—cheena, &c.,—shall become due on 15th August.

Water-rate on bhadoi crops,—seera rice, Indian-corn, murwa, &c.,—shall become due on 30th November.

Water-rate on annual and winter crops,—aghani rice, joaur, &c.,—on 31st January and shall be paid within one month of such dates.

41. In the case of lands held in bhaoli, the water-rate shall be recoverable from both the cultivator and the person or persons in receipt of the bhaoli rents in the same proportion as the produce is divisible amongst them.

42. Collection of all water-rates will be made by the Collector strictly in accordance with the statement of demands furnished to him by the Divisional Canal Officer, in such form as shall from time to time be sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor.

43. The Collector will make the collections through the Deputy Collectors attached to each division of the canal and the Subordinate Canal Revenue Establishment.

44. Objections to the demand on the score of short supply, or of matters affecting the Irrigation Department, addressed to the Collector, shall be referred by him to the Canal Divisional Officer. Meanwhile the collection of the demand shall not be suspended.

45. Claims for remission so referred by the Collector, and admitted by the Divisional Canal Officer, shall be reported by him for the sanction of the Superintending Canal Officer.

46. A remission statement signed by the Superintending Canal Officer shall be sufficient authority for a refund by the Collector.

47. If the decision of the Divisional Canal Officer uphold the original demand, an appeal may be made to the Superintending Canal Officer, provided that it is preferred within forty days from the issue of the order. The decision of the Superintending Canal Officer shall be final.

48. In cases in which the water-rate is irrecoverable, from the absconding or bankruptcy of the defaulter, or when the question at issue does not depend on the canal supply or the action of the Irrigation Department, the Collector will obtain sanction to remission of canal demands from the Commissioner of the division. All such remissions shall be reported at the close of each official year to the Divisional Canal Officer.

49. If a cultivator is dissatisfied with the entries made against him in the "permit" (appendix B), whether as to the fact of the land having been charged "flow" instead of "lift," or as to the measurements and entries of class of crop, he must lodge a complaint, either personally or through the headman of his water-course with the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer within fifteen days of the issue of the permit.

50. No person, without the permission in writing of the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officers, shall pass, or shall cause any animal or vehicle to pass, on or across any of the works, banks, or channels of a canal or drainage work after he has been desired to desist therefrom, excepting upon such bridges, fords, and ferries, and their approaches, as are provided by the Divisional Canal Officer.

51. No Canal Officer, unless specially exempted by the Lieutenant-Governor, shall have any interest in the distribution of water from any of the canals, or purchase or bid for any Government property sold thereof, either in his own name or in the name of another, or jointly, or in shares with others.

52. The ameen after completing the measurement of a village, before leaving it, will compile the *Khatianni*. A copy of the *Khatianni* will be taken by the putwaree, who must himself make the copy; but if he cannot from any cause do so, the ameen must give it, and the latter is to be held responsible that a copy is taken.

53. The copy of the *Khatianni* thus made will be hung up in some conspicuous place, and slips in the prescribed form (appendix F) will be prepared by the putwaree and given to each ryot showing the amount he will have to pay, area irrigated, &c.

54. The allowance to the putwaree for the above work shall be 2 per cent. on the assessments which shall be paid by the Collector on his being satisfied that the putwaree did his work properly.

55. The measurements shall be made as soon as practicable, and every care taken to have the *Khatianni* hung up in the village at least 15 days before the crop is cut, so that the ryot may make his complaints, if he have any, in good time.

56. In case of any alteration in the *Khatianni* owing to correction of clerical errors, &c., the same shall be communicated to the putwaree at once to enable him to correct the village copy and slips accordingly.

57. The zilladar shall submit his check measurements in the form (appendix G) which shall be sent in for the inspection of the Divisional Canal Officer. The Sub-Divisional Canal Officer shall also check the measurements as often as he possibly can. If it is found that any ameen systematically makes wrong measurements, he shall be punished by dismissal, and shall be declared incapable of obtaining further employment under Government.

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Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

The 10*th September* 1878.

APPENDIX A.

APPLICATION FOR WATER.

No.

Mouzah (1).....

Pergunnah (2).....

Distributary (3).....

Village channel (4).....

Name of headman (5).....

Name of applicant (6).....

I, the undersigned, hereby apply for water from the above-named village channel for the fields and crops below detailed, and I engage to pay, through the headman, to the Divisional Canal Officer, or other person duly authorized to receive them, the water-rates according to the published schedules, and I further agree to abide by all the rules issued under the Canal Act.

No. of field in Revenue Map.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.

Signature or mark of applicant.

Signature of headman.

Date .....

NOTE.—This counterfoil to remain with the headman of the village channel.

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No.

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No. of field in Revenue Map.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.

Signature or mark of applicant.

Signature of headman.

Date.....

NOTE.—This application to be sent to Sub-Divisional Canal Officer or Zilladar according to the orders issued in the particular case by Divisional Canal Officer.

APPENDIX B.

No.

Permit _____ of village _____ to take water from

Distributary _____

Village channel _____

for the under-mentioned fields and crops.

No. of field.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.	Water-rate due.	Date of payment.

Date _____ *Signature of Canal Officer.*

NOTE.—To be retained by the Officer issuing the permit.

Permit _____ of village _____ to take water from

Distributary _____

Village channel _____

for the under-mentioned fields and crops.

No. of field.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.	Water-rate due.	Date of payment.

Date _____ *Signature of Canal Officer.*

NOTE.—To be retained by the headman of the village channel.

No.

Permit _____ of village _____ to take water from

Distributary _____

Village channel _____

for the under-mentioned fields and crops.

No. of field.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.	Water-rate due.	Date of payment.

Date _____ *Signature of Canal Officer.*

NOTE.—To be sent to the other Revenue Officer of the sub-division. Thus, if the permit is granted by the Sub-Divisional Officer, this will be sent to the Zilladar and *vice versa*.

No.

Permit _____ of village _____ to take water from

Distributary _____

Village channel _____

for the under-mentioned fields and crops.

No. of field.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.	Water-rate due.	Date of payment.

Date _____ *Signature of Canal Officer.*

NOTE.—To be handed by headman of village channel to the ryot.

APPENDIX C.

Vernacular

Form of applications by villagers for a three years' lease.

Mouzah Pergunnah

Distributary

Names of applicants

We the undersigned inhabitants of Mouzah Pergunnah hereby apply for water from the above-named distributary to be supplied yearly for three years to the areas given below, being the whole of the irrigable area of khureef in the mouzah and ( ) of the irrigable area of rubbee; and we further apply that the water may be given for khureef to the fields and cultivators shown in the accompanying list, and for rubbee according to lists to be submitted each year previous to water being supplied; and we further jointly and severally agree to pay rates as fixed in the schedule below, and undertake to pay each year the full amount calculated on this area applied for at such rates subject to the provisions of Rules 17 and 46.

Village.	Kind of Class.	Areas.	Rate.	Amount.	Signature of cultivator.
		B. C. D.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
	Rubbee	.....	1 6 6		
	Khureef	....	0 15 0		

APPENDIX D.

Vernacular or
English and Vernacular

Joint application of villagers and a contractor under section 82, Act V of 1876, for a three years' lease.

Mouzah Pergunnah

Distributary

Names of villagers

Name of contractor

We the undersigned cultivators of Mouzah Pergunnah hereby apply for water from the above-named distributary to be supplied yearly for three years to the area named below, being the whole of the irrigable khureef land and ( ) the irrigable rubbee land of the above village; and we further apply that water may be given for khureef to the fields and cultivators shown in the accompanying list, and for rubbee according to list to be submitted each year previous to water being supplied; and we further agree to pay rates as fixed in the schedule below subject to the provisions of Rules 17 and 46.

I (contractor's name) agree to collect and pay to Government all sums payable on this application, and request, under section 82, authority to collect these rates according to the certificate to be annually supplied to me by the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer under section 85 of Act III, and I further agree to abide by all rules passed under the Canal Act.

Village.	Kind of class.	Areas.	Rate.	Amount	
		B. C. D	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Rubbee	. . .	.	1 6 6	.....	
Khureef	.....	..	0 15 0	.....	

APPENDIX E.

List of fields and cultivators showing the manner in which water leased under the rule is to be distributed.

We the undersigned cultivators of Mouzah Pergunnah request that the water supplied under our applications of be given to the fields and cultivators named below during the year ( ).

No. of field.	Area of field.	Crop.	Amount.	Name.	Signature.

APPENDIX F.

Percha or Slip Form.

Remarks regarding the individual to whom the percha has been given.	Water-rate.	Crop.	Area and kind of Irrigation.		Number of Field.		Date of issue of percha.
			Flow.	Lift.	Number in the Survey map.	Number of the Khatianni.	

APPENDIX G.

Zilladar's check measurement Form.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Name of Pergunnah.	Name of Village.	Name of cultivator and his father.	Field Survey No.	Name of amen who measured.	Measurement according to Amlen.				Check Measurement.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Remarks.
					Crop.	Flow.	Lift.	Water-rate.	Crop.	Flow.	Lift.	Water-rate.			

RAILWAY.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 28th September 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for railway purposes in the village of Hamidpore, pergunnah Pajienoore, zillah Nuddea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 13¾ chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the south, east, and north by land belonging to Boycanto Nauth Roy, and on the west by Eastern Bengal Railway Company's Chogdah Station, is required within the aforesaid village of Hamidpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

F. S. STANTON, *Lt.-Col.*, R.E.,
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 10th September 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for railway purposes in the village of Katalparah, pergunnah Habala Shuhur, zillah 24-Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four plots of land measuring,

more or less, 1 beegha 7 cottahs and 9¾ chittacks of standard measurement, bounded as noted below, are required within the aforesaid village of Kantalparah:—

No. 1.—Plot bounded on the north by land belonging to Eastern Bengal Railway Company; on the south by village road and land belonging to Bonkim Chunder Chatterjee; east by land belonging to Eastern Bengal Railway Company; and on the west by land belonging to Bonkim Chunder Chatterjee, Chunder Coomar and Shama Churn Chatterjee, and Okhoy Coomar Bhuttacharjee.

No. 2.—Plot bounded on the north by land belonging to Hurry Churn Dey; on the south and west by Eastern Bengal Railway Company's land; and east by local path and land occupied by Hurry Churn Dey.

No. 3.—Plot bounded on the north by land belonging to Hurry Churn Dey; on the south and east by Eastern Bengal Railway Company's land; and on the west by Government Road.

No. 4.—Plot bounded on the north by land belonging to Hurry Churn Dey; on the south and east by Eastern Bengal Railway Company's land; and on the west by Government Road.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col., R.E.,*
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8346, *dated 24th September* 1878.—Mr. A. D. Larymore made over charge of the Midnapore Central Jail to Surgeon W. A. Gilligan in the afternoon of the 14th instant.

S. S. LYNCH,
Deputy Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Circular Order issued by Authority of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

CIVIL AND CRIMINAL.

No. 31, *dated the* 19*th September* 1878.

The attention of all Judicial Officers in the Lower Provinces of Bengal and Assam is drawn to the remarks contained in Circular Order No. 24, dated the 23rd August 1870, in which the importance of a strict attention to the provisions of the law with respect to the service of processes forwarded by the Calcutta Court of Small Causes under Sections 29 and 30 of Act IX of 1850 was pointed out.

2. The Court has learnt with regret that the Judges of the Small Cause Court have still frequent reason to complain of the want of care with which their processes are treated by the Courts in the interior, and that much inconvenience and expense are occasionally caused to suitors by the irregular manner in which affidavits of service are filled in. The Judges of the Small Cause Court will now be asked to mention specifically any Court from which processes are habitually or frequently returned in an imperfect condition, and the Court will not fail to take such steps as may be necessary to prevent a repetition of the complaint.

No 32, *dated the* 20*th September* 1878.

The attention of all Judicial Officers is called to the notification of this date, copy of which is annexed, imposing a fee of one rupee in respect of administering oaths on affidavits under the Code of Civil Procedure (Act X of 1877).

2. It will be observed that the fee is payable in Court fee stamps, and will therefore be credited to Government. These fees should be shown separately in the daily register of Court fees realized, prescribed by Circular Order No. 23, dated 22nd December 1877, in order that it may be ascertained whether the receipts in any district are sufficient to justify the appointment of a special officer to administer oaths on affidavits.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated the 20th September 1878.

It is hereby notified that, with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, the following charge has been introduced into all Civil and Criminal Courts subject to the Appellate Jurisdiction of the High Court, and that it will be levied from and after this date, *viz.*,—

For administering the oath of the declarant in the case of any affidavit under the Code of Civil Procedure (Act X of 1877), except—

(a) affidavits made by process-servers regarding the manner of service of process;

(b) affidavits made by any public officer in virtue of his office, one rupee.

The above fee shall be paid by means of a Court fee stamp of not less value than the amount above prescribed.

J. CRAWFURD,
Officiating Registrar.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO UMA CHARAN BANERJEE has been placed in charge of the Dinagepore Treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. A. CRAVEN, *for Offg. Commissioner.*

DATED DARJEELING, the 25th September 1878.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO GURU CHURUN DASS has been placed in charge of the Moorshedabad treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRECY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 13th September 1878.

ASSISTANT COLLECTOR MR. C. S. BAYLEY has been temporarily placed in charge of the 24-Pergunnahs treasury from the 7th instant, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVISION, CALCUTTA,
The 12th September 1878.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1256B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November 1878, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,000
Total ...	4,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 23rd November 1877, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 20th November 1878 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 11th November 1878, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 20th November 1878.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the

dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd December 1878	2,500	2,000	4,500
Total	2,500	2,000	4,500

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 24th September 1878.

No. 1297B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

IT is hereby notified that the 230 chests of Behar opium of the manufacture of 1876-77, which were reserved for the French Government and have not been cleared, will be re-sold on account of Government at the opium sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November next, immediately after the conclusion of the sale of 4,500 chests already advertised for that day.

The conditions of the re-sale will be the same as those of the sale referred to.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th September 1878.

S. BIRD, *for Secretary*.

No. 1247B.

SALT.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

IT is hereby notified for the information of salt merchants that two new salt pass stations have been established, one at the mouth of the Haldah river and the other at the mouth of the Chandkhali khal, in the district of Chittagong.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

FORT WILLIAM, the 23rd September 1878.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Simla, the 20th September 1878.

No. 1731.—Under Clause 8 of Section 32 of Act XXXI of 1860, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exempt Dewan Govind Sahay, Agent of His Highness the Maharaja of Jammu and Kashmir, G.C.S.I., C.I.E., and the attendants of the Dewan, thirty in number, from the provisions of the said Act in regard to the possession and carrying of arms.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 14*th September* 1878.

No. 950.—Her Majesty has been pleased to appoint Arthur Wilson, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in the room of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Markby.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 16*th September* 1878.

No. 328.—*Appointment.*—The Reverend Baker Morrell, M.A., Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment, to be Senior Chaplain, with effect from the 19th August 1878.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—FORESTS.

Simla, the 20th September 1878.

No. 930*F.*—The Governor-General in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. L. G. Smith to officiate on probation as a Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests, with effect from the 14th July 1878, the date on which he joined his appointment.

Mr. Smith is posted to Bengal.

No. 933*F.*—On return from the leave granted to him in Notification No. 635, dated the 4th June 1877, Mr. R. N. Anstruther, Assistant Conservator of Forests of the 3rd grade in British Burma, is transferred to Bengal.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

The 20th September 1878.

No. 502.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to order, in modification of II (*a*) and (*b*) of the rules issued under Section 46 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, VIII of 1876, and published in Notification No. 298, dated the 8th August 1877, that in the case of "*short voyages*" *only* as defined by Section 5 of the Act, every native passenger ship shall have on board the medicines and surgical appliances mentioned on the margin.

Aperient pills	8	doz.
Common astringent pills	3	"
Cholera pills	6	"
Ipecacuanha (powder)	1	oz.
Quinine	1	"
Castor oil	2	bottles.
Comp: jalap	1	oz.
Adhesive plaster (spread)	1	yard.
Oil of peppermint	1	oz.
Scales and weights	1	set.
Splints, common	1	"

His Excellency in Council is further pleased to direct that in the case of such short voyages the words "*not less than one chronometer*" shall be substituted for the words "*not less than three chronometers*" in paragraph X (*c*) of the said rules.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 20th September 1878.

No. 2022*P*.—With reference to Notification No. 1179P, dated 10th June 1878, the recognition by the Government of India of the appointment of Monsieur Blanchard de Farges, as Consul General for France at Calcutta, has been confirmed by Her Majesty's Government.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 19th September 1878.

No. 3048.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Local Public Works Loan Act, 1871, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that the Government of Bombay may authorise the Municipal Corporation of Bombay to borrow money to be applied to the construction of drainage works for the City of Bombay under the following conditions :—

1. That the amount of the loan authorised shall not exceed 27 lakhs of rupees.
2. That all sums so borrowed shall be repaid within a period of forty years from the date on which they are received by the Municipal Corporation.
3. That the loan shall be on the security of the aggregate income of the Municipal Corporation of Bombay and of all the funds and property from time to time vested in the said Corporation, subject, however, to the priority of repayment of all advances made to the Corporation by the Government of India, under the provisions of Acts III of 1870 and II of 1872, both of the Bombay Council and of the Local Public Works Loan Act, 1871, and now remaining unpaid.
4. That Rules VIII and XIV made under the Notification in the Financial Department, No. 3761, dated 15th October 1873, shall also be applicable to the loan.

ACCOUNTS.

LOANS.

The 20th September 1878.

No. 3072.—In accordance with the Ninth Clause of the Notification in the Financial Department, No. 2005, dated 12th August, it is hereby notified that the aggregate amount of the Notes of *The Transfer Loan*, 1879, to be issued in exchange for Notes of the Five and a Half Per Cent. Loan surrendered under the Sixth and Seventh Clauses of the said Notification, is, approximately, Rs. 6,98,10,000 as follows :—

	Rs.
Four and a Half Per Cent. Portion	6,96,38,000
Seven Shillings Sterling Per Cent. Portion	1,72,000

Thus the amount for which tenders will be received, under the Eleventh Clause of the Notification, dated 12th August last, till noon of Monday the Twenty-first day of October next, is, approximately, Rs. 3,00,00,000.

PENSIONS, GRATUITIES, &c.

The 20th September 1878.

No. 3073.—With the sanction of the Secretary of State, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct the following alterations in the Civil Pension Code :—

Section 13 *(page* 5*).*

Substitute the following for the second sentence of this Section :—

But this restriction does not apply to any of the officers described in Schedule A, except Class III (2) (*b*).

Section 14 *(page* 5*).*

Substitute the following for this Section :—

Section 14.—Provided that an officer of Class I in Schedule A lands in India within three months from the date of his appointment, and unless some other date be specified by the Secretary of State, his service counts from the date of the despatch appointing him to the Service. The service of an officer of Class I who does not land in India within three months from the date of his appointment, and of an officer of Class II or III (1) counts from the date on which he landed in India.

Section 44 *(page* 22*).*

Substitute the following for the Exception :—

Exception.—An officer belonging to any of the Classes described in Schedule A, except Class III (2), counts furlough as service as follows :—

If the service of the officer be not less than—	*He counts as service, furlough for—*
20 years ...	... 2 years.
25 „ ...	... 3 „
30 „ ...	... 4 „
35 „ ...	... 5 „

Section 59 *(a), (page* 31*).*

Cancel Rule 2.

Insert the following new Section on page 32 *:—*

Section 59*A.*—An invalid pension on the following scale, but not being less than Rs. 1,000 or more than Rs. 2,000 a year, may be granted to an officer belonging to any of the Classes described in Schedule A, except Class III. The Government of India may, on special grounds, recommend for sanction by the Secretary of State the grant of an invalid pension on the same scale to an officer belonging to Class III :—

If the service of the officer be not less than—	*Proportion of the officer's average emoluments.*
10 years ...	... $\frac{10}{45}$ths.
11 „ ..	... $\frac{11}{45}$ths.
12 „ ...	... $\frac{12}{45}$ths.
13 „ ...	... $\frac{13}{45}$ths.
14 „ ...	... $\frac{14}{45}$ths.

Section 63 *(page* 36*).*

Substitute the following for Case (e) :—

(*e*) The Government of India may, in special cases, add a period, not exceeding three years, to the service of any Civil Engineer appointed to the Public Works Department before the 1st November 1873, with initial rank higher than that of a First Grade Assistant Engineer. This concession will not, however, be granted to any officers taken over, directly or indirectly, from one of the Guaranteed Railway Companies, who received a bonus on leaving the service of the Company.

After page 6 *insert the following as Schedule A :—*

SCHEDULE A.

OFFICERS WHO ARE ENTITLED TO CERTAIN SPECIAL PRIVILEGES.—

(SEE *Sections* 13, 14, 44 *(Exception) and* 59 *(A)*).

I.—Officers of the Public Works Department trained in the Royal Indian Engineering College at Cooper's Hill.

II.—'Stanley Engineers' of the Public Works Department, *i.e.*, Civil Engineers appointed in England, in the years 1859 to 1871, under Covenant and after competitive examination, in general accordance with Secretary of State's (Lord Stanley's) despatch No. 11 (Public), dated 9th March 1859.

III.—Other Civil Engineers appointed to the Public Works Department—

(1) By the Secretary of State, before the 1st November 1873—

(2) By the Government of India, excluding those of purely Asiatic birth—

(*a*) from the Civil Engineering Colleges in India;

(*b*) Others.

IV.—Officers of the Telegraph Department specially trained in Europe under Regulations made by the Secretary of State.

V.—The following three officers of the Agricultural Department, Madras, who are graduates of the Royal Agricultural College, or of some other institution of equal standing :—

Willam Ramtree Robertson. | Charles Benson.
Kaspar Schiffmayer.

VI.—Graded Officers of the Geological Survey Department.

VII.—Officers of the Forest Department specially trained in Europe under Regulations made by the Secretary of State.

No. 3029.—The Governor-General in Council directs the publication of the following Addenda and Corrigenda to the Codes of the Financial Department:—

CIVIL PENSION CODE.

(Section 6 (page 4).

Insert the following as exception (5) *under this Section* :—

(5.) An enlisted member of the Bombay Corps of Guides, if transferred as a draftsman to the Office of the Quarter-Master General, Bombay Army, may count service in the Guide Corps as if it was service rendered in a civil capacity.

CIVIL PENSION CODE.

Section 38 *(b)*, Rule 1 (page 17).

For "temporary employment" substitute "a special temporary duty."

PAY AND ALLOWANCES, &c.

The 20th September 1878.

No. 3037.—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to lay down the following rules for the grant of travelling allowance to warrant medical officers in civil employ:—

I.—A warrant medical officer holding an appointment in the Survey Department under the Government of India is entitled to travelling allowance under the rules prescribed for that Department.

II.—A warrant medical officer holding any other civil appointment for which a scale of travelling allowance has been specially sanctioned by the Government of India is entitled to travelling allowance on that scale.

III.—Any other warrant medical officer in civil employ is entitled, subject to the general rules for officers in civil employ, to travelling allowance at three-tenths of the pay of his grade for periods of absence from his head-quarters, or at four annas a mile travelled, provided that the allowance shall not be drawn at both rates for the same day.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Monday, the 18th November 1878, corresponding with 3rd Agrohun 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th March 1878:—

Number.	Toujee No.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	4028	Ten annas share of a zemindary chakle Amirabad, pergunnah Rajnagor.	Guru Prosad, Premchand, Kishori Mohun, Gopi Mohun, Bykanto Mohun and Horlal Roy, Sita Moni and Janoky Devia and Nagor Cashi Kundu.	4,078 7 9½	73 1 7	Entire estate to be sold.
2	6308	Two plots of new char kismut Khagotia in Chur Madan Sankor	Mr. J. Pogose, Kashi Chandra Roy, Brojendro Coomar Roy Chowdhry, Anond Mohon, Govindo Mohon, Mohesh Chandra, Ram Krisno, Kali Krisno Pal Chowdhry, Guru Prosad, Prem Chand, Kishori Mohun, Horlal Roy, Modhu Sudon, Kristo Mohon Dass and Monnalal Michree.	1,242 11 7	105 14 1	Ditto.

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 10th August 1878. J. E. B. JEFFERY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2.—Taraf Ajodhya Ram, Fatcabad; recorded proprietors Chandi Charan, Uma Charan, Kailas Chandra Choudhuri, and Jugal Kishor Datta; sudder jumma Rs. 723-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 7.—Kismat Ambika Babait, taraf Trilok Chandra Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Kailas Chandra Nandi; sudder jumma Rs. 745-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 31.—Taraf Abdul Mazid; recorded proprietor Ram Kanta Choudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 3,597-3-5. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Rohollah; recorded proprietors Kamala Kanta Sen, Bharat Chandra Tapadar, and Raj Chandra Sen for self and on part of Bangsi Mohun Sen, minor; sudder jumma Rs. 994-0-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 41.—Taraf Abdul Fozal; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan and Abdul Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 643-3-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 51.—Taraf Aleyar Khan; recorded proprietors Shahamat Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,606-0-9. Share No. 2 of Agbar Ali Khan, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 811-6-3, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 54.—Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimote Anandmoyi and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 849-6-9. Share No. 5 of Raj Chandra Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Isvar Chandra Rai, Bharat Chandra Rai, Srimote Amala, Srimote Pyari, Nanda Kumar Rai, Raj Chandra Rai, Gour Hari Kanungoe, Bhairab Chandra Das, Bisvambar De, Kali Kumar De, Bhairab Chandra, Jugal Kishor, Bisvambar Mahajan, and Kali Kumar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 256-12-10; share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari, Kukur Chand Nan, Krishnomoni, Srimote Perati, Bisvambar Mahajan and Kali Kumar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 66-1-3; and share No. 24 of Brajo Mohun, Bishwanath, *alias* Baidyanath, Brejo Mohun, Bholanath, Ghoneshyam, Hara Das Kanungoe, Jan Bibi, Kalicharan, Udayachand, Ulmila, Ranjit Ram, Ram Das, Ram Kishore, Ram Dayal De, Ram Dayal, Ram Dulal, Siva Das Kanungoe, Tonurám, Mrityunjai *alias* Jugal Kishor, Ram Dayal De, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, Shekh Mahamed Assanullah Chowdhry, Pitambar Potdar, Kali Kumar Bhattacharjya, Kamal Kumar, minor, Bisvambar De, and Kali Kumar De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 35-15-10, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 55.—Taraf Aziz Nassarat; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 791-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 127.—Kismat Anandamoye, Jeban Krishno Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishor; recorded proprietors Ram Kumar, Kishori Mohun, Nityananda Rai, Pratab Chandra Rai, and Anandamoyi; sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-10. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 391.—Taraf Bashanta Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Bashanta Ram, Ram Jiban, Ram Chandra, Gouri Charan, Deboo, Shib Charan, Chamaru, Komar Ali, Mohobollah, Agbar, Doman, Magon Das Potdar, Mahamed Daim, Jaffer Ali, Judhishtir Mahajan, Madan Mohan, Bishnupriya, Kamar Ali, Somod Ali, Korban Ali, Ram Shebok, Ramjai, Baisnab Charan Chaudhuri, Gour Chandra Das Chowdry, Pyari Mohun Das Das, Shonaullah, Sharot Chandra Das; sudder jumma Rs. 557-14-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 396.—Taraf Baksha Ali; recorded proprietors Nyamatullah, Nassu, Sher Khan, Dewan Ali, Nurollah, Fatteh Ali, Shamsher Ali, Umar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 937-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Bassir Hanif; recorded proprietor Mossumat Jahiranissa Khanam; sudder jumma Rs. 513. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 467.—Taraf Braja Lal; recorded proprietors Braja Lal, Ram Dayal, Kali Das, Brindaban, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Abid, Damodar Mohanta, Ramjan Ali, Warish, Gouri Shunkor, Ram Sharan Sarkar, Mahamed Jomil, Chandi Din Shukul, Raj Chandra Kerani, Nil Kamal and Akhil Chandra Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 508-7-3, The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 486.—Taraf Barai Charan; recorded proprietors Golam Ali and Hyder Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 502-9-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 522.—Kismat Bisheshwari, Babait Traf Gouri Sanker Kanangoe; recorded proprietors Mrityunjai, and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,228-13-4. Share No. 3 of Prasunna Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Sen, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Dataram Chowdhry, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Sarat Chandra, Jagat Chandra, Juramoni Bhattacharjya, Boloram Bhattacharjya, Shyama Sundari, Karam Ali, Arban Ali, Ram Goti Chakravarthi, Krish Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra Anandamoyi, and Kailas Chandra Rai Kanungoe; bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,032-3-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 746.—Taraf Sipi Dowlut; recorded proprietor Shekh Abdullah Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 2,930-1-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 764.—Taraf Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Chandra Prabha, Narayani, Muktakeshi, Srimoti Ambabati, Gurudas, Baisnab Charan, Kali Das, Mohesh Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra, Tarini Charan, Pitambar, Lokomudra, Ram Sundar, Muraridhar, Abdul Ali, Belayet Ali, Abdul Ali, Azgar Ali, Ahassan Ali, Nanagazi, Durga Kripa Rai, Ram Kinkar Purohit, Mirhan Ali, Golam Ali, Arop Ali, Pyari Mohun, Syama Charan Rai, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailash Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romesh Charan Rai, Shristidhar Khansama, Agbar Ali, Parbatti Charan, Udaya Chand Bosu, Nur Ali, Gopi Nath, Dataram, Chandra Kola, Chandra Kola, Syama Charan Rai and Uma Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,905-3-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 805.—Taraf Dullab Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Nemai Charan Nundi, Fakir Chand Nundi, Srimote Bishnupriya, on part of her minor sons Prossanna Kumar and Kamal Kumar Nundi, Bishnupriya and Pitambar Shaha; sudder jumma Rs. 819. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 942.—Nilam Fakirchand; recorded proprietors Uma Charan Chowdhry, Gour Hari, Degambar, Pyari Mohun, and Ambica Charan Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 646-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1017.—Taraf mouza Garangya, Babait taraf Mangad Ram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Hamed Khan, Gaja Raj Senha, Omrao Senha, and Taran Senha Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 2,015-5-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Kahat Khan; recorded proprietor Romes Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1024.—Taraf Gobinda Anandi; recorded proprietors Chhatranarayon; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,061-13-1. Share No. 10 of Chhatranarayon, Darpanarayon, Mahamed Ashrof, Ramjai, Ramjai, Ram Chandra Datta, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Sheik Mahamed Assanullah, and Shekh Mahamed Rohimullah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 707-14-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gouri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share No. 1 of Gour Chandra Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 54-6-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1119.—Taraf Hari Shona; recorded proprietors Azimuddin, Hassan Ali, Kartik, Kanuram Mahajan Mobarek Ali, Mahamed Daem Nazir, Mahamed Makim, Nanni, Lokiatullah, Bosson Bibi, and Oliullah; sudder jumma Rs. 1,539-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1143.—Taraf mouza Harina, Babait taraf Mangatram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan, Abdul Ali, and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 692-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6; share No. 1 of Warish Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9; share No. 2 of Mahamed Somid, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 91-0-6; share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 51-7-5; share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-2; No. 5 of Yassin Khan, Amir Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9. No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-3; No. 7 of Bishwanath Surma, sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6; and the remaining share No. 9 of Alaka, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,265-7-8, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1242.—Taraf Imambaksha; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari and Abdul Ali Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 697-5-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1269.—Taraf Jashmanta Singha; recorded proprietors Fatteh Ali, Magon Potdar, Umar Ali, Shaffar Ali, Sarang, and Fatteh Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-10-2. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1281.—Taraf Joynarayan Kerani; auction purchasers Sarat Chandra Monohar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 563-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1285.—Taraf Jorip Mahamed; recorded proprietors Jan Bibi, Mahamed Bashirullah Choudhuri and Ram Kanto Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 784-3-1. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1363.—Taraf Jadu Madan; recorded proprietors Ali Raja and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,227-14-9. Share No. 1 of Lal Singh, auction purchaser Shekh Assanulla Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 571-14-5; and share No. 2 of Ali Raja, Ram Krishna, Shib Narayan, and Shib Lochan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 656-0-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1513.—Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Anandamoye, Mahamaya; sudder jumma Rs. 853-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1546.—Taraf Karkan Roshan; recorded proprietor Baishnab Charan Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 616-7-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1552.—Taraf K. Fernandez; recorded proprietors J. D. Barros, Nityanunda Rukhit, Parbote Charn Rukhit, and Ram Sundar; sudder jumma Rs. 1,640-5-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1671.—Taraf Keoja Hoashang; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 1,129-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1714.—Nilam Lakhinarayan; recorded proprietors Ram Doyal Choudhry, Rahamat, Warish; sudder jumma Rs. 1,199-15-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1747.—Taraf Manohar Rai Choudhry; recorded proprietors Ramjai De, Srimote Anundamoye, Ram Kumar Roy, Hara Sundari, Raj Mangal Rai, Anundamoye, Syama Sundari, Roghunandan, Ram Kumar Roy, Durga Kripa Rai, Nityanunda Rai, Pran Krishna Rai, Bonomali De, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romes Chandra Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoye, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoyi, Anandamoyi, Pratab Chandra Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,491-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1751.—Taraf Modon Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Lakhi Kanta Datta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 688-6-5. Share No. 1 of Lakhi Kanta Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 55-13-3; No. 2 of Ram Hari Datta, sudder jumma Rs. 52-7-1; No. 4 of Kosholya Debya, sudder jumma Rs. 141-10-1; and share No. 5 of Bisvambar Shaha, Ram Ballob Shaha, Guru Das, Ram Komal De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 424-11-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1884.—Taraf Mahamed Sona Mir; recorded proprietor Shekh Hashmat Ali Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 785-10-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1887.—Taraf Mahamed Raja Mir; recorded proprietors Uma Charan, Gour Hari, Digambar Pyari Mohan, Ambika Charan Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1894.—Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 560-1-0. Share No. 1 of Syam Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 135-8-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1900.—Taraf Mahamed Monohar; recorded proprietors Alfa Bibi, Ahamadullah, Chand Bibi, Etbar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2099.—Kismat Muraridhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, Babait Taraf Gouri Shankor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimate Annapurna Thekurani, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar Sarat Chandra, Anandamoyi, Jagat Chandra, Latoo Miya, Umed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,230-3-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2201.—Kismat Naziruddin Ahmed, Babait Taraf Hossan Wali; recorded proprietor Naziruddin Ahmed; sudder jumma Rs. 1,227-6-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2203.—Taraf Nossim Choudhury; recorded proprietors Jan Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 659-7-6. Share No. 2 of Yakup Ali Choudry, Abdul Rozok, Abdul Bari, and Abdul Golil, minor, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 49-7-3-0; and No. 3 of Jan Ali, Mohesh Chandra, Ramjan Ali, Nityanunda Sen, Gour Chandra Rudra, Nityanunda, Jan Ali, Jagat Chandra Sen, and Wahed Ali, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 362-11-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2368.—Taraf Waz, Abdul Hossen; recorded proprietors Shekh Jaker Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 731-11-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2389.—Taraf Paran Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Ulmila, Fakir Chand Nundi, Chandra Kanta Pal, Nokuleshwar Pal and Bakreshwar Pal; sudder jumma Rs. 601-3-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2411.—Kismat Pravabati, Babait Taraf Braja Kishore; recorded proprietors Abdul Khoyer Mahamed Mahassom Billa and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 667-11-10. Share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and of his mother Sharfannissa Tamaliat Khatoon Choudria, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 41-13-10; and share No. 14 of Baishnab Charan Datta, Fatteh Ali, Gour Hari Biswas, Khulan, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Ali, chaprasi, Warish, Nur Bibi Rahamat Syat, Ram Das, Ram Das, Ram Das, Sarat Chandra, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Amir Ali, Nur Mahamed, Tarak Charan Datta, Uma Charan Datta, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Sarat Chandra Waddar on part of Romes Chandra Biswas, and Srimote Nasseban Bibi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 186-11-11, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohun, Guru Das, Hara Das Rai; recorded proprietors Hara Das and others; sudder jumma Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share No. 1 of Kali Kumar, Chandra Kumar, Prasanna Kumar, and Sharada Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 763-1-6; and share No. 2 of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, and Hara Das Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2433.—Taraf Pranbollob; recorded proprietors Jag Mohun and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 944-5-5. Share No. 2 of Jag Mohun, Ram Das Chowdhry, Ramjai Chowdhry, Ram Das Chowdhry, Gobordhan Dhar, Abhaya Charan and Srimate Parameshwari, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 708-4-1, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2542.—Taraf Raja Ambika; recorded proprietor Akbar Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 608-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2544.—Taraf Ram Mohun Sen; recorded proprietors Bisvambar Sen, Kasi Chandra Sen, and Golok Chandra Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 884-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Annapurna, Jagat Chandra, Tarak Chandra, Assad Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7; share No. 12 of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemanta Ram De, Chaitanya Charan and Pran Hari Lala, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 163-.2, and share No. 35 of Ram Dhan Barnik, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2565.—Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 819-1-7; share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 70, No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar and Shekh Dhonu Shadagar, sudder jumma Rs. 358-7-9, and share No. 5 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Baisnab Charan Chowdhry, Gour Kishor, Gouri Mohun Biswas, Jaduram Thakur, Lolita, Modhuram, Udaya Tara Paran Das Chowdhry, Ram Joy Boidya, Ram Das Sarma, Ram Dhan, Prem Narayan, Ram Chandra Biswas, Radha Ram, Ruhi Das Pal, Shamsher Ali, Sasti Chandra, Srimate Pran Kishori, Rukkini, Nara Sinha Surma, Digambar Bangze, Bodhan Biswas, Pran Hari Laha, Karim Baksha and Baisnab Charan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 119-13-7, will be sold

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2566.—Kismat Ram Dulal Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 823-4-10; share No. 2 of Krishna Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 156-15 and the remaining share No. 4 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Brindaban Bhairab Chandra, Kanungoe, Lolita, Mohesh Chandra, Mrityun Jai, Nava Kishor Dastidar, Nyamat Ali, Ram Lochan, Ram Jai, Ram Das, Ramgoti, Ram Das, Shamsher Ali, Udoy Nath De, Ram Kinu De, Kashi Prasad Tewari, Shubal Chundra Roy and Jiban Krisna Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 107-0-7, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2588.—Nilam Ram Mohun, Imam Shorip; recorded proprietors Srimoti Pran Kishori, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Kashi Shwari; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2861.—Taraf Sadaram Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Kishori Mohan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,097-3-2; share No. 2 of Kishori Mohun Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 549-3-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2929.—Taraf Shachi Roshan; recorded proprietors Rustum Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 752-11; share No. 1 of Shekh Sadak Ali Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-3 and No. 2 of Karamat Ali Chowdhry, sudder jumma Rs. 188-2-9, and share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-4, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2933.—Taraf Shachi Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Aitton and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 826-14-3; share No. 1 of Ooka, Ram Dayal Sen, Srimoti Brajobashi, Jagat Chandra Sen, Tarak Chandra Sen, Babait Malik Gopal Das Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Rasick Chandra Sen, Gogan Chandra Sen, Purna Chandra Sen, Akhil Chandra Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Gagan Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 125-10-11; share No. 6 of Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, auction purchaser babait histcha Pran Krisna, Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, Golok Chandra Kanungoe, babait malik Gopinath, Pyari Mohun and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 18-3-3; share No. 8 of Srimoti Tarakishwari babait malik Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 8-5-6, share No. 37 of Srimoti Purna Dasi babait malik Gopi Nath, Ram Dulal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 8-11-0; share No. 38 of Srimoti Narayani, *alias* Bashi babait malik Lakshmi Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 9-13-9; share No. 39 of Srimati Oloka Sundari babait malik Nimai Charn Kanungoe, recorded proprietors Oloka Sundari, Ram Ram Dayal Das, Tara Das Das and Nunda Kumar Das, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 11-3-1; and share No. 46 of Shekh Assanullah Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 102-4-5, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3054.—Taraf Shiba Durga Sharam Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Brindaban, Krishna, Mohan Ghosal, Brindaban Mazumadar, Srimoti Anandamoyi, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohan Rai, Srimoti Tareni, Pratap Chandra Rai, Nityanunda Rai, sudder jumma Rs. 2,942-8-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3098.—Taraf Shurat Sinha; recorded proprietors Mohes Chandra, Shib Ratna Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 669-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3125.—Taraf Srimanta Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,737-12-0; share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan, recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan, Boidya Nath, Ananda Mohun Naha, Srimoti Waz Khatun, Jan Ali Chowdhry, Boidya Nath Sen, Syam Sundar Sen, Raj Chandra Sen and Bangsi Mohun Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 843-13-9, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3880.—Taraf Shekh Obedullah, Shekh Mahamed Ossi, Shekh Mahamed Ali; recorded proprietors Armana Bibi, Aman Ali, Bonnijan, Abdullah Khan and Mahamed Boshirullah Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 678-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhab; recorded proprietors Balak Das Mohanta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4; share No. 1 of Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs 441-14-2, and share No. 5 of Balak Das Mohanta and Monohar Das Mohanta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 468-6-7, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Baraghona.

No. 13407.—Taluq Gouri Sankar, Baidya Nath; recorded proprietors Srimati Lolita Thakurani and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 701-4-3; share No. 2 of Lolita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 350-10-1 10 kranta, will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which the remaining proprietors have opened separate accounts under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Ramu, mouzah Rajarkul.

No. 23916.—Taluq Obedullah, Shekh Badiaz Zama, Dewan Bibi, Assalat Khan; recorded proprietors Fazal Ahmed Chowdhry, minor and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 963-11-3; share No. 2 of Assalat Khan, Srimati Thanda Bibi, Agbar Ali Khan, Assad Ali Khan, Choonnoo Jan Nuran Nissa and Amiran Nessa, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 662-9-2 will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Chakaria, mouzah Shurazpur.

No. 33534.—Taluq Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Shilkope.

No. 33673.—Kaimi taluq Anwar Ali Babait, ijara Azgar Ali, Aman Ali; recorded proprietor Shekh Mahamed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 612-2-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Tripura Charan and Annada Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878. G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, under Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Khurushkhul.

No. 41.—Taluq Srimati Tajannissa; recorded proprietor Tajannissa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,904-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Totak-khali.

No. 48.—Taluq Jaffer Ali; recorded proprietor Srimati Tajannissa Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 627-5-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Chakmarkul.

No. 84.—Taluq Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; recorded proprietors Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 835-6-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Ukhiarghona.

No. 142.—Taluq Magan Das Chaudhuri, Indranarain Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipriya, Manorama; recorded proprietors Baidya Nath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 575-14-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bhomoriaghona.

No. 160.—Taluq Kamalapuru; recorded proprietors Baidyanath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 531-13-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Isakhali.

No. 168.—Taluq Mobarek Ali; auction purchasers Fazal Ali and Fazal Ali 2nd; sudder jumma Rs. 508-1-6 The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Pokekhali.

No. 170.—Taluq Gauri Sankar, Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Alifabanu and Abdul Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 506-13-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Choufaldandi.

No. 173.—Taluq Aman Chaudhuri; recorded proprietor Mussamut Tajannessa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-9-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bharwakhali.

No. 177.—Taluq Mahomed Raja, Jamsher Ali; recorded proprietor Jaffer Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,000-3-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Bheolamanikchar.

No. 274.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Magon Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 757-10-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Barabakia.

No. 286.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Shekh Dewan Ali Chaudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 687-9-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Baraitoli.

No. 293.—Taluq Ali Mahomed Sikdar; occupant Roshan Ali Darogah, Mahomed Ashrof and Mahomed Azim; sudder jumma Rs. 2,270-6-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Harbang.

No. 295.—Taluq Lal Mahomed Daroga; recorded proprietors Lal Mahomed Daroga; and Srimati Jamal Hossen Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 941-1-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Pinchari.

No. 304.—Taluq Krishna Rangit, auction purchaser Madhuram Bahaddar; sudder jumma Rs. 500-14-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Chambal.

No. 307.—Taluq Srimati Tajanissa Chaudhuri, babait taluq Aminullah, Karimullah, auction purchaser Hassen Ali, registered proprietor Farkanda Bakhta and Ohidal Alam; sudder jumma Rs. 1,193-4-10. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza South Nkillah.

No. 460.—Taluq Srimati Khamah Chaudhuria, Srimati Umari Chaudhuria, Lhatong Choudhuri Lhapoe Choudhuri, Lhapochu Chaudhuri, Srimati Chymerao Chaudhuria, babait taluq Fando, auction purchaser Ishan Chandra Das; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 677-11-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Town, mouza Char Shabek Bakalia.

No. 559.—Taluq Ahmed Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi; recorded proprietors Ahmad Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi and Mahomed Noshim Sadagar; sudder jumma Rs. 686-4-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Fattikchari, mouza Kanchannagar.

No. 635.—Taluq Srimati Ronu Debya; recorded proprietor Dewan Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 890-15-8. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza Teknaaf.

No. 1401.—Taluq Khepong Chaudhuri, Ampuru, Man, Srimati Lan, Srimati Chymepori, Angri Chaudhuri, Kasim Ali, auction purchasers Akhil Chandra Nandi and Abhoya Charan Ghos; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 699-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878. G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

; following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' import warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act.

of removal Import rehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
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18	1 Case, J S in a diamond, top P P, bottom C ...	Order ...	S. S. Deccan.
19	8 Cases, S. S. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	2 Cases, 675 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	6 Packages, 363 in a diamond, top C L, bottom L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	3 Packages, 244 in a diamond, top C & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	1 Case, D. & Co. in a triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	4 Cases, 10 in a double triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	3 Packages, addressed	Henry Figg, Esq., Chief Engineer, Writers Buildings	Ditto.
21	1 Case, addressed	Captain C. Herbert, A.D.C., care of Messrs. King and Co.	Ditto.
21	2 Bales, L. W. T. & Co., bottom R	Order ...	Ditto.
21	2 Cases, L & Co., with ½ below in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	1 Case, L & C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	1 Case, L. S. & Co, with N below in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	1 Case, addressed	J. C. Lacy, Agra ...	Ditto.
21	1 Case, L & C	Order .	Ditto.
21	1 Case, addressed	Officer Commanding 65th Regiment, Dinapore.	Ditto.
21	1 Case, addressed	Mr. E. Pope, Etawah	Ditto.
21	1 Case, addressed	Resident, Mess Committee, Peshawar.	Ditto.
21	1 Case, R B R in a diamond, bottom T ...	Order ...	Ditto.
21	2 Cases, S E C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	2 Bales, U S C H in a cross	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21	1 Case, addressed	Messrs. Watson Summers.	Ditto.
21	1 Package, addressed	G. F. Runge, Orchestra Viceroy.	Ditto.
21	20 Drums, J B T C in a diamond, outside T H S L.	Order ...	Ship Lady Belhaven.
20	1 Case, addressed	H. T. Alsopp, Esq., 10th Royal Hussars, Rawal Pindee, Bengal.	S. S. Malwa.
20	6 Packages, 244 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Order ...	Ditto.
20	5 Cases, M. & Co. in a triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20	2 Weights, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20	1 Case, addressed	Col. Paget, 34th Regiment, Chanbattia, Ranikhet, N.-W. P.	Ditto.
20	1 Case, S. & Co.	Order ...	Ditto.
20	15 Packages, S F in a diamond, outside S B D S ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
20	1 Case, 10 in a double triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20	1 Sample Case, addressed	Dr. Beaumont, care of P. & O. Co.'s Agent.	Ditto.
20	2 Packages, M J C	Order ...	Ditto.
17	1 Case, B C M in a diamond	Ditto ...	S. S. City of Khios.
17	2 Cases, F O in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	1 Case, G D K in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	100 Cases. H A in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co....	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	6 Iron Bolts, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	30 Angle Bars, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	2 Iron Pipes, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	1 Case, R M B D in a diamond, outside W C S K	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	6 Cases, T C L in a diamond, bottom Lucknow ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	3 Casks, T in a diamond, outside W B D ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	1 Case, E M B in a diamond, outside W C K ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	2 Cases, C M B M in a diamond, outside W C S K	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	1 Case, B N G P in a diamond, outside W C S K ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

ALCUTTA, the 28th September 1878. (594—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman.*

No. 32A.

FROM
THE AUDITORS OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA,

To
THE COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

Dated Calcutta, the 13th July 1878.

GENTLEMEN,

We have the honor to inform you that we have audited your cash and store accounts for the secor half of the official year 1877-78, and have found them to be correct.

2. The subjoined statement of assets and liabilities shows your financial position at the close of the year:—

ASSETS.	Part I, Jetties.	Part II, Inland Vessels' Wharves.	Part III, Strand Bank Lands.	Part IV, Port Proper.	Part V, Capital account.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. I
Investment for reserve fund	49,382 6 10	.....	.....	3,64,250 0 0	.....	4,13,632 6 1
Ditto insurance fund	23,776 2 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,776 2
Advance account with Part II	70 1 3	.....	.....	.....	.....	70 1
Ditto ditto IV	206 10 8	.....	.....	.....	.....	206 10
Ditto ditto V	1,028 12 3	59,951 10 0	.....	71,484 15 4	.....	1,32,465 5
Hooghly bridge advance account	134 4 9	.....	.....	.....	.....	134 4
Suspense account	799 11 0	648 15 6	.....	.....	.....	1,448 10
Government promissory notes of depositors...	19,300 0 0	14,000 0 0	1,200 0 0	.....	.....	34,500 0
Advance account with Part III	.....	12 14 3	.....	.....	16 2 0	29 0
Ditto ditto I	.....	.....	161 11 0	.....	.....	161 11
Advance account for repayment of loans ..	3,04,110 9 0	1,31,168 8 9	37,781 12 11	4,107 15 4	.....	4,77,168 14
Ditto for new works	10,46,527 15 2	10,84,783 10 11	2,19,797 10 10	1,42,868 0 0	.....	24,93,977 4 1
Investment for depreciation fund	.....	.....	.....	1,71,865 14 4	.....	1,71,865 14
Block	.....	.....	.....	17,53,080 12 2	78,58,494 4 3	96,11,575 0
Depreciation of marine block	.....	.....	.....	2,00,000 0 0	.....	2,00,000 0
Investment for bathing ghât	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,000 0 0	15,000 0
Stock	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,126 15 2	21,126 15
Cash balance	10,454 0 8	12,806 10 0	6,080 2 7	1,17,490 14 3	6,37,204 2 6	7,84,035 14
Total ...	14,55,790 9 7	13,03,372 5 5	2,65,021 5 4	28,25,148 7 5	85,31,841 7 11	1,43,81,174 3
LIABILITIES.						
Net revenue	5,255 9 5	70,211 0 5	4,326 13 7	79,791 11 3	.....	1,59,585 2
Reserve fund	50,000 0 0	.....	.....	3,64,250 0 0	.....	4,14,250 0
Insurance fund to meet damages at jetties ..	23,988 14 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,988 14
Depreciation fund	.....	.....	.....	2,00,000 0 0	.....	2,00,000 0
Advance account with Part I	.....	70 1 3	.....	331 10 8	993 15 3	1,395 11
Ditto ditto II	.....	.....	12 14 3	.....	59,951 10 0	59,964 8
Ditto ditto III	161 11 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	161 11
Ditto ditto IV	.....	.....	.....	.....	71,484 15 4	71,484 15
Ditto ditto V	.....	.....	16 2 0	.....	.....	16 2
Contribution from revenue for new works ...	10,46,527 15 2	10,84,783 10 11	2,19,797 10 10	3,30,948 12 2	25,12,279 4 11	51,94,337 6
Ditto ditto repayment of loans.	3,04,110 9 0	1,31,168 8 9	37,781 12 11	4,107 15 4	4,78,617 13 0	9,55,786 11
Contribution from Government for new road	.....	.....	.....	.....	74,584 0 0	74,584 0
Suspense account	.....	.....	1,385 15 9	.....	.....	1,385 15
Deposits of cash	6,435 14 7	2,700 0 0	500 0 0	927 10 0	.....	9,563 8
Ditto Government promissory notes ..	19,300 0 0	14,000 0 0	1,200 0 0	.....	.....	34,400 0
Establishment allowance from Government for registration of country boats	.....	73 8 3	.....	.....	.....	73 8
Interest on Government securities of depositors.	10 0 0	365 7 10	.....	.....	.....	375 7
Hooghly bridge advance account	.....	.....	.....	.....	71,024 6 6	71,024 6
Loans from Government	.....	.....	.....	17,65,000 0 0	49,30,482 3 0	66,95,482 3
Sale of surplus land for tramway	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,65,369 5 2	2,65,369 5
Sale of building materials dismantled for new road.	.....	.....	.....	.....	48,892 6 9	48,892 6
Bathing ghât to memory of Chuttoo Lall ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,161 8 0	18,161 8
Wreck *Asia*	.....	.....	.....	79,790 12 0	.....	79,790 12
Total ...	14,55,790 9 7	13,03,372 5 5	2,65,021 5 4	28,25,148 7 5	85,31,841 7 11	1,43,81,174 3

3. All the revenue accounts, it will be seen, close with credit balances of larger or smaller amounts, but t transactions for the year 1877-78, considered apart from the accumulations of previous years, have resulted follows:—

	First half-year.	Second half-year.	Total for the year.	Surplus.	Deficit.
		PART I.—*Jetties.*			
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Receipts ...	3,91,382 1 0	4,10,518 12 0	8,01,900 13 0		
Expenditure	2,59,797 1 9	5,94,709 0 3	8,54,506 2 0		52,605 5
		PART II.—*Inland Vessels' Wharves.*			
Receipts	2,81,753 13	2,67,383 2	5,49,136 15 9	.....	
Expenditure	1,97,191 3	2,84,650 13	4,81,842 0 0	67,294 15 3	
		PART III.—*Strand Bank Lands.*			
Receipts	66,095 7 0	77,713 6 10	1,42,808 13 10		
Expenditure	51,982 2 7	95,039 15 3	1,47,022 1 10		3,213 4
		PART IV.—*Port Proper.*			
Receipts	2,44,578 11 7	3,65,592 14	6,10,171 9 10	.....	
Expenditure	2,28,589 2 11	3,27,636 11	5,56,225 13 11	53,945 11 11	

4. The year's expenditure, however, as stated in the last paragraph, includes in every case large contributi from revenue for the construction of new works:—

	Rs. A. P.
Part I.—Jetty revenue contributed	3,56,476 8 10
„ II.—Inland Vessels' Wharves contributed	1,81,454 0 0
„ III.—Strand Bank Lands contributed	36,564 0 0
„ IV.—Port Proper contributed	1,16,309 0 0

and we observe that, with few exceptions, the whole of these amounts were withdrawn from the several revenue accounts and paid into the capital account within three or four days of the close of the year, remaining unexpended on the 31st March, the cash balance of the capital account on that date having been Rs. 6,37,204-2-6.

5. In the following cases the orders which have been produced to us in support of the transfers appears to be insufficient for the reasons stated :—

PART I.—*Extension of jetty heads and increase of export sheds, Rs.* 80,000.—This amount has not been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor either in an annual estimate of income and expenditure under section 50 of Act V of 1870, or in a supplemental estimate submitted in the course of the year 1877-78 under section 51; nor, in the absence of such sanction, has the written assent of the Lieutenant-Governor to the excess expenditure been produced under section 52 of the Act. The orders of Government approving the annual estimates for 1878-79, to which we have been referred, contain no reference to the expenditure of former years, and cannot be regarded as sanctioning such expenditure under the sections of the Act which have been cited.

PART II.—*Balance of cost of three locomotives* ... *Rs.* 8,000 } The objection stated above applies to
" II.—*Ditto of new steam road roller* ... " 2,750 } the foregoing charges.

Excess expenditure of Kidderpore wharf, Rs. 12,200.—In this case, besides the above objection, it appears that the plan and estimate of the work, for which the contribution is charged, have not been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor under section 35 of the Act, and no appropriation of funds to meet the cost is therefore admissible. The amount should, in our opinion, be repaid to credit of the revenue account.

PART IV.—*Cost of heave-up boat, Rs.* 10,000.—The sanction of Government is wanting under one of the sections 50 to 52, as explained above.

6. In the account prepared under section 4 of Act III of 1872, showing the proceeds of the property recovered from the wreck *Asia* payable to the owners, we observe that the expenditure incurred by the Commissioners under section 3 of the Act has been held to include the auctioneer's commission on the sale proceeds, and 20 per cent. on such; commission or Rs. 1,137-3-3 has been credited to the revenue account as due to the Commissioners, although only the net amount of the proceeds after deduction of commission was received from the auctioneers and the commission was not *expended* by the Commissioners in the terms of the law.

7. The total expenditure incurred during 1877-78 in constructing a training-wall along the Howrah bank of the river was Rs. 9,112 5-3, and this amount has, we observe, been removed from the Depreciation Fund account (to which, as pointed out in paragraph 3 of our last report, the expenditure did not seem chargeable) and debited to the grant for constructing a retaining wall to Schalch's Wharf. A report on the subject has been submitted to the Government, but the sanction of Government has not been received to the transfer of charge.

8. We subjoin a statement showing the amounts by which your actual receipts and expenditure for the year 1877-78 have either exceeded or fallen short of the budget figures, and we observe that the excesses of expenditure are about to be reported in detail for the sanction of the Govern nent. It would be more in keeping, however, with the provisions of the law if supplemental estimates were submitted for sanction in the course of each year, in the manner prescribed in section 51 of the Act.

	Estimated.	Actuals.	More than estimate.	Less than estimate.
RECEIPTS.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Part I, Jetty revenue	5,95,836	8,01,901	2,06,065	.....
" II, Inland Vessels' Wharves' revenue	1,01,000	5,49,137	1,31,137	.....
" III, Strand Bank lands	1,22,794	1,43,809	21,015	..
" IV, Port Proper	4,36,016	6,10,172	1,74,156	.....
Total	15,72,646	21,05,019	5,32,373	.....
EXPENDITURE.				
PART I.—*Jetties.*				
Proportion of salaries control	35,019	36,115	1,096	.....
Ditto of dredger	11,096	12,257	1,161	.....
Ditto of municipal taxes and repairs of servant's quarters	1,021	1,235	214	.....
Working expenses	65,656	82,063	16,407	.....
Amount transferred to Part V for new works	87,890	3,56,477	2,68,587	.....
Expenditure on Shibpore chur land	.....	1,379	1,379	.....
Ditto making plans for central railway ...	.....	2,820	2,820	.....
Gratuity	.....	1,000	1,000	.....
Miscellaneous headings	.....	266	266	.....
Other headings	3,81,784	3,60,894	.....	20,890
Total ..	5,82,466	8,54,506	2,92,930	20,890
PART II.—*Inland Vessels' Wharves.*				
Proportion of dredger	11,096	12,257	1,161	.....
Ditto salaries control	15,008	15,478	470	.....
Salaries	47,868	58,057	10,189	.....
Working expenses	8,880	10,547	1,667	.....
Ditto of tramway	15,750	26,019	10,269	.....
Repairs	30,000	30,816	816	.....
Amount transferred to Part V for new works	1,30,593	1,81,454	50,861	.....
Miscellaneous headings	409	581	172	.....
Other headings	1,53,934	1,46,633	.....	7,301
Total ...	4,13,538	4,81,842	75,605	7,301

	Estimated.	Actual.	More than estimate.	Less than estimate.
PART III.—*Strand Bank Land.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Proportion of salaries control	5,003	5,159	156	
Salaries	2,032	2,238	206	
Municipal taxes	7,422	7,622	200	
Amount transferred to Part V for new works	.....	36,564	36,564	
Miscellaneous headings	3,000	3,036	36	
Other headings	95,985	92,403		3,582
Total	1,13,442	1,47,022	37,162	3,582
PART IV.—*Port Proper.*				
Proportion of salaries control ...	35,019	36,115	1,096	
Ditto dredger	14,794	16,343	1,549	
Ditto taxes on servants' quarters	1,021	1,235	214	
Repairs of boats and vessels ...	15,000	17,961	2,961	
Working expenses	23,100	35,661	12,561	
Salaries	1,54,597	1,64,797	10,200	
Subscription to District Charitable Society		1,200	1,200	
Amount transferred to Part V for new works		1,16,309	1,16,309	
Mooring chains		9,006	9,006	
Miscellaneous headings		233	233	
Other headings	1,89,796	1,57,365		32,431
Total	4,33,327	5,56,225	1,55,329	32,431

9. In conclusion we remark that the fund which was created in 1872 to cover the depreciation of the port block, having reached the limit of two lakhs of rupees up to which it was to accumulate, after meeting all intermediate charges for the renewal of block, no further transfers from revenue will be necessary to credit of the fund, and the cost of all renewals must in future be met from the revenue account direct.

We have, &c.,

W. WATERFIELD, *Officiating Comptroller-General.*

J. TAYLOR, *Assistant Comptroller-General.*

NOTE.

THE expenditure in excess of authorized sanctions alluded to in the above report has been sanctioned by Government in orders No. 3162, dated 9th September 1878.

G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary to the Port Commissioners.*

PUBLISHED in accordance with the provisions of section 53, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

By order of the Commissioners,

The 27th September 1878. (598—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary to the Port Commissioners.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 26th September 1878.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Total of the week	466 8 3	471 8 9	873 14 0	523 4 3	2,335 3 3	
Total of previous 37 weeks	17,004 4 6	16,548 4 9	31,465 10 3	18,122 2 3	83,140 5 9	
Grand Total	17,470 12 9	17,019 13 6	32,339 8 3	18,645 6 6	85,475 9 0	

CALCUTTA, the 30*th September* 1878. (601—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 23rd Sept. 1878.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000 0 0	Government Securities	1,14,76,473 0 10
Reserve Fund	20,28,120 0 0	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	44,85,152 9 7
Public Deposits at Head Office ... . Rs. 69,13,659 2 9	1,96,60,328 2 1	Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	44,70,104 1 5
Ditto at Branches ... „ 1,27,46,668 15 4		Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches	1,29,86,582 14 2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	2,42,37,782 7 3	Balances with other Banks	7,19,920 14 11
Bank Post Bills, &c.	17,72,833 0 11	Bullion	.....
Sundries	7,45,713 0 7	Dead Stock	9,81,969 12 8
		Stamps	9,125 14 9
		Sundries	2,31,108 12 10
			3,53,60,437 1 2
		Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...Rs. 1,54,44,707 0 8	3,30,84,339 9 8
		Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... „ 1,76,39,632 9 0	
Rupees ...	6,84,44,776 10 10	Rupees ...	6,84,44,776 10 10

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 25th September* 1878.

W. WESTLAND, *Offg. Chief Acctt. and Dy. Secy.* (589—1)

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th September 1878.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS							4½ PER CENT. LOANS					Transferred Loan of 1870, seven Shillings Sterling per cent. Portion.	5 per cent. Debenture for 15 years, Re-payable June 1882.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	Total amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	of 1878.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent Portion.					
Balance of 31st August 1878 ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,46,720	30,89,100	2,38,05,300	1,13,25,700	1,94,55,500	43,59,200	3,36,000	3,06,67,500	46,02,500	.....	...	32,99,000	79,800	5,34,72,000	15,60,34,772
Coupon notes transferred ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000	10,000
ADD—																		
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th September 1878 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000
Ditto at Bombay between 1st and 15th September 1878 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000	26,000	.....	1,200	.....	16,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000	34,800
Ditto at Calcutta between 1st and 15th September 1878 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	81,100	.....	19,000	1,000	.....	21,200	19,000	.....	.....	13,000	.....	.....	1,54,300
TOTAL ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,46,720	30,89,100	2,38,96,400	1,13,28,300	1,94,76,500	43,61,400	3,36,000	3,07,04,700	46,21,500	.....	.....	33,12,000	79,800	5,34,87,000	15,62,35,872
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,71,800	8,800	2,30,000	2,000	.....	97,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,000	12,73,100
Balance on 15th September 1878 ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,46,720	30,89,100	2,30,24,600	1,13,19,500	1,92,46,500	43,59,400	3,36,000	3,06,07,200	46,21,500	.....	.....	33,12,000	79,800	5,34,24,000	15,49,62,772

NOTE—From 9th June 1867 to 15th July 1878—Enfaced from India 2787 lakhs; retransferred from London 2580 lakhs.

"	16th July 1878	to 31st	"	"	"	16	"	"	11 "
"	1st Aug. "	to 15th Aug.	"	"	"	11	"	"	4 "
"	16th " "	to 31st	"	"	"	6	"	"	3 "
"	1st Sept. "	to 15th Sept.	"	"	"	1	"	"	12 "
						2,821			2,610 "
						2,610			
				Balance against India ...		211	"		

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 19th September 1878.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
218	O 34—02495	100	Captain C. Roberts.
219	O 39—17121	10	Wooma Churn Sing.
220	O 28—66895	1000	R. Currie.
221	O 34—13354	100	Ram Gopal Banerjee.
	O 33—61826	100	
	O 18—02354	10	
222	L 92—84209	50	Goorumook Roy Soonder Mull.
225	L 93—61048	50	Messrs. C. Lazarus & Co.
226	O 34—28313	100	Ramkristo Raj Chunder Shaha.
	„ —28315	100	
	„ —28316	100	
228	O 34—55671	100	Gobindo Chunder Mukerjee.
	L 93—52007	50	
229	O 33—95910	100	Issur Chunder Ghose.
	O 5—87282	10	
	L 76—34319	10	
	O 17—32454	10	
	O 16—62580	10	
	L 98—71503	10	
	O 11—49361	10	
	—95954	10	
231	O 23—32333	20	Surbessur Dutt.
	L 31—02785	5	
232	L 93—66140	50	D. F. Mackenzie.
	—66141	50	
	—65384	50	
	—65385	50	
	„ —65386	50	
233	O 15—20735	10	The Deputy Post Master-General, Behar.
234	O 33—57219	100	Major-Genl. J. A. Angus.
236	L 24—41455	5	The Assistant Inspector-General, Government Railway Police, L. P., Howrah.
	L 30—10885	5	
	„ —23561	5	
	O 13—77367	10	
	O 21—05570	20	
237	O 22—69837	20	The Post-Master General, N.-W. Provinces.
238	O 33—49654	100	The Deputy Commissioner, Shillong.
	O 34—15206	100	
	L 94—75417	100	
	„ —17781	100	
	O 33—89176	100	
	L 84—57392	100	
	O 33—45287	100	
	„ —89178	100	
	L 83—55572	100	
239	L 93—55104	50	Rev. W. Nowack.
	—55105	50	
241	O 23—71351	20	Rajendra Nath Biswas.
	O 16—50675	10	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
237	O 29—09447	1000	Gunga Pershad.
	O 27—71878	500	
	„ —78377	500	
	O 33—75341	100	
	L 94—29477	100	
	L 93—20114	50	
	L 91—76148	20	
	O 21—57072	20	
	O 9—53694	10	
	L 21—63503	5	
238	O 27—68661	500	Bahadoor Sing, Protap Sing, Rai Dhunput Sing, Bahadoor.
	O 34—18157	100	
	„ —17742	100	
	O 33—64876	100	
	„ —84753	100	
	L 94—85231	100	
	L 93—45049	50	
	„ —41791	50	
	„ —40574	50	
	L 92—88651	50	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
239	L 93—22626	50	J. J. Watson.
240	L 30—92093	5	J. C. M. Forbes.
241	A 6—36290	10	Khetter Mohan Chackravarti.
242	L 84—87827	100	Revd. W. Nowack.
	O 33—55346	100	
	L 93—23616	50	
243	O 6—25409	10	Mrs. M. Bryning.
244	L 28—20035	5	Nobin Chunder Ghose.
245	L 82—55736	100	Moonshee Shah Laharee.
246	L 46—13231	20	G. Thompson.
247	L 94—89996	100	Srimuti Surnomoye Dabee.
	„ —51719	100	
	„ —79784	100	
	„ —87932	100	
	„ —79948	100	
248	O 17—61813	10	The Sooba of Towarghar.
249	L 93—28173	50	Revd F. Krüger.
	O 23—64465	20	
	O 7—60217 to „ —60236	10 each.	
250	O 4—78739	20	J. H. Prinsep, C.S.
	O 18—36742	10	
251	O 1—58435	10	Modhu Sudan Neyogi.
252	L 30—21076	5	Pran Kissen Dey.
253	O 24—08163	20	Messrs. Sree Nauth Paun & Co.
	O 11—34718	10	
254	L 16—27527	5	Preo Nath Mitter.
	—27524	5	
255	O 13—18067	10	Hury Das Bysack.
256	O 15—19357	10	J. Burgh.
	O 19—45012	10	
257	O 33—76994	100	Lt.-Col. F. E. A. Chamier.
258	O 17—61832	10	The Post-Master General, N.-W. Provinces
	„ —61833	10	
	„ —61834	10	
259	L 17—83834	5	Haris Chunder Sarma.
260	L 72—20918	10	Rev. F. Krüger.
261	O 16—65176	10	Amore Chand Das.
262	O 22—24434	20	Head Constable Bance Nath Bose.
263	L 30—90823	5	Allah Rakha Mollah.
141	O 21—61262	20	Sherup Sing Borkundaj.
	O 4—05826		
143	L 99—89931	10	Kanye Lal Seel.
	L 59—05516		
	L 73—22848		
	„ —22850		
	L 20—68361		
	„ —68362		
	L 17—45487		
	—45483		
	L 21—28365		
	„ —28366		
144	L 30—69928	5	Jadu Nath Pan.
	—69926		
147	O 8—80182	10	Khan Chund Chutta Mull.
	O 9—14072		
75	L 11—73803	5	Roop Lal Roghoonath Das.
	73804		
146	L 27—17676	5	Baney Pershad.
	-17675		
149	L 27—65778	5	Messrs. Aubinash Chunder Dey & Co.
	D 12—06138		
150	L 39—29333	10	Grish Chunder Chatterjee
	„ —29332		
	L 11—24135	5	
	„ —24129		
151	L 31—14247	5	The Post Master, Dacca.
	„ —14248		
152	O 10—87246	10	Jadub Chunder Mitter.
	—87249		
153	L 88—70754	10	Shaik Hajeetoolah.
	—70749		
154	L 17—78986	5	Hurro Mohan Bhurjo.
	—78985		
155	L 26—36297	5	Chundi Churn Halder.
	—36295		
156	O 10—53683	10	Lt.-Col. Winson, S.C.
	—53682		
157	O 16—85468	10	Gobind Chunder Banerjee.
	O 13—86968		

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		RS.	
159	L 25—75056 " —75055	5	Jogodis Chunder Bysack.
160	L 62—10389 " —10391	10	Hridoya Krisna Ghose.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 24th September 1878.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

THE Public are hereby informed that the well known Kartick Baruni Mela, which is held on the banks of the Dhaleshwari, near Munshigunge, in the Dacca district, will commence on the 9th November 1878 A.D., corresponding with the 24th Kartick 1285 B.S., and continue to the 8th December, corresponding with the 23rd Ugrahayan. Tradesmen, dealers, and others may, during this month, buy and sell there with advantage.

Notification.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

IRRIGATION,—ESTABLISHMENT.

Dated 28th September 1878.

Notification.—The following boys, having passed the competitive examination, have been appointed by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor apprentices in the Dehree Training School for mechanics:—

No.	Names.	Place where educated.
	W. W. B. DeGruyther	Memorial School, Cawnpore.
	W. Macdonald ..	St. Peter's College, Agra.
	J. E Jones .	Memorial School, Cawnpore.
	F. W. Gwyther ..	La Martiniere, Calcutta.
	C. Hynes ..	Palaneram School, Madras Presidency.
	W. C. D'Noronha ..	Memorial School, Cawnpore.
	A. Sheels ..	Lawrence Asylum, Sanawar.
	D. Bates ..	Free School, Calcutta.
	S. P. Dass	Uttarpara English School.
10	Dasurathi Banerjee	Baduria School.
11	P. O Wight ...	St. James's School, Calcutta.
12	R. H. Pierce ..	St. Peter's College, Agra.
	C. S. Smith .	Lawrence Asylum, Sanawar.

D. B. HORN,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot
22 " " 2-12 "
23 " " 2-14 "
24 " " 3 "

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at " 2-4 "
Under 7 feet, at " 2 "

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

The 1st June 1877.

Notice.

The 9th September 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government steamer *Pioneer*, which has been plying experimentally as a passenger vessel with a passenger boat in tow between Cuttack and Chandbally and *vice versâ*, will continue to ply, until further notice, between those places, taking up and setting down passengers, &c., at intermediate stations on the way.

The time of starting from Cuttack and Chandbally, and the fares and rates for goods, are noted below.

The *Pioneer* will leave the Jobra Lock Ghaut, from and after the 1st August 1878, every Tuesday, and Chandbally Ghaut every Thursday, at 4 P.M., but the time of leaving Chandbally will be modified to suit the arrival of the Calcutta steamer.

FARES CUTTACK TO CHANDBALLY.

1st class passengers Rs. 25, including two servants and four maunds luggage.

2nd class passengers Rs. 10, including one servant and two maunds luggage.

3rd class passengers Rs. 2, including one servant and half maund luggage.

Packages will be charged at rates ranging from 4 annas to one rupee each according to size; but bales and large light cases will be charged by measurement, at Rs. 7 per ton of 50 cubic feet.

Heavy packages of small bulk at Rs. 7 per ton of 28 maunds. Palkee on deck Rs. 5.

FARES TO INTERMEDIATE STATIONS.

	1st Class.			2nd Class.			3rd Class.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Cuttack to Jagutpore	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	1	0
Ditto to Barbaria	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
Ditto to Kendupatna	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	0
Ditto to Dhanpora	7	0	0	3	0	0	0	7	0
Ditto to Kendrapara	8	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0
Ditto to Patamundee	12	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0
Ditto to Hunsua	16	0	0	7	0	0	1	4	0
Ditto to Chandbally	25	0	0	10	0	0	2	0	0

To intermediate places between those shown above no extra fare will be charged.

The above rates are for passage only on board the steamer *Pioneer*; but a khansamah with cooking utensils and crockery will be maintained on board, who will make his own charges for messing 1st and 2nd class passengers, the former not to exceed Rs. 3 and the latter Re. 1½ per diem per head. First class passengers are prohibited hereafter from making their own arrangements.

Goods for the present will only be booked for Cuttack, Kendupatna, Kendrapara, Patamundee, Hunsua, and Chandbally at the following rates:—

RATES FOR PACKAGES.

				Rs.	A.	P.
Cuttack to Kendupatna,	ans. 1 to 4	according to size:	per ton	1	8	0
Ditto to Kendrapara,	" 2 to 6	ditto	ditto ...	2	4	0
Ditto to Patamundee,	" 3 to 8	ditto	ditto .	3	8	0
Ditto to Hunsua,	" 4 to 12	ditto	ditto ...	5	8	0
Ditto to Chandbally	" 4 to Re. 1	ditto	ditto ...	7	6	0

From Chandbally to Cuttack the fares and rates for goods will be the same as those shown above from Cuttack to Chandbally.

RATES AND FARES TO INTERMEDIATE STATIONS.

	Packages, each.	Per ton.			1st class.			2nd class.			3rd class.		
	Ans.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Chandbally to Hunsua	1 to 4	1	8	0	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	0
Ditto to Patamundee	2 to 6	3	4	0	12	0	0	5	0	0	0	12	0
Ditto to Kendrapara	3 to 8	4	0	0	16	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	0
Ditto to Dhanpore ..	.....		...		18	0	0	8	0	0	1	2	0
Ditto to Kendupatna	4 to 12	5	8	0	20	0	0	9	0	0	1	8	0
Ditto to Cuttack ..	4 to Re. 1	7	0	0	25	0	0	10	0	0	2	0	0

No extra charges will be made for passengers or goods being landed at intermediate places between those noted above.

The steamer has accommodation for four first class and 30 third class or deck passengers, and the boat for six second class and ten third class or deck passengers.

The Government do not hold themselves responsible for delay, detention, or unforeseen accidents, but every effort will be made to ensure safety and keep good time, and avoidance of detention or delay in going to and returning from Chandbally.

D. B. HORN,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

Government Cinchona Febrifuge.

AN EFFICIENT SUBSTITUTE FOR QUININE

PRICE to the general public rupees twenty per poun tin. To Government Officers for Government pu poses, and to wholesale purchasers of not less tha twenty pounds, rupees sixteen and annas eight pe pound. Postage of each tin annas twelve extra. Cas to accompany all orders.

Apply to Superintendent, Botanical Garden, Howrah, near Calcutta.

Wanted

BY the District Road Cess Committee of Purneah a District Engineer on a salary of Rs. 500 pe mensem. Travelling allowances in accordance with th rules of the Department of Public Works will also b paid. None need apply who do not possess the necessar qualifications of an Executive Engineer of the Publi Works Department. Applications will be received b the undersigned up to 15th October 1878.

J. A. HOPKINS, *Chairman, District Road Cess Committee.*

PURNEAH, the 27th September 1878. (595—3

WANTED a District Engineer for the District Roa Cess Committee, Julpigoree, on a salary of Rs. 25 per mensem, rising by biennial increment of Rs. 25 t Rs. 300, with travelling allowance of Rs. 3 per diem, fo every 24 hours during which the District Engineer i absent from head-quarters at a greater distance tha 5 miles from the station on duty. The applicants to hav the qualifications of an Assistant Engineer of the Publi Works Department. Applications will be received b the Chairman till the 31st proximo, to be accompanie with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned.

A security of Rs. 1,000 only is required.

(597—2) E. G. LILLINGSTON, *Chairman.*

Seventh Municipal Election.

THE following statement gives the result of th election under Act IV (B.C.) of 1876 held on th 28th September 1878.

WARD No. 15.

One Commissioner to be elected.

Candidate.	Residence.	Profession.	Number of votes recorded	REMARKS
F. F. Wyman, Esq.	Hare Street	Editor		Elected.

Published under section 17 of Act IV (B.C.) of 1876.

(600—1) R. TURNBULL, *Secy. to the Corporation.*

THE undermentioned currency notes and gold orna ments, supposed to be stolen property, are lying a the Sub-Divisional Office, Raneegunge, for identifica tion, viz.—

Currency Note No.	L-92—94011	... Rs. 50
	L-91—96614	20
	O-20—80052	20
	O-6— 33417	10
	L-30—69086	5
	L-29—62574	5
,, ,,	L-30—63113	5

One bracelet.
One necklace.

H. SAVAGE, *Joint-Magistrate, Raneegunge.*

(599—3)

Notice

IS hereby given that Government currency notes as follows were stolen from the Residency, Shillong. Any persons to whom the same or any of them may bo presented will oblige by communicating with the Deputy Commissioner, Shillong :—

O-33—49654	...	8th April 1875.
L-94—17781	...	8th January ,,
O-33—45287	..	8th April
O-34—15206	...	8th July
O-33—89176	...	8th April
O-33—89178	..	8th ,,
O-94—75417	...	8th January ,,
L-84—57392	...	4th April 1874.
L-83—55572	...	8th October ,,

JEBBON ROY, *Offg. Extra Asst Commr. in charge.*

DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, SHILLONG, the 21st Sept. 1878.

In the goods of Alexander Elder, deceased Statutory Notice to Creditors.

PURSUANT to "the Trustees' and Mortgagees Powers' Act, 1866," notice is hereby given that al persons having claims against the estate of the deceased late a Commander of the India General Steam Navi gation Company's steamer *Rajmahal*, who died a Tezpore, in Assam, on the 6th day of August 1877, an probate of whose will was granted to Dixon Shields of Bagoola, Eastern Bengal Railway, one of the executors on the 8th September 1877, by the High Court, Calcutta are hereby required to send in writing the particular of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 15tl day of December 1878, after which date the sai executor will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor has then had notice. Dated this 10th day of September 1878.

SANDERSON & Co., *Solicitors for the said Executor.*

No. 2, CHURCH LANE, CALCUTTA. (560—3)

Estate Charles Miller, deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to "The Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Charles Miller, late Chief Magistrate of the Town of Calcutta and Barrister at Law, who died at St. Jean de Luz, Basses Pyrenees, in France, on the 7th day of June 1878, and Letters of Administration of whose property and credits were granted to me, the undersigned, A. B. Miller, one of the brothers and next of kin of the said deceased, on the 12th September 1878, by the High Court, Calcutta, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of December 1878, after which date I shall distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I have then had notice. Dated this 28th day of September 1878.

A. B. MILLER, *Administrator.*

3, OLD POST OFFICE STREET, CALCUTTA. (596—1)

Estate of James Charles Batchelor, deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to "the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," being Act XXVIII of 1866 of the Governor-General of India in Council, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Charles Batchelor, late of Suffiabad, near Jamalpore, in the province of Bengal, Traffic Manager of the East Indian Railway, who died at Calcutta on the 22nd day of July 1878, and Letters of Administration with the Will annexed of whose property and credits were duly granted to Silvester Dignam, of No. 9, Old Post Office Street, in the town of Calcutta, gentleman, the constituted Attorney of Paul Frederick Bird, of No. 39, Strand Road, in Calcutta aforesaid, but at present residing at No. 16, Hyde Park Place, in the county of Middlesex, in England, the sole executor named in the will of the said James Charles Batchelor, deceased, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its testamentary and intestate jurisdiction on the 6th day of September 1878, for the use and benefit of the said Paul Frederick Bird, limited, until he shall obtain Probate or Letters of Administration from the said Court, are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Silvester Dignam, at his office at No. 9, Old Post Office Street, in the town of Calcutta, on or before the 31st day of December 1878; and notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said Silvester Dignam will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said James Charles Batchelor or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Silvester Dignam has then had notice, and that the said Silvester Dignam will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Silvester Dignam has not had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 28th day of September 1878.

(593—1) SILVESTER DIGNAM.

JOGENDRA NATH GHOSE intends to apply for enrolment as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta. (549—4)

Notice.

THE undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as a Vakeel of the High Court.

550—4) MOHENDRO NATH SANYAL, B.L.

THIS is to notify that Mahendra Nath Bandyopadhay intends to apply to be enrolled as a Vakeel of the High Court. (553—4)

THE undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as a Vakeel of the Calcutta High Court.

566—4) APARNA CHARAN DUTT, B.L.

The Bally Paper Mills Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held in London, at the Company's Office, No. 28, Fenchurch Street, on 11th October. The transfer books will be closed from 27th September to 11th October inclusive.

By order,

(592—1) GEO. HENDERSON & Co., *Agents.*

Borsillah Tea Company, Limited.

MINUTES of the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 103, Clive Street, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 25th day of September 1878, at one o'clock afternoon.

PRESENT:

E. C. Hornby, Esq., *in the chair.*

H. J. Simpson, Esq.	A. Lawrie, Esq.	By their Attorney, H. J. Simpson.
Major E. S. Fox.	Dr. C. J. Simons.	
C. Hudson, Esq.	R. Tucker, Esq.	
J. Hudson, Esq.	E. Wahab, Esq.	

The advertisement convening the meeting having been read, the following resolution was proposed and carried:—

Resolution I.—

Proposed by E. C. Hornby, Esq.,

Seconded by H. J. Simpson, Esq.—

"That the Managing Director's report and accounts for the half-year ending 30th June 1878 be received and passed as correct."

After a vote of thanks to the chair the meeting separated.

(590—1) E. C. HORNBY, *Chairman.*

Jokai (Assam) Tea Company, Limited.

MINUTES of the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 103, Clive Street, on Wednesday, the 25th day of September 1878 at noon.

PRESENT:

John Jamieson, Esq., *in the chair.*

T. C. Cadogan, Esq.	A. Lawrie, Esq.	By their Attorney, H. J. Simpson.
W. C. Trotman, Esq.	C. Hudson, Esq.	
H. J. Simpson, Esq.	R. T. Saunders, Esq	
	Dr. C. J. Simons.	
	F. A. Vincent, Esq.	
	Dr. J. B. White.	
	E. Wahab, Esq.	

"The advertisement convening the meeting having been read, the following Resolutions were proposed and carried:—

Resolution I.—

Proposed by John Jamieson, Esq.,

Seconded by Alex. Lawrie, Esq., by his Attorney, H J. Simpson—

"That the Director's report and accounts for the half-year ending 30th June 1878 be received and passed as correct."

Resolution II.—

Proposed by W. C. Trotman, Esq.,

Seconded by T. C. Cadogan, Esq.—

"That the sum of Rs. 2,500 be annually set aside for the purpose of providing Rs. 8,100, the purchase price of the Momari Garden falling due November 1880, and that the first instalment be at once written off to a separate account from the sum of Rs. 13,551-13-5 carried from last year."

After a vote of thanks to the chair the meeting separated.

(591—1) JOHN JAMIESON, *Chairman.*

Notice.

WANTED four temporary Surveyors from 1st November 1878 to 1st July 1879, on a salary of Rs. 50 each per mensem including travelling. Applications will be received by the undersigned on or before the 20th October 1878. Preference will be given to the candidates who have passed in surveying and possess practical knowledge.

J. KELLEHER, *Chairman,*
Road Cess Committee, Backergunge.

BURISAL, the 28th September 1878. (602—2)

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 086119, of the 4 per cent. of 1st May 1865, for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Toylakha Mohiny Dassy, the proprietress, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietress

TOYLAKHA MOHINY DASSY,
(585—3) *Amerpore, Zillah Hooghly.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of WILLIAM BOYACK, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 17th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 19th day of November next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Pittar and Wheeler, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 16th day of September 1878.

IN the matter of NATHOORAM and BHUJJOORAM, Insolvents.

On Friday, the 13th day of September instant, it was ordered that the petition of the said Insolvents seeking for relief under the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, be withdrawn, and the vesting order made thereon be discharged.

M. Camell, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of MUTTY LOLL BOSE and KADARNATH GHOSE, Insolvents.

On Friday, the 13th day of September instant, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned to Tuesday, the 19th day of November next, and this Court doth hereby make this *ad interim* protection order for the protection of the said Insolvents from arrest to take effect from the date hereof in respect of all the debts and liabilities mentioned in the schedule of the said Insolvents filed in this Court, which protection shall continue in force until the said 19th day of November next, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Gones Chunder Chunder, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of DWARKANATH DEB, of No. 50, Shampookur Street in the town of Calcutta, a clerk in the employ of C. C. Bancroft, Esq., at No. 2, Pollock Street, in the town of Calcutta aforesaid, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 28th day of September instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

M. M. Zorab, *Attorney.*

In the matter of DWARMANAUTH DEB, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 28th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 19th day of November next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. M. Zorab, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 28th day of September 1878.

POSTAL NOTICES.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post-Office on the 1st October 1878.

Alexandree, E.
Anderson, R. Z. J.
Barch, L. S. T.
Bateman, Mrs. C.
Bailey, Henry.
Blewet, Mrs. G.
Briddan, Mrs. H. R.
Burke, E.
Burnes, C. E.
Buskins, E. G.
Cazalet, W.
Chalmers, Major O.
Cohn, Mr.
Collier, Miss.
Callings, C. E.
Dario, J.
Darley, Butler & Co.
D'Cruz, Miss B.
Doucett, T. R.
Downes, W.
Doyle, Mrs.
Fabien, Mrs.
Fernandez, H. G.
Fishborne, Mrs. E. C.
Fishmont, J. S.
Forth, J. H. D.
Gardener, E. C.
Gilmoure, W.
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GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
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† Instead of the 4th October 1878, as previously notified.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 A.M. 8 A.M. 2-30 P.M.	5 P.M. 7-30 A.M. 2 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo ... ... Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.		
Sonapore Barripore, and Canning Town	7 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 A.M. 6 P.M.	7-15 A.M. 5 P.M.	
Basirhat, Satkhira, &c.	1-30 P.M 6 P.M.	1 P.M. 5 P.M.	7 P.M.
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Ooloobariah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam		5 P.M.	6-30 P.M.
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	Sundays..	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

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Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected.			
			2nd do	3rd do	
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	11-20	3-0	5-27
Allipore	A.	6-30	11-20	2-50	5-15
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	11	2-30	5
Bow Bazar	C.	7	11-40	3-10	5-40
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	11	2-45	5-15
Garden Reach	W.	6	10-50	2-20	4-45
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	11-10	2-40	5-10
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	11-30	3	5-30
Kiddorpore	S. W.	6-45	11-35	3-5	5-30
Loudon Street	S. E.	6-30	11-12	2-57	5-27
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	8-32	1-2	5-15
Simla	N. E.	6-30	11-25	2-55	5-25
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	11-22	3-7	5-37
Balinghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4-0

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Name of Offices.		First Delivery	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	REMARKS.
		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office		8	12-30	4-0	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar	N.	9	1-40	5-0	
Bow Bazar	C.	8-20	1-0	4-20	
imla	N. E.	8-35	1 15	4-35	
Hautkolla	N. W.	8-50	1-30	4-50	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	8-20	1-0	4-20	
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Bhowanipore	S.	8-52	1-32	4-52	
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Garden Reach	W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master.*

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE, the 1st January 1878.

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhagirutter, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 27th September 1878.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
BHAGIRUTTER.			
Entrance below Joyrampore	13	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction.	16	6	
Entrance below Chourasia...	9	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	20	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	24	0	Lalkhawdiar.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	17	0	Koolquchee.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	23	0	Mohazampore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	28	6	Goopeepore.
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance	19	0	
Thence to Tatarparah ...	17	0	Tatarparah.
From Tatarparah to Hat Bolia.	17	0	Auhadangah.
From Hat Bolia to Boalmarce.	22	0	Dasparah.
From Boalmarce to Alickdeah.	21	6	Mohespore.
From Alickdeah to Kissengunge.	22	0	Chooadangah.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges.	14	6	
Thence to Junction with the Byrub.	11	6	Jellinghee.
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	23	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	20	0	Peerojpur and Chock.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	23	9	Modoopore.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	23	9	Radahnughur.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 30th September 1878, above zero, 24 feet 3 inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
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BERHAMPORE, the 30th September 1878.

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MICHAEL FITZPATRICK.

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Any exhibit having taken the first prize in a class for two consecutive years shall not receive any prize in such class, but may be exhibited; and if considered superior to all other exhibits in that class, it shall receive a certificate from the Judges to that effect. Such exhibit shall, however, be eligible to compete for any special prize.

IV.—Certificates of Entry.

The certificate of entry is a printed form to be obtained from the Secretary, and from the Secretaries of the principal local Societies, and is available for one exhibit only, except in the case of stock entered for sale, when one certificate is sufficient. The exhibitor, therefore, must apply for as many certificates as he has exhibits, except as specified above, and must fill them in according to the forms prescribed; and as it is from these documents that the catalogue will be compiled, it is absolutely necessary that the whole of the questions contained in them should be answered as far as possible.

The certificate will not be valid unless signed by the exhibitor or his agent.

No exhibit will be admitted without a certificate of entry correctly filled in, signed, and delivered by post or otherwise to the Secretary at the office of the Society, on or before the dates for the closing of entries specified on the certificate of entry or advertised; and the Secretary will acknowledge the delivery of the certificate by returning to the exhibitor a receipt for the same, upon the production of which the exhibit will be admitted into the Society's ground.

No entrances will be received after the dates specified for the closing of the same.

All owners competing in sections 1 and 2 shall be restricted to *three* entries of pure pedigree (as admissible in the Stud and Herd Book) in each class; but no branch establishment of one partnership shall entitle owners to more than the three aforesaid entries in each class, but they may enter *ten* others, not necessarily of pure pedigree, for exhibition and sale on the grounds upon payment of a fee of ten shillings for each head; these latter to be placed in yards or covered stalls. In case of protest, based on difference of age, animals to be submitted to the Society's Veterinary Surgeon.

Exhibitors or their agents, when called upon by the Stewards or Committee, shall prove the correctness of their certificates of entry.

No charge will be made to members upon the certificate of entry for any of the Society's prizes, but a fee of 2*s.* 6*d.* will be levied on certificates of entry for non-members.

Such charge as the Committee may determine shall be made for ground or wall space, and the Stewards shall use discretionary power as to the space to be allotted to each exhibitor.

V.—Arrival and Arrangement of Exhibits.

All exhibits must bear a distinctive mark corresponding with that entered upon the certificate of entry, and be delivered to and removed from the Society's ground free of charge.

Exhibitors or their agents must, if requested, point out to the Stewards their respective exhibits, in order that they may be identified, classified, and numbered according to the catalogue before being submitted to the Judges.

No exhibit will be admitted into the Society's ground unless the attendant is in possession of the Secretary's receipt; and each exhibit, when it enters the ground, must be at once put into its proper place.

Exhibits must be brought to the grounds on the days to be hereafter specified.

VI.—Desease or Danger.

Should there be any reason to suspect that any exhibit is either diseased or dangerous, the Society reserves the right of removing the same from, or refusing its admittance to, the Exhibition. No stock will be admitted into the Society's Exhibition without first being passed by Inspectors appointed by the Society.

VII.—Control of Exhibits.

Exhibitors shall, under direction of the Stewards, arrange their exhibits; and no exhibit shall afterwards be moved without the sanction of the Stewards under a penalty not exceeding £5.

The Committee shall have power to retain the exhibit of any exhibitor so fined until such fine is paid.

The members of the Executive Committee and the Stewards in the section shall at any time have power to enter any space allotted to any exhibitor, and give such directions as regards the exhibits as they may think fit.

Exhibitors will render themselves liable to a penalty of £5 by removing any official placard, ticket, or ribbon, affixed or posted by the Stewards, or by affixing any other placard, ticket, or ribbon, in lieu thereof, or by refusing in any way to carry out the instructions of the Stewards, who shall incur no responsibility by putting these regulations in force.

No exhibitor shall be permitted to be with the Stewards or Judges during the time of judging the exhibits, unless by special request of the Stewards; and the exhibit or exhibits of any person infringing this rule shall be at once disqualified.

Live-stock attendants will be supplied by the Stewards with distinguishing badges and required to wear the same, and shall be regarded, during the time of the Exhibition, as servants of the Society, and shall be under the entire control and direction of the Stewards. They shall be in attendance each day of the Exhibition, from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M., for the purpose of exhibiting and parading stock.

VIII.—Care and Feeding of Stock.

The Society undertakes to find the necessary accommodation and attendance, if required for the animals and birds during the Exhibition; but no provision will be made for the feeding of the same (except in the case of section VI.—Dogs) beyond establishing a store at which fodder may be purchased by exhibitors; nor will the Society provide for the nightly accommodation of entire horses.

IX.—Departure of Exhibits.

The Society reserves the right to retain any exhibit for such time as the Executive Committee may consider necessary; and no exhibit shall be removed from the Exhibition without a formal permit from the Stewards or the Secretary.

The dates on which exhibits will be allowed to be removed will be hereafter specified.

X.—Responsibility.

DAMAGE THROUGH EXHIBITS.—The Society will not be responsible for any accident that may be caused through or by any exhibit, and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold the Society harmless and indemnify it against any legal proceedings arising from any such accident.

DAMAGE TO EXHIBITS.—The Society will not, under any circumstances, hold itself responsible for any loss or mis-delivery of live-stock, or other exhibits, at the Society's Exhibition, or for any damage thereto.

LOSS BY DISEASE.—The signing of the certificate of entry of any animal will be taken as a guarantee that the animal specified is free from all disease, as far as is known to the owner. In case of infectious disease being spread through or by an exhibit, the exhibitor shall be held responsible.

FIRE.—Means will be taken to guard against fire and protect the property at the Exhibition.

XI.—Trials, Parade of Stock, &c.

Due notice will be given by advertisement to exhibitors of the arrangements made by the Stewards for carrying out field trials of implements, machinery, parade of stock, &c.

MOVEMENT AND WORKING.—The conveyance to the trial ground and working of the implements and machinery will be directed by the Stewards, and they will be carried out at the exhibitor's expense.

WORKING IMPLEMENTS.—No implement shall be worked on the ground unless by express order of the Stewards.

GRAIN IN SHEAF, &c.—Grain in sheaf, hay, corn, straw, roots, wool, or any material required for testing the machines, and, if wanted, horse-power must be provided by exhibitors.

STEAM.—No exhibitor shall light a fire under, or supply the boiler of any steam-engine, until he has the authority of the Stewards to do so; this authority will be given after the engineer appointed by the Society has examined the engine, and has certified that it is perfectly safe.

The Stewards shall have power to order the removal of any exhibit worked in contravention of this rule.

XII.—Infringement of Regulations.

In the event of a wilful infringement by an exhibitor of any of the foregoing regulations and bye-laws, it shall be in the power of the Council, upon proof of the same, to prohibit such exhibitor from exhibiting and competing at any of the Society's Exhibitions in future.

XIII.—Prize Awards.

The prize awards affixed to *all* exhibits shall be distinguished by the following colours, viz.:—

Blue for First.
Red for Second.
Yellow for Highly Commended.
Black for Commended.
Red, white, and blue for Champion.
Ribbons will only be affixed in sections 1, 2, 3, and 6.

XIV.—Protests.

All protests must be lodged with the Secretary, or left at the office of the Society, addressed to him, within forty-eight hours from the notification of the Judges' awards.

XV.—Non-Competitive.

The Committee may receive for exhibition only, and not for competition, if space admits any exhibit not specified in the schedule.

XVI.—Stewards.

Stewards in all sections—

1. Shall attend at the time and place notified to them by circular.
2. Shall examine as to the correctness of certificates of entry in their respective sections, prior to the completion of the catalogue.
3. Shall attend to the reception, classification, and placing of all exhibits, and to all matters in connection therewith.
4. Shall wait upon the Judges, furnish them with award-papers, prize cards, or ribbons, and afford them all information and attention necessary to the discharge of their duties.
5. Shall sign the award papers conjointly with the Judges, see the prize cards or ribbons properly affixed to the prize exhibits, and certify to the awards noted by the Secretary in the Society's Entrance Registry Book.
6. Shall report to the Executive Committee, at *least* a fortnight before the opening of the Exhibition, the number of attendance they require in their respective departments.
7. Shall arrange amongst themselves for the constant and effective supervision of their sections, the behaviour of the attendants, and the comfort and convenience of both exhibitors and the public.
8. Shall, in case *they* think it advisable to reject an exhibit in any section, at once report the same to the Executive Committee, who shall take immediate action in the matter.

XVII.—Judging.

AWARD-PAPERS.—The Judges shall fill up the award-papers supplied to them in ale their details, assign reasons for their decisions if requested, sign and hand the same to the Stewards.

INSUFFICIENT MERIT.—When the Judges consider the exhibit of any class does not possess sufficient merit to deserve a prize, or in case of equality of merit, they shall, through

the Stewards, at once report the same to the Council with their reasons in full, and the Council shall act as they deem it expedient.

EXTRA PRIZE.—The Judges of any section, should they consider and exhibit deserving of an extra prize, may recommend the Council to award the same.

XVIII.—Privileges.

The privilege of sale of refreshments, fodder, &c., shall be sold by tender at least one month prior to the date of the Exhibition.

No drinks, edibles, or other refreshments, shall be permitted to be sold at the Exhibition otherwise than by the authorized caterer, except by special permission from the Executive Committee.

No entertainment, for which a special charge is made, shall be permitted at the Exhibition without special permission from the Executive Committee.

XIX.—Exhibitors' Sales.

Public sales of such exhibits as owners may desire to dispose of shall be held at the Exhibition on such days and in such order as shall be duly notified.

XX.—Commission on Sales.

A Commission or Rebate of one per cent. on all sales of exhibits, effected either by auction or privately, during the time of the Exhibition, or previous to the removal of the same, shall be paid to the Society, for the benefit of the General Fund, not later than one month after the close of the sale.

*** Copies of the above Schedule, and any other information relating thereto, will be forwarded on application to the Secretary, 227, George Street, Sydney; or to

JULES JOUBERT,
Secy. to the Paris Commission, New South Wales Court,
Exposition Universelle, Champ de Mars, Paris.

SCHEDULE OF PRIZES.

NOTICE.—This being a full and complete Prize Schedule, it should be preserved by members and intending exhibitors.

N.B.—In all cases where an exhibit is for sale, the price may be entered on the certificate of entry for publication in the catalogue, with the understanding that such exhibit may be claimed at the price named.

In addition to the champion prizes already specified in the Schedule, the Council may, on the joint recommendation of the Stewards and Judges, in any other section, award special prizes for the best collection of exhibits.

Arrangements will be made with the Honourable the Minister for Works, and the various steam navigation companies, for the carriage of exhibits on liberal terms.

Division 1.—Agricultural.

SECTION 1.—HORSES.

Blood Horses.

Class.
1. Stallion, 4 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
2. Stallion, 3 years old and under 4 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
3. Stallion, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
4. Stallion, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
5. Mare, any age, with or without a foal. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
6. Filly, 3 years old and under 4 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
7. Filly, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
8. Filly, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Special prize.

Stallion, 4 years old and over, best adapted for getting stock for general purposes. Prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.

Arabs.

9. Stallion (imported), 4 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
10. Stallion (imported or colonial-bred), 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
11. Mare (imported or colonial-bred), 3 years and over. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
12. Filly, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.

Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best thorough-bred stallion, either imported or colonial-bred—any age.

Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best thorough-bred mare or filly, either imported or colonial-bred—any age.

Class.

Coach Horses.

13. Stallion (either imported or colonial-bred), 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
14. Mare, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.

Trotting Horses—Horses best adapted to produce Hackneys and light Harness Horses.

15. Stallion (either imported or colonial-bred), 4 years old and over. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
16. Mare, 4 years old and over. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.

Heavy Draught Horses.

17. Stallion (imported), 4 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
18. Stallion (colonial-bred), 4 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
19. Stallion (either imported or colonial-bred), 3 years old and under 4 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
20. Stallion, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
21. Stallion, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
22. Mare (either imported or colonial-bred), 4 years old and over, with or without a foal. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
23. Filly (either imported or colonial-bred), 3 years old and under 4 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
24. Filly, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
25. Filly, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Active Farm Horses.

26. Stallion, over 3 years old (either imported or colonial-bred), best adapted for producing active farm horses. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.

Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best Cart Stallion exhibited—any age, either imported or colonial-bred.

Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best Cart Mare or Filly exhibited (either imported or colonial-bred), any age.

Miscellaneous Horses.

27. Horse or mare for single harness. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
28. Pair of carriage horses or mares. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
29. Hunter, horse or mare. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £2.
30. Hackney, horse or mare, up to 11 st 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
31. Hackney, horse or mare, up to 14 st. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
32. Pony, horse or mare, under 14 hands. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize £1.
33. Pony, horse or mare, not exceeding 12 hands high. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
34. Pair of ponies, under 14 hands, to be tried on Park. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Special prize for Jumping.

An entrance fee of 21*s*. each for all horses to be specially entered to carry not less than 12 stone weight, to be tried at such time and place as the Stewards direct, overleaps not less than 4 feet high; and should the judges deem it necessary, the heights may be raised. The prize to consist of the entrance fees

Special Regulations.

I.—Foals accompanying their dams must be haltered and kept under control.
II.—Horses will be paraded at the times advertised.
III.—The ages of all horses will be computed up to the 1st August.

FOUR-IN-HAND TEAMS.

Special Prize.

A silver cup, value, £10 10*s*. for the best four-in-hand Team exhibited on the grounds.

Conditions.

I.—The horses will be judged out of harness.
II.—The teams competing will have to be driven through the Park at the time advertised, after which the awards will be made.
III.—All entries will have to be made under class 28, and marked "Four-in-hand."
IV.—No prize will be awarded unless three teams compete.

SECTION II.—CATTLE.

Durhams or Shorthorns.

Class.

35. Bull, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
36. Bull, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
37. Bull, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
38. Bull calf, 6 months old and under 12 months. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
39. Cow, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
40. Heifer, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
41. Heifer, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize £1.

Class.
42. Heifer calf, 6 months old and under 12 months. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
43. For the two best Durham cows, with calves at foot. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the shorthorned bull exhibited; any age.
Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best shorthorned cow or heifer exhibited; any age.

Herefords.

44. Bull, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
45. Bull, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
46. Bull, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
47. Bull calf, 6 months old and under 12 months. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
48. Cow, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
49. Heifer, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
50. Heifer, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
51. Heifer calf, 6 months old and under 12 months. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
52. For the two best Hereford cows, with calves at foot. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best Hereford bull exhibited; any age.
Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best Hereford cow or heifer exhibited; any age.

Devons.

53. Bull, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
54. Bull, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
55. Bull, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
56. Bull calf, 6 months old and under 12 months. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
57. Cow, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
58. Heifer, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
59. Heifer, 1 year old and under 2 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
60. Heifer calf, 6 months old and under 12 months. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
61. For the two best Devon cows, with calves at foot. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best Devon bull exhibited; any age.
Champion Cup. Value 10 guineas, for the best Devon cow or heifer exhibited; any age.

Angus or Polled Scots.

62. Bull, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
63. Cow, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Ayrshire.

64. Bull, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
65. Cow, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Alderney.

66. Bull, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
67. Bull, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
68. Cow, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
69. Heifer, 2 years old and under 3 years. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Brittany Cattle.

70. Bull, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
71. Cow, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Farmers' Prizes.

For farmers holding not less than 100 acres of land under tillage. Exhibits not necessarily of pure pedigree.
72. Bull, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
73. Cow, 3 years old and over. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.

Dairy Cattle.

74. Cow, any age, giving the greatest quantity and richest milk, either with or without calf. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.

Fat Cattle.

75. Society's silver medal for the best pen of five fat oxen, over 3 years old, and of an uniform breed. No animal exhibited for any other prize will be allowed to compete for this.
76. For the best pen of five fat cows, over 3 years old, of an uniform breed. Subject to the same regulations as the pen of oxen. Prize. £3.

SINGLE EXHIBITS.

Durhams.

77. Ox, over 4 years old. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
78. Ox, over 3 years and under 4 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
79. Cow, over 4 years old. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
80. Cow, over 3 years and under 4 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Class.

Herefords.

81. Ox, over 4 years old. 1st prize, £3; 2nd p
82. Ox, 3 years and under 4 years. 1st prize, £
83. Cow, over 4 years old. 1st prize, £3; 2nd
84. Cow, 3 years and under 4 years. 1st prize,

Devons.

85. Ox, over 4 years old. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
86. Ox, 3 years old and under 4 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
87. Cow, over 4 years old. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
88. Cow, 3 years old and under 4 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Cross-bred Cattle.

89. Ox, over 4 years old. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
90. Ox, 3 years and under 4 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
91. Cow, over 4 years old. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
92. Cow, 3 years and under 4 years. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Champion Prize. Value 5 guineas, for the best fat ox, any breed, competing in the foregoing classes.

Champion Prize. Value 5 guineas, for the best fat cow, any breed, competing in the foregoing classes.

Annual Breeder's Subscription Prizes.

☞ CONDITIONS.—1st. An entrance fee of 2 guineas each to be paid at the time of entering, or otherwise not eligible for competition. 2nd. The prize to be won twice by the same exhibitor. 3rd. The money to be lodged in the Savings' Bank, or at interest, until finally handed over to the winner.

Class.

93. For best Durham bull, over 3 years old.
94. For best Durham bull, over 2 years old and under 3 years.
95. For best Durham bull, over 1 year old and under 2 years.
96. For best Durham bull calf, 6 months old and under 12 months.
97. For best Durham cow, over 3 years old.
98. For best Durham heifer, over 2 years old and under 3 years.
99. For best Durham heifer, over 1 year old and under 2 years.
100. For best Durham heifer calf, over 6 months old and under 12 months.
101. For two best Durham bulls, over 3 years old.
102. For two best Durham bulls, over 2 years old and under 3 years.
103. For two best Durham bulls, over 1 year old and under 2 years.
104. For two best Durham bull calves, over 6 months old and under 12 months.
105. For two best Durham cows, over 3 years old.
106. For two best Durham heifers, over 2 years old and under 3 years.
107. For two best Durham heifers, over 1 year old and under 2 years.
108. For two best Durham heifer calves, over 6 months old and under 12 months.

NOTE.—All entrances for these prizes must be on a separate certificate of entry, marked "Breeder's Prizes."

Special Regulations.

I.—All breeding cows, not in milk or evidently in calf, to be accompanied by a certificate from the owners that they have bred within two years from the time of the Exhibition.

II.—No cattle other than fat stock will be admitted into the Park, which are not thoroughly tractable and handy to lead.

III.—All bulls over twelve months old to have rings, and be provided with leading sticks, and all younger bulls and stock to be tied up shall have strong halters, and be accompanied by attendants.

IV.—All milking cows exhibited shall be milked dry in presence of the Steward at 5 o'clock P.M. the day previous to their being judged, and again in the presence of the Judges on the day appointed for judging at 10 o'clock A.M.

V.—The age of all cattle shall be computed up to the 1st August 1879.

VI.—Rings will be erected for the sale of horses and cattle and the accommodation of buyers. Admission within said rings by ticket, obtainable at the entrance on payment of 2*s*. 6*d*.; such ticket to admit the bearer through all the sales. Provided that members of the Council and Stewards of these sections be admitted free.

SECTION III—SHEEP.

1.—*Fine Woolled Sheep.*

Class.

109. Two Merino clothing rams, any age. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
110. Two Merino clothing ewes, any age. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
111. Two Merino combing rams, any age. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
112. Two Merino combing ewes, any age. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
113. Two Merino rams, two tooth. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
114. Two Merino ewes, two tooth. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Class.
115. Three Merino rams (Hoggets), not exceeding 13 months old. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
116. Three Merino ewes (Hoggets), not exceeding 13 months old. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

2.—*Coarse Woolled Sheep.*

117. One Lincoln ram, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
118. Two Lincoln ewes, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
119. One Leicester ram, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
120. Two Leicester ewes, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
121. One Cotswold ram, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
122. Two Cotswold ewes, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
123. One Southdown ram, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
124. Two Southdown ewes, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
125. One Shropshire Down ram, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
126. Two Shropshire Down ewes, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
127. One ram, any other breed. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
128. Two ewes, any other breed. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Angora Goats.

129. One Buck, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
130. Two Does, any age. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.

Fat Sheep.

131. Five Merino wethers, any age. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
132. Five long woolled sheep. Either Leicester, Lincoln, or Cotswold breed. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
133. Five Downs sheep; either Southdown or Shropshire. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
134. Five wethers, any other breed. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Special Regulations.

Exhibitors of sheep will be allowed 5 additional pens of 10 each for exhibition and sale, on payment of an entrance fee of 10*s.* for each pen.

All fat sheep will be exhibited in uncovered pens.

SECTION IV.—PIGS.

Large Breeds—Including large Cumberland, York, and Suffolk.

Class.
135. Boar, any age 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
136. Sow, any age. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
137. Sow, in milk, and her litter of pigs. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
138. Fat pig. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Medium Breeds—Including Middle Cumberland, Middle York, Leicester, Neapolitan, and Prince Albert.

139. Boar, any age. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
140. Sow, any age. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
141. Sow in milk, and her litter of pigs. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
142. Fat pig. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Small Breeds—Including Small York, Cumberland, and Chinese.

143. Boar, any age. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
144. Sow, any age. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
145. Sow in milk, and her litter of pigs. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
146. Fat pig. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Long-bodied Breeds—Including Berkshire and Essex.

147. Boar, any age. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
148. Sow, any age. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
149. Sow in milk, and her litter of pigs. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
150. Fat pig. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

N. B.—All pigs must be ringed before coming on the ground, or they will be ringed at the expense of the exhibitors.

SECTION V.—POULTRY.

Class.
151. Black Spanish (best coop). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
152. Black Spanish (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
153. Cochin China, buff. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
154. Cochin China, buff (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
155. Cochin China, dark. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
156. Cochin China, dark (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
157. Cochin China, white. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
158. Cochin China, white (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize. 10*s.*
159. Brahmapootra, light. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize. 10*s.*
160. Brahmapootra, light (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*

Class.

161. Brahmapootra, dark. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize 10*s*.
162. Brahmapootra, dark (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
163. Dorkings, silver grey. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
164. Dorkings, silver grey (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
165. Dorkings, white 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
166. Dorkings, white (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
167. Dorkings, coloured (best coop). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 19*s*.
168. Dorkings, coloured (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
169. Malays, (best coop). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
170. Malays, (best cock). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
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192. Bantams, spangled or laced. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
193. Bantams, black red. 1st prize, 10*s*; 2nd prize
194. Bantams, Duckwing. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
195. Any other variety of fowls. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
196. Pheasants, Gold. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
197. Pheasants, Silver. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
198. Pheasants, any other variety. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
199. Best pair hens, any variety. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
200. Selling class. Best pair, any variety (price not to exceed £2). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Ducks.

201. Aylesbury. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
202. Rouen. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
203. Buenos Ayres. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
204. Muscovy. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
205. Cross-breeds. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
206. Any other distinct breed. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
207. Selling class. Best pair, any variety (prize not to exceed £1 10*s*). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Geese.

208. White Emden. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
209. Toulouse. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
210. Any other kind. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
211. Selling class. Best pair (price not to exceed £3). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Swans.

212. Black. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
213. White. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Turkeys.

214. Best exhibit, any colour, cock and hen. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

PIGEONS.

(*All exhibits must be pairs.*)

215. Carriers, black. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
216. Any other colour. 1st prize, 13*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
217. Pouters, blue. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
218. Any other colour. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
219. Pouters, white. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.

Class.
220. Barbs, black. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
221. Any other colour. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
222. Beards, long-faced. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
223. Beards, short-faced. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
224. Baldheads, black. 1st prize, 10*s*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
225. Any other colour. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
226. Turbits, red and yellow. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
227. Any other colour. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
228. Almonds. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
229. Tumblers, short-faced, Mottles. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
230. Any other colour. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
231. Tumblers, long-faced. Any colour. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
232. Trumpeters. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
233. Dutch Rollers. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
234. Birmingham Rollers. 1st prize. 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
235. Runts. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
236 Fantails. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
237. Jacobins. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
238. Archangels. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
239. Muns. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
240. Priests. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
241. Magpies. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
242. Swallows. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
243. Dragons. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
244. Owls, African. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
245. Owls, English. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
246. Antwerps. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
247. Any other variety 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
248. Best collection of three pairs. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*

Canaries.

249. Belgians, yellow, clear and ticked. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
250. Belgians, mealy, clear and ticked. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
251. Norwich, yellow, clear. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
252. Norwich, mealy, clear. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize 5*s.*
253. Turnerest, clear body, with grey or dark crest. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
254. Turnerest, any other variety or colour. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
255. Lizards, golden spangled. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
256. Lizards, silver spangled. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
257. Mottled, any variety. 1st prize, 10*s*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
258. Cinnamons. 1st prize, 10*s.*; 2nd prize, 5*s.*
259. Collection of twelve. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*

Special Regulations.

I.—No specimen shall be removed, or fresh birds introduced, during the Show

II.—Exhibitors shall provide their own cages, and pay a fee for each entry, as stated in the schedule.

III.—All cages to contain one bird only (either male or female), with the exception of the collection cages, which must contain twelve birds only.

SECTION VI.—DOGS.

Sporting Class.

Class.
260. Greyhounds, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
261. Greyhounds, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
262. Staghounds, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
263. Staghounds, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
264. Kangaroo, smooth dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
265. Kangaroo, smooth sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
266. Kangaroo, rough dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
267. Kangaroo, rough sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
268. Foxhounds (coupled), dogs or sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
269. Fox terriers, smooth-haired dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
270. Fox terriers, smooth-haired sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
271. Fox terriers, wire haired dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
272. Fox terriers, wire haired sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
273. Beagles (coupled), dogs or sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
274. Pointers, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
275. Pointers, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
276. Retrievers, black curly dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
277. Retrievers, black curly sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
278. Retrievers, other coloured dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
279. Retrievers, other coloured sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*
280. Setters, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s.*

Class.

281. Setters, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
282. Spaniels, large-sized dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
283. Spaniels, large-sized sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
284. Spaniels, dogs under 20lbs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
285. Spaniels, sluts under 20lbs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Non-sporting Class.

286. St. Bernard, rough-coated dogs or sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
287. St. Bernard, smooth-coated dogs or sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
288. Mastiffs, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
289. Mastiffs, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
290. Newfoundland dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
291. Newfoundland sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
292. Sheep dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
293. Sheep sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
294. Cattle dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
295. Cattle sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
296. Bloodhounds, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
297. Bloodhounds, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
298. Bulldogs, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
299. Bulldogs, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
300. Bull terriers, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
301. Bull terriers, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
302. Terriers, dogs, smooth, black and tan. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
303. Terriers, sluts, smooth, black and tan. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
304. Terriers, smooth, other coloured dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
305. Terriers, smooth, other coloured sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
306. Terriers, dogs, Skye. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
307. Terriers, sluts, Skye. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
308. Terriers, dogs, Dandie Dinmont. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
309. Terriers, sluts, Dandie Dinmont. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
310. Terriers, dogs, broken hair. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
311. Terriers, sluts, broken hair. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
312. Terriers, (toy) dogs, smooth hair, under 7lbs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
313. Terriers, (toy) sluts, smooth hair, under 7lbs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
314. Terriers, (toy) dogs, broken hair, under 8lbs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
315. Terriers, (toy) sluts, broken hair, under 8lbs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Spaniels

King Charles or Blenheim dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
King Charles or Blenheim sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
Other spaniels, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
Other spaniels, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Poodles, &c., &c.

320. French poodles, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
321. French poodles, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
322. Manilla poodles, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
323. Manilla poodles, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
324. Italian greyhounds, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
325. Italian greyhounds, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
326. Pugs, dogs. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
327. Pugs, sluts. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
328. Other breeds, dogs, not specified. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
329. Other breeds, sluts, not specified. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Special Regulations.

I.—Dogs over 50lbs., bull-dogs and bull terriers, must have chains or collars, without names attached, to enable them to be taken out if required.

II.—Any dog wearing a collar with his owner's name thereon will be disqualified from receiving a prize.

III.—The points of each dog, particularly its height, weight, and age, must be stated on the certificate.

IV.—Exhibitors will, on personal applications to one of the Stewards, be permitted to loose their dogs for a short time each day—in the morning prior to the opening, and in the evening after the closing of the Exhibition; but they will on no account be permitted to remove the same without a written order.

V.—Dogs considered by the Stewards unfit for exhibition, either from disease, vice, or other causes, will not be received.

VI.—All dogs may be tried as the Stewards may direct.

VII.—Should the exhibitors fail to feed their dogs, the Society will undertake to provide food, and will make a moderate charge for the same at per day, according to the size of dog and price given for the food, which charge will be levied before the dog is removed.

SECTION VII.—WOOL.

Greasy Merino Wool.

Maiden Prize.

Class.
330. Greasy wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces. Merino rams', unskirted. 1st prize, £5; 2nd prize, £1.
331. Greasy wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces. Merino ewes', unskirted. 1st prize £4; 2nd prize, £1.

Prize for Small Holders.

Prize for Small Holders owning not more than 3,000, and not less than 500 sheep.
332. Greasy wool—For the most valuable 3 fleeces. Merino rams', unskirted. 1st prize. £3; 2nd prize, £1.
333. Greasy wool—For the most valuable 3 fleeces. Merino ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
334. Greasy wool—From Long-woolled Sheep—For the most valuable 3 fleeces unskirted. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize. £1.

Open to all Comers.

335. Greasy wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, rams', unskirted. 1st prize, £5; 2nd prize, £1.
336. Greasy wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
337. Greasy wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ram-hoggets', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
338. Greasy wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewe-hoggets', unskirted. 1st prize. £4; 2nd prize, £1.
339. Greasy wool, Clothing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, rams', unskirted. 1st prize, £5; 2nd prize, £1.
340. Greasy wool, Clothing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
341. Greasy wool, Clothing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ram-hoggets', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
342. Greasy wool, Clothing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewe-hoggets', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize £1.

INTERMEDIATE AND SALTBUSH DISTRICT.

Growers in this District may also compete in the preceding classes.

343. Greasy wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
344. Greasy wool, Clothing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.

Greasy Wool from Long-woolled Sheep.

345 For the most valuable 6 fleeces, unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.

WASHED MERINO WOOL.

Open to all Comers.

346. Washed wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, rams', unskirted. 1st prize, £5; 2nd pize, £1.
347. Washed wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces. ram-hoggets', unskirted, 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
348. Washed wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
349. Washed wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewe-hoggots', unskirted, 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
350. Washed wool, Clothing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
351. Washed wool, Clothing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewe-hoggets', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.

INTERMEDIATE AND SALTBUSH DISTRICT.

Growers in this District may also compete in the preceding class.

352. Washed wool, Combing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.
343. Washed wool, Clothing—For the most valuable 6 fleeces, ewes', unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.

Class. *Washed Wool from Long-woolled Sheep.*

354. For the most valuable 6 fleeces, unskirted. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.

Bales of Wool.

355. Washed wool, Combing—For the most valuable bale, of not less than 200lbs. net, containing not more than 100 fleeces of ewes', skirted. 1st prize, Society's silver medal; 2nd prize, £1.

356. Washed wool, Clothing—For the most valuable bale, of not less than, 200lbs. net, containing not more than 120 fleeces of washed ewes', skirted. 1st prize Society's silver medal; 2nd prize, £1.

Scoured Wool.

357. For the best scoured bale, of not less than 200lbs. net, excellence of scouring and condition to be the test. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.

Fellmongered Wool.

358. For the best Fellmongered bale, of not less than 200lbs. net, excellence of condition to be the test. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £1.

Angora Goats—Mohair.

359. For the most valuable 6 fleeces. 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.

Extra Exhibits.

Extra exhibits of samples, fleeces of collection of colonial or foreign wools are invited. If the Judges consider them worthy, prizes will be awarded.

Champion Prize.

Silver Cup, value ten guineas.

The Judges in this section will award the above should they consider the display of the wools of any exhibitor worthy of the distinction.

Special Rules of Exhibition.

I.—The wool districts shall comprise—

First—That open to all comers.

Second—The intermediate and Saltbush Districts.—These shall comprise the following counties, *viz.*:—Stapylton, Benarba, Denham, Jamison, Leichhardt, Baradine, White, Courallie, Gregory, Ewenmair, Oxley, Flinders, Narromine, Kennedy, Cunningham, Blaxland, Dowling, Gipps, Bland; the western part of the county of Bourke; the counties of Cooper, Stuart, Nicholson, Franklin, Waljeers, Waradgery, Boyd; the western portion of the counties of Mitchell and Urana; and the counties of Denison, Townsend, Cadell, Wakool and Caira; that portion of New South Wales lying westward of the intermediate district, and all portions of the colony of Queensland, except the Darling Downs proper.

II.—Exhibitors in the Intermediete and Saltbush Districts may compete with the same wools in the classes "open to all comers."

III.—Each lot of wool exhibited for a prize must be the *bonâ fide* growth of one person or firm, whose names must be declared, and must have been shorn from sheep which shall have been the property of the exhibitor for at least six months prior to the time of shearing.

IV.—Growers desiring to compete in more classes than one, must make a separate entry for each class.

V.—Exhibits which are entered in other classes may compete for the All Comers and Special Prizes.

VI—Competitors may enter two lots, but can only take one prize in each class.

VII.—Exhibits entered in the wrong class by the exhibitor will be excluded from competition for prizes.

VIII.—Persons willing to exhibit will please obtain from the Secretary, 227, George-street, Sydney, a certificate of entry, which must be filled up and returned to him before the 1st July.—Any deviation from the rules will disqualify the entry.

IX.—Competitors must certify the number of days' growth of each lot exhibited in all classes except hoggets; and in judging, an allowance of deduction will be made for the difference in time of growth.

X.—No wool will be allowed to compete that is more than 395 days' growth, except the hogget wool, which may be of fourteen months' growth.

XI.—Exhibitors shall state fully the plan of washing or scouring adopted, and the soaps and chemicals used (if any).

XII.—Exhibitors are requested to state also how the sheep or goats were bred from which the exhibits were taken.

XIII.—The wool for exhibition must be delivered *free of all charges*, at the place appointed for the Show not later than the 15th of July; and on the day to be appointed, the exhibitor or his agent shall unpack and place the wool in the numbered cases allotted to him.

XIV.—Exhibitors are recommended to pack all their exhibits in cases, with each fleece in a separate compartment. The Society will be prepared in Sydney with suitable cases of an uniform size for displaying the wool to advantage during the Exhibition.

XV.—Each and every exhibit must have a *different and a distinctive* brand of two or, three letters only, with the class or classes *for which it is competing* immediately under, marked in ink on one side, and also on the end—not the ordinary or previous brand, or mark, or the initials of the owner. Any other brands, marks, or mottoes will disqualify the exhibitor.

SECTION VIII.—WINE.

☞ The judging will commence on or about the 25th July.

Class.
360. For the best light White Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
361. *For the best light White Wine, older than the vintage of 1877.* 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
362. For the best full-bodied White Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
363. For the best full-bodied White Wine, older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
364. For the best light Red Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
365. For the best light Red Wine, older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
366. For the best full-bodied Red Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
367. For the best full-bodied Red Wine, older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
368. For the best sweet White Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
369. For the best sweet White Wine, older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
370. For the best sweet Red Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
371. For the best sweet Red Wine, older than the vintage of 1877. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

*Additional Prizes.**

372. For the best Wine made from the Reisling grape, and of the same vintage, unblended. Prize, £2.
373. For the best Wine made from the Verdeilho grape. Prize, £2.
374. For the best Wine made from the White Hermitage grape. Prize, £2.
375. For the best Wine made from the Red Hermitage grape. Prize, £2.
376. For the best Wine made from the Carbinet grape. Prize, £2.
377. For the best Wine made from the Burgundy or Pineau-noir grape. Prize, £2.

In addition to the above, the Judges will award certificates of high commendation.

* *See* Special Regulation 7.

Special Regulations.

I.—Exhibitors must be the growers of the wine entered for competition, and the wine the produce of grapes only.

II.—A suitable cellar for the reception of the exhibits is to be provided at least two months previous to the opening of the Exhibition, and kept permanently for the storage of the wines.

III.—Four bottles of each sample of wine, without labels, mottoes, coats of arms, crests or distinctive seals, or marks of any kind, but having only letters affixed (not the initials of the grower) and packed in cases, sealed or locked, shall be delivered at the cellar at least fifteen clear days previous to first day fixed for tasting. The Secretary shall mark the cases with numbers in consecutive order, as received, and enter them in the name of the exhibitor, giving a receipt for the number so entered.

IV.—Competitors may enter as many wines as they please in any one class, but can only take one prize in such class for wines of the same distinctive character, and made from the same description of grape. Exhibitors shall, at the time of delivery at the cellar, forward to the Secretary certificates signed by them, giving the locality where the wines are grown, the name (as far as possible) of the variety or varieties of grapes from which the wines are made, the number of gallons in stock, the age, colour, whether of light character or full-bodied or sweet, price per dozen if in bottle, or if in wood price per gallon, and any other information relative to the character of the wines that may assist the Steward in classifying them.

V. In case of any infringement or neglect of Rule 4, by which the information therein required is withheld, or if any wilful mis-statement be made, which is calculated to mislead the Stewards in the classification, the wine shall in such case be disqualified for competition.

VI.—The Stewards shall check and correct the classification of the wines, and one bottle of each sample shall be opened by them for such classification only; and the name of the exhibitor shall be withheld from them at the time.

VII.—The wines for the 1879 Exhibition shall be classed as follows, *viz.*:—

1. For the best light White Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877.
2. For the best light White Wine, older than the vintage of 1877.
3. For the best full-bodied White Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877.
4. For the best full-bodied White Wine, older than the vintage of 1877.
5. For the best light Red Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877.
6. For the best light Red Wine, older than the vintage of 1877.
7. For the best full-bodied Red Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877.
8. For the best full-bodied Red Wine, older than the vintage of 1877.
9. For the best sweet White Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877.
10. For the best sweet White Wine, older than the vintage of 1877.
11. For the best sweet Red Wine, not older than the vintage of 1877.
12. For the best sweet Red Wine, older than the vintage of 1877.

Special awards shall be made for the best sample of wine made from each or any one of the following varieties of grape, of the same vintage, *viz.*:—1, Riesling; 2, Verdeilho; 3, White Hermitage; 4, Red Hermitage; 5, Carbinet; 6, Burgundy (or Pineau-noir). The grower shall insert in the certificate (under rule No. 4) the name of the grape from which the wine is made, and certify that the wine is the produce of that grape only. The samples to be sent in under the conditions in rule No. 3, and when placed before the Judges, shall compete only with wines made from the same grape of the same vintage.

VIII.—The wines shall be opened on the days appointed for tasting, and placed before the Judges in the order contained in rule 7.

IX.—The tasting shall commence at 1 o'clock on each day.

X.—The youngest wines shall be tasted first.

XI.—Metal plates (japanned) large enough to contain at least three wine glasses each, with legible numbers stamped on the margin, from No. 1 upwards to 50 (or more if necessary) to be provided; also a supply of clean wine glasses of good quality.

XII.—One glass of wine for each Judge of all the samples in each class shall be sent to the Judges' room on the numbered plates before the tasting is commenced—each plate to contain glasses of one sample only; and the sample so placed before the Judges shall consist of one class only at a time.

XIII.—The Judges shall be alone at the time of tasting (in a separate room provided for them), and shall note their decision on each class in detail, on award papers furnished by the Society, giving the number of the wines to which they have awarded prizes, also the number of those they may think worthy of honourable mention or high commendation, together with their reasons for withholding prizes or honours from the samples not included in the above, and, before the next class is submitted to their judgment, shall hand the award papers, signed by them to the Steward, who shall deliver it to the Secretary for entry in the Society's books. Should the Judges be unable to agree upon any award, they shall refer the matter to the Steward, whose decision shall be final.

XIV.—No exhibitor will be permitted to question the decision of the Judges, unless it can be shown that some violation of a rule has been the cause of such decision.

XV.—Labels shall be supplied by the growers for two of the bottles sent in, which shall be affixed to them after adjudication for the purpose of exhibition only; the Secretary distinguishing wines to which prizes may have been awarded, and those obtaining honourable mention or high commendation.

XVI.—At the conclusion of the tasting, the Judges shall draw up a report of their proceedings, sign and deliver it to the Steward, by whom it is to be countersigned.

XVII.—The Judges shall be furnished with a list of the prizes to be awarded to each class.

XVIII.—After the adjudication of the wines, the residue of them shall be re-packed in the cellar, and remain in the charge of the Steward, for the purpose of testing the same by chemical or other process at any time they may require.

SECTION IX.—SUGARS AND SUGAR-PRODUCING PLANTS.

1.—*Sugars.*

Class.

378. Colonial grown and manufactured sugars, in 1 cwt. bags for best collection. Prize, silver medal.

379. Refined sugars, in 1 cwt bags. Prize, bronze medal.

2.—*Sugar-producing Plants.*

380. Best general collection of varieties of sugar-cane. Prize, bronze medal.

☞ In addition to the above, the Judges may award certificates of merit for exhibits not equal to those to which they have assigned prizes, but which, notwithstanding, they consider deserving of commendation.

SECTION X.—FARM PRODUCE.

To be field grown and the production of the exhibitor, under penalty of being disqualified to compete for any of the Society's prizes. If an exhibit be objected to on the ground of not having been grown by the exhibitor, a satisfactory certificate of production to be furnished by the latter.

Class.
381. Wheat, white, half-bushel, with a guarantee that it is a fair sample of at least fifty bushels grown by the exhibitor. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
382. White Spring Wheat, half-bushel, same guarantee. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
383. Wheat, red, half-bushel, same guarantee. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
384. Red Spring Wheat, half-bushel, same guarantee. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
385. Maize, large, yellow, or flint, one doz. cobs. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
386. Maize, small, yellow, or flint, one doz. cobs. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
387. Maize, earliest, one doz. cobs. 1st prize, £4; and prize, £2.
388. Maize, white (soft), one doz. cobs. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
389. Extra prize of £2 for fifty cobs of maize, any variety, yielding the greatest weight of grain with least core.
390. New variety, exhibited in the colonies for the first time, one doz. cobs, and half-bushel, cleaned as for market. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
391. Barley, malting, half-bushel, with same guarantee as the wheat. 1st prize, £2 2nd prize, £1.
392. Barley, Cape, half-bushel, with same guarantee as malting. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
393. Rye, half-bushel, same conditions as barley. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
394. Oats, half-bushel, same conditions as barley. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
395. Buckwheat, half-bushel. 1st prize, £2; 2nd £1.
396. Peas, half-bushel. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
397. Horsebeans, half-bushel. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
398. Haricot beans, half-bushel. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
399. Rice, half-bushel. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
400. Linseed half-bushel. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
401. Sorghum, in grain, half-bushel, and 12 heads. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
402. Imphee, half bushel, and 12 heads. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
403. Broom Millet, or Planter's Friend, half-bushel, and 12 heads. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
404. Hops, 56 pounds. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
405. For the most valuable new grain exhibited in the colony for the first time, half-bushel. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
406. Grass seeds, in collection, in bags of 10lbs. each. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
407. Farm seeds, collection, in bags of 10lbs. each. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
408. Complete collection of Agricultural Produce. Silver medal.

The exhibits in this section to be judged by the excellence in their qualities, taken in the order as herein specified:—Purity of sample, weight, size, plumpness, evenness, colour.

Roots.

Class.
409. Swedes, collection, two roots each variety. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
410. White turnips, two roots each variety. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
411. Mangolds, long; two roots each variety. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
412. Mangolds, globe, two roots each variety. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
413. Carrots, field; 4 roots each. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
414. Parsnips, 4 roots each. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1. The necks, or collars, and tap roots not to be removed.
415. Potatoes, collection, not less than 14lbs. each variety. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
416. Feed pumpkins, collection, not less than two of each variety. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
417. New Fodder Plant. Extra prize of £2 for the most valuable new fodder plant exhibited for the first time. Samples to consist of, if roots, at least 6; if hay, 1 truss cwt.

Roots to be judged in accordance with their excellence in the following points, in the order stated, *viz.*: Perfection of form, including, in respect to the first six sorts named, fineness of neck and of tap roots, as well as fineness and smoothness of skin, solidity, weight, size. Such roots as an experienced judge would select as the most true and perfect for producing seed, rather than the specimens of greatest size to be preferred.

HAY.

One Bale, not less than 56lbs.

Class.
418. Lucerne. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
419. Oaten. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
420. Wheaten. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
421. Rye grass or other cultivated grass. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

The duplicate trusses of hay to be opened for examination, and none to be considered worthy of award unless in its colour and condition there be evidence of having undergone ample fermentation in stack; no mere fineness of growth, in the absence of this essential condition, to compensate for defective manufacture.

Dairy and other Produce.

Class.
422. Butter, fresh, not less than six lbs. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
423. Butter salt, one keg. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
424. Cheese, two. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
425. Hams, two. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
426. Bacon, two sides. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
427. Oil, olive, six bottles. 1st prize, £4; 2nd prize, £2.
428. Oils, vegetables (except olive), cotton seed, castor bean, or any other seed oil. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
429. Oilcake. Prize, £2.

(For dealers, not being the growers, producers, or manufacturers of the products exhibited.)

A. Collection, cereals.
B. Collection, grass seeds.
C. Collection, farm seeds.
D. Collection, roots
E. General collection of all sorts of farm produce.
} Bronze medal for each collection.

SECTION XI.—HORTICULTURAL.

Viz.:—Vegetables, Fruits, and Flowers.

Fruits and flowers, unless where otherwise specified, to be the production of the exhibitor only. Plants to have been the property of the exhibitor for at least one month previous to the exhibition.

[Ex. P. G. means exhibitors employing professional gardeners.]

PART I.—POT PLANTS IN FLOWER.

Class.
430. 6 Miscellaneous plants of distinct species (nurserymen). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
431. 6 Miscellaneous plants of distinct species (exhibitor employing professional gardener). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
432. 4 Miscellaneous plants of distinct species (Amateurs). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
433. Single specimen plants (nurserymen and exhibitors employing gardeners). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
434. Single specimen plants (Amateurs). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
435. New plants, shown for the first time in flower (open to all). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
436. 4 Orchids, distinct (open). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
437. 3 Orchids (open) 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
438. Single specimen orchid (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
439. 6 Camellias. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
440. 6 Variegated foliaged Pelargoniums, (nurserymen and Ex. P. G.) 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
441. 3 Variegated foliaged Pelargoniums (Amateur). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
442. 3 Double Pelargoniums (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
443. 6 Chrysanthemums, Show (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
444. 6 Chrysanthemums, Pompone (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
445. 6 Chrysanthemums, Japanese (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
446. 6 Gesneraceous plants, distinct (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
447. 6 Flowering Begonias (open). 1st prize £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
448. 4 Cyclamens, distinct (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
449. 6 Primula Sinensus, double or single (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

PART II.—OPTIONAL WHETHER IN FLOWER OR NOT.

450. 12 Miscellaneous variegated or fine foliaged plants (nurserymen). 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
451. 12 Miscellaneous variegated or fine foliaged plants (Ex. P. G.). 1st prize, £3; 2nd prize, £1.
452. 6 Miscellaneous variegated or fine foliaged plants (Amateurs). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
453. 6 Caladiums (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
454. 6 Begonias (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
455. 6 Dracænas (open). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
456. 6 Crotons (open). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
457. Best new variegated foliaged plants (open). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
458. 12 Palms, distinct (open). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
459. 6 Palms. 1st prize, 30*s*.; 2nd prize, 15*s*.
460. 6 Agaves, distinct (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
461. Best collection of Succulents (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
462. 4 Cycads. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
463. 6 Tree Ferns, distinct (open). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
464. Best pair Tree Ferns (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.

Class.
465. 6 Adiantum, distinct. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
466. 3 Adiantum, distinct. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
467. 12 Ferns, distinct (open). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
468. 6 Ferns, distinct (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
469. 6 Lycopods (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
470. 3 Lycopods (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
471. Best collection of 20 Conifers and Taxads (nurserymen). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
472. Best collection of hardy and ornamental trees and shrubs, not necessary in flower, and not more than half Coniferæ (nurserymen). 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
473. Best collection of plants suitable for live fences, not less than two yards each. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
474. The most suitable plant for edging purposes in Australia, to be laid in circles of 3 feet in diameter. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
475. Best collection of hanging baskets, with plants. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

PART III.—CUT FLOWERS.

476. 12 Roses (nurserymen). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
477. 6 Roses (Amateurs). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
478. 12 Camellias (open). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize 10*s*.
479. 6 Camellias (Amateurs). 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
480. Collection of Chrysanthemums 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
481. Best collection of Dahlias. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
482. Best table bouquet, showing the tasteful arrangement of colours. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
483. Best bouquet for hand. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
484. Best collection button-hole bouquets (not less than 12). 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
485. Best arrangement of flowers for table decoration. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
486. Best collection of plants for drawing-room decoration. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.

PART IV.—FRUITS.

487. Grapes best collection 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
488. Pineapple, any variety 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
489. Melons. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
490. Dessert Apples, best collection. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
491. Baking Apples, best collection. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
492. Dessert Pears, best collection. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
493. Baking Pears, best collection. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
494. Oranges, best collection. 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, 10*s*.
495. Lemons, best collection. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
496. Best collection tomatoes. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
497. Walnuts, best dish. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
498. Best collection of nuts. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
499. Chestnuts. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
500. Best collection of miscellaneous fruit, not less than twelve varieties, tropical fruit excluded. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
501. Best collection of tropical fruit, not less than six varieties. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
502. Collection of purchased fruit. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

PART V.—VEGETABLES.

503. Broad Beans, single dish. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
504. French Beans, single dish 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
505. Peas, single dish. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
506. Chillies, single dish. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
507. Vegetable Marrows, 2. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
508. Rhubarb, 12 stalks. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
509. Carrots, 2 bunches. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
510. Parsnips, 2 bunches. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
511. Turnips, 2 bunches. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
512. Leeks, 6. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
513. Asparagus, bundle of 50. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
514. Cabbage, 3 heads. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
515. Cauliflowers, 3 heads. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
516. Broccoli, 3 heads. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
517. Sea Kale. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
518. Yams, dozen. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
519. Onions, dozen. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
520. Celery, 3 heads. 1st prize; 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.
521. Beet Root, 3 roots. 1st prize, 10*s*.; 2nd prize, 5*s*.

Class.
522. Cucumbers, 2. 1st prize, 10s.; 2nd prize, 5s.
523. Best collection of salads. 1st prize, 10s.; 2nd prize 5s.
524. Best collection of vegetables, not less than fifteen sorts. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.
525. Best collection of vegetables, not less than ten sorts. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

Regulations.

I.—Exhibitors will not be allowed to show more than two exhibits in any class, and can only take one prize in each class.

II.—All objects for competition must be the property of the exhibitor, or his employer; and pot plants to be in his possession at least one month before they are exhibited, except in the case of newly imported plants.

III.—Cut flowers to consist of a truss or spike; and all blooms must have been blown by the exhibitor.

IV.—In the miscellaneous collection of plants, not more than two plants shall be exhibited of any species for which a distinct prize is offered.

V.—Objects not included in the schedule may be exhibited, and the Judges shall have power to recommend prizes or honourable mention.

SECTION XII.—MANURES.

Class.
526. For the best sample, not less than 1 cwt. Bronze medal.

Special Regulations.

I.—All exhibits must be of colonial manufacture, and for commercial purposes.

II.—Exhibits to be accompanied by a certificate of analysis from the Society's analytical chemist.

III.—The price per cwt. at which it is offered for sale must be stated.

SECTION XIII.—IMPLEMENTS AND AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY.

This section is of so much importance in a colony where manual labour is scarce and dear that a great deal of attention will be devoted to it. It is not intended to draw any line between imported and colonial articles, because it is considered that a position of impartiality tends best to stimulate colonial skill in manufactures. Except in the case of a collection of implements and things that can be judged in a quiescent state, prizes will be offered only in such classes of exhibits as can be judged in action either in the field or in the Exhibition ground. Steam engines, threshing machines, sheep-washing machines, sugar-making machinery, chaff-cutters, corn-crushers, winnowing machines, &c, will be judged on the ground. In conformity, therefore, with this arrangement, while the Exhibition is open to every species of machine and tool that can be classed in this section, prizes are only offered for the following articles:—

Class.
527. Reaping and threshing machines. Prize, £3.
528. Reaping machines. Prize, £3.
529. Mowing machines. Prize, £3.
530. Horse rakes. Prize, £2.
531. Light land ploughs. Prize, £2.
532. Heavy land ploughs, Prize, £2.
533. Ploughs for deep culture. Prize, £2.
534. Double-furrow ploughs. Prize, £3.
535. Turn-wrest ploughs. Prize, £2.
536. Light one-horse ploughs, suitable for vineyards, &c. Prize, £2.
537. Horse-hoes. Prize, £1.
538. Cultivators Prize, £2.
539. Harrows. Prize, £1.
540. Land-rollers. Prize, £1.
541. Chain harrow, for seed. Prize, £1.
542. Stump extractor. Prize, £2.
543. Two-horse threshing machine. Prize, £2.
544. Four-horse threshing machine. Prize, £3.
545. Steam threshing and finishing machine. Prize, £2. } To be tried on the Park.
545. Winnowing machine. Prize, £1. } To be tried on the Park.
547. Corn screen, with blower and stone separator. Prize, £3.
548. Portable engine for general purposes. Prize, silver medal.
549. Traction engine, adapted for colonial use. Prize, £2.
550. Corn cracker. Prize, £1.
551. Corn sheller. Prize, £1.
552. Hand chaff cutter. Prize, £2. } To be tried on the Park.
553. Horse ditto Prize, £2. } To be tried on the Park.
554. Horse works. Prize, £2. } To be tried on the Park.
555. Wool press. Prize, £2. } To be tried on the Park.
556. Implements for driving a number of machines. Prize, £2.
557. Seed-sowing machine. Prize, £1.

Class.
558. Collection of farming implements. Prize, bronze medal.
559. Collection of horticultural implements. Prize, bronze medal.
560. Collection of dairy utensils Prize bronze medal.
561. Collection of wine-making utensils, including press. Prize, bronze medal.
562. Wine cask, made of colonial wood, 50 gallons. Prize, £1.
563. Vat, made of colonial wood, not less than 1,000 gallons. Prize, £2.
564. Water cart and pump attached. Prize, £1.
565. Set of whipple trees. Prize, £1.
566. Post hole-borer (to be tried in the Park). Prize, £1.
567. Post driver (to be tried in the Park . Prize, £2.
568. Apparatus for raising water. Prize, £2.
569. Apparatus for raising water for sheep washing or irrigating purposes. Prize, £2.
570. Specimen of external paddock wire-fence (not less than 50 feet set up). Prize, £1.
571. Specimen of internal paddock wire-fence (not less than 50 feet set up). Prize, £1.
572. Specimen of portable tramways for sugar plantations, &c. Prize, silver medal.
573. Model of farm gate. Prize, £1.
574. Root-cutters. Prize, £1.
575. Water bucket, self-filling and discharging. Prize, £1.
576. Earth scoop. Prize, £1.
577. Malt mill. Prize, £1.
578. Cooking apparatus. The most economical apparatus for cooking food for stock. Minimum size to boil 2 bushels and steam 10 bushels at one operation, and to consume either wood or coal. Prize, £3.
579. Sheep-washing apparatus. Prize, silver medal.
580. Wire strainer, for fencing purposes. Prize, £1.
581. Waggon. Prize, £1.
582. Tip-up dray. Prize, £1.
583. Horse dray. Prize, £1.
584. Bullock dray. Prize, £1.
585. Carts of all kinds. Prize, £1.

SECTION XIV.—SILK, FIBROUS SUBSTANCES, AND TOBACCO.

586. Best exhibit of silk materials, from the grain to the manufacture, showing the cocoon, the raw silk, the organzine, grain, &c., &c.
587. Cotton, best exhibit.
588. Fibrous substances for the manufacture of rope, paper, &c., best exhibit.
589. Rope manufactured from same.

Manufactured Tobacco.

590. Black Twist, "Negrohead" and other varieties, manufactured from foreign leaf, not less than 112 lbs.
591. Black plug in any shape, manufactured from foreign leaf, not less than 112 lbs.
592. Aromatic "Tortoise shell," or light pressed in any shape, not less than 112 lbs.
593. Tobacco, manufactured from leaf grown in New South Wales.
594. Unmanufactured tobacco, leaf not less than 40 lbs.
595. Cigars, made in the colony from imported leaf.
596. Cigars, made in the colony from colonial grown leaf.
596A. Cigars of any manufacture, and of any leaf.

DIVISION II.—NON-AGRICULTURAL.

In this department prizes in the shape of bronze medals will be awarded in case of special merit, as recommended by the Stewards; but a certificate will be given in all other cases.

The silver medals will only be awarded in such exceptional cases, when recommended by the Judges, as to the Council may seem expedient.

A competent jury of gentlemen will be selected to report upon the whole of these exhibits, they being allowed to call in experts when necessary, and on their recommendation, endorsed by the Stewards, the Council may award Champion prizes for the best collection of exhibits.

N.B.—All articles manufactured at the Exhibition may be sold and delivered to purchasers, permits to allow removal being obtained from the Secretary.

No exhibitor must enter two articles of the same sort, and the Stewards will be empowered to refuse admission to articles deemed, for various reasons, inadmissible. Articles not properly entered will not be admitted.

Intending exhibitors are requested to give a full description of their goods.

It is specially requested that exhibitors will pay attention to the regulations concerning the filling up of the certificate. It is from these documents that the catalogue will be compiled; all points of novelty or originality, and other information respecting the exhibits, should be fully stated.

Since it will not be allowed to attach price tickets to the exhibits, it is the more necessary that the price should be mentioned in the catalogue, and therefore that this particular be put in the certificate.

Any exhibitor whose goods can be properly placed together will be at liberty to arrange such goods in his own way, provided his arrangement is compatible with the general scheme of the Exhibition and the convenience of other exhibitors.

Packing cases must be removed at the cost of the exhibitor as soon as the goods are taken charge of by the Stewards.

Articles and packages will be unloaded at the building. Should the exhibitors or their agents not be present, the packages will not be opened, but stored at the risk and expense of the exhibitors.

The Committee may decline to receive any article they may think unsuitable for exhibition, or objects of an inflammatory, offensive, perishable, or dangerous character.

The Committee reserve to themselves the right to receive for exhibition only, and not for competition (if space admit), any object not specified in the schedule, which may be considered to possess special merit.

Packages and articles intended for exhibition should bear on the outside the class or classes, the contents belong to, the name of the exhibitor, and be delivered, free of charge, on or before the 15th July, addressed as follows :—

To the Secretary of the
Agricultural Society of New South Wales,
Exhibition, Building, Prince Alfred Park, Sydney.

In all classes in the Non-Agricultural Division, no exhibits sent for competition will be allowed to bear the name or brand of the exhibitor.

SECTION I.—FINE ARTS.

Division A.

All works in this section will be submitted to a Selection Committee

Class.
597. Oil Colours—Historical Picture or Tableau de Genre, Landscape, Marine, Portraits, Animals, Fruits, or Flowers.
598. Water Colours—Historical Picture or Tableau de Genre, Landscape, Marine, Portraits, Animals, Fruits, or Flowers.
599. Pen and Ink Drawings
600. Crayon, Chalk, Pastel, Charcoal.
601. Illumination.
602. Engraving, Etching, Lithography.
603. Architectural Drawings.
604. Sculpture, Modelling, Carving.
605. Works of Art not specified.

DIVISION B.

Photographs.

606. Portraits from life, untouched.
607. Portraits, coloured.
608. Portraits, mezzo tint.
609. Genre Pictures.
610. Landscapes.
611. Reproduction.
612. Enlargements, uncoloured.
613. Architectural subjects.

Exhibits to be limited to—
3 large-size portraits in a section.
6 Cabinet.
12 Carte-de-visite.
6 Genre.
6 Landscape.
3 Reproduction.
3 Enlargement.
3 Architectural.

No names to be appended to exhibits until after judging. This rule will be strictly enforced.

SECTION II.—APPARATUS AND APPLICATION OF LIBERAL ARTS.

Class.
614. Paper, &c., and all things appertaining thereto.
615. Inks, &c., ditto.
616. Pens, pencils, &c., ditto.
617. Printing, &c., ditto.
618. Binding, &c., ditto.
619. Photographic apparatus, ditto.
620. Musical instruments, ditto.
621. Surgical instruments, &c., ditto.
622. Astronomical instruments.
623. Surveying instruments.
624. Other scientific instruments.

SECTION III.—FURNITURE AND OTHER OBJECTS FOR THE USE OF DWELLINGS.

Class.
625. Furniture, upholstery.
626. Stained glass, sheet and other glass.
627. Porcelain, earthenware, fancy pottery.
628. Decorative work.
629. Carpets, tapestry, furniture stuffs, matting, paperhangings, &c.
630. Cutlery, fire and other arms.
631. Bronzes, ornamental castings in iron and other metals.
632. Gold and silver plate.
633. Clocks and watches, with all things appertaining thereto.
634. Jewellery or ornaments in gold, silver and other metals.
635. Hair jewellery.
636. Toys of any kind.
637. Perfumery and fancy articles.
638. Brushware.
639. Basket work.
640. Apparatus and processes for heating and lighting.
641. Cooking and washing ditto.
642. Galvanized iron-ware.

SECTION IV.—CLOTHING INCLUDING FABRICS AND OTHER OBJECTS OF PERSONAL WEAR.

Class.
643. Woollen fabrics.
644. Silk manufactures.
645. Cotton manufactures.
646. Clothing for both sexes.
647. Embroidery, and fancy lace and wool work.
648. Boots and shoes—men's strong, medium, and fancy.
649. Women's strong, medium, and fancy.
650. Children's strong, medium, and fancy.

SECTION V.—PRODUCTS OF MINING INDUSTRY, FORESTRY, &c.

651. Specimens of gold quartz and auriferous ores.
652. Specimens of other metals.
653. Specimens of coal.
654. Specimens of kerosine shale and other minerals.
655. Chemical and pharmaceutical products, viz.: Acids, alkali, salt, and other chemicals.
656. Animal, mineral, vegetable, and essential oils.
657. Tallow, stearine, glycerine, paraffine, wax, spermaceti (including all manufactures arising therefrom).
658. Soap—plain, fancy, and soft, &c.
659. Candles—wax, stearine, and tallow.
660. Raw products—bones, horns, and hides.
661. Ivory, tortoiseshell, sponge, and shells.
662. Material for basket, wicker, and plait work.
663. Indigenous timber, building and fancy woods, bark, cork, building materials of all kinds.
664. Tar and products therefrom.
665. Gums, resins, and dyes.
666. Artists' and painters' colours, varnishes, &c., &c.
667. Albuminal gelatine, glue, bone black, starch.
668 Baking and other powders used in cookery.
669. Disinfectants.
670. Materials used for bleaching, dyeing, tanning, and currying.
671. Medicinal products and preparations.
672. Chemical objects of scientific interest.
673. Leather, plain and manufactured.
674. Skins, fur, feathers, down, or any preparation thereof, for domestic purposes.
675. Hair, bristles.
676. Other animal and vegetable products not specified.

SECTION VI.—APPARATUS AND PROCESSES USED IN THE COMMON ARTS.

☞ The Council is desirous to secure exhibits of machinery used for manufacturing purposes, exhibited in motion and worked during certain hours.

Class.
677. Boilers and engines; locomotive engines; railway carriages.
678. Telegraphy, and all things appertaining thereto.
679. Carriages viz., phaetons, landaus, broughams, sociables, waggonettes, barouches, gigs, dog-carts, and buggies.
680. Coaches, omnibuses, hansoms, cabs, or other public vehicles.
681. Bicycles, velocipedes, and perambulators.
682. Wheelwright's work—wheels, axles, tyres, breaks, tools, and materials.
683. Machines and tools—lathes; punching, shearing, rivetting, planing, morticing, moulding, and tenoning.

Class.
684. Saws of all kinds
685. Blacksmiths' work.
686. Stonebreakers, brickmaking, tiles, drainpipe making machinery.
687. Bricks, tiles, drainpipes, including all apparatus connected with draining of land.
688. Bread and biscuit making machinery.
689. Sugar making Machinery—mills, boilers, vacuum pans, centrifugal machines.
690. Ice-making machinery.
691. Aërated water and bottling machines.
692. Weaving and cloth-making machines.
693. Printing, type-making, ruling machines, and machinery connected with printing.
694. Fire-engines, extincteurs, pumps, cranes, gauges, registering instruments.
695. Harness and saddlery.
696. Farriery and tools appertaining thereto.
697. Models of all kinds.
698. Locks of colonial manufacture.
699. Sewing machines.

SECTION VII.—FOOD: FRESH, PRESERVED, OR IN VARIOUS STATES OF PRESERVATION.

Class.
700. Cereals—wheaten flour, 1st and 2nd quality.
701. Malt, barley meal, pearl barley.
702. Oatmeal.
703. Maize meal, maizena, maize malt.
704. Buckwheat meal.
705. Rice meal.
706. Arrowroot, tapioca, sago, or any other farinaceous preparation.
707. Bread, pastry, and biscuits.
708. Fatty substances—Lard, and best method of preserving butter, milk, and eggs.
709. Meat—Preserved meat not less than 28 lbs.; cooked ditto; salted ditto; spiced ditto. Prices to be stated on certificate of entry.
710. Essences and extracts.
711. Salted fish; dried ditto; fresh ditto (preserved); trepang or beche-de mer, isinglass.
712. Preserved fruits, in syrups.
713. Preserved fruits, in water.
714. Jams and jellies.
715. Candied fruits.
716. Preserved fruits—process not specified.
717. Dried fruits.
718. Preserved vegetables.
719. Nuts—Walnuts, filberts, almonds.
720. Condiments—Pepper, red, white or black.
Ginger, (dry): capers, olives, &c.; mustard, curry powder, sauces, spices, coffee, tea, chocolate, cocoa, or substitutes.
721. Pickles.
722. Honey in comb and bottle.
723. Beehives, and things pertaining to bees.
724. Confectionery.

Fermented and other drinks.

725. Ale, draught.
726. Porter, draught.
727. Ale, bottled.
728. Porter, bottled.
729. Cider, perry, and others.
730. Spirits.
731. Cordials.
732. Syrups.
733. Aërated waters.
734. Mineral waters.
735. Vinegar—Malt or wine.

SECTION VIII.—ARTIZANS' PRIZES.

☞ These prizes are intended to encourage the exhibition of specimens of superior workmanship in wood, metal, stone, leather, &c., and can only be competed for by the actual producers thereof.

Inventions.

Class.
736. In order to encourage mechanical genius, known to exist to a much greater extent than is generally supposed, silver medals will be awarded for the invention of the highest economical value—mechanical, chemical, or other—such having been discovered within the year.

Workmanship.

Class.
737 In order to encourage excellence of workmanship, bronze medals will be awarded to Colonial workmen, for work executed during the last twelve months, in wood, metal, textile fibres, leather, or other materials. Competitors need not be members of the Society; nor will they be charged any fee for entry of exhibit.

SECTION IX.—SCHOOLS.

Prizes will be awarded to Public Schools and children attending schools under the Council of Education, under the following regulations:—I. Certificates of merit will be offered for competition among the children of each school, the objects of competition being—

Class.
738. For girls—Plain needlework.
739. Fancy needlework and embroidery.
740. For boys—Mechanical contrivances.
741. Wood carving.
742. Collections of natural history, *viz.*: Wild flowers (dried); stuffed birds, insects, shells (collections), in which beauty of arrangement will be as much regarded as excellence of specimens.
743. Drawing (open to both boys and girls).

A bronze medal will be awarded to the school taking the greatest number of such prizes.

Each school is to be limited to one exhibit in each of the above named classes.

Exhibits intended for competition will have to be selected by the Local Boards, and forwarded to the Exhibition Building, with full particulars connected therewith.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SALT DEPARTMENT FOR 1877-78.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.—MIS. REVENUE.

Calcutta, the 26th September 1878.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on the Administration of the Salt Department for 1877-78.

THE receipts of the year show an increase of Rs. 7,64,417 over those of 1876-77, and that notwithstanding a falling off of Rs. 31,753 in receipts from golah rents. Under all the other headings, viz. duties on imported and excise salt, rowannah fees, and miscellaneous receipts, there was an improvement amounting in gross to Rs. 7,96,170. The receipts of the last five years stand thus—

	Rs.
1873-74	2,59,92,661
1874-75	2,64,87,143
1875-76	2,52,41,925
1876-77	2,56,90,656
1877-78	2,64,55,073

2. The following table shows the stocks, imports, manufacture, and clearances for consumption of the last five years :—

	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Stocks at commencement of year	23,25,766	20,59,418	20,87,317	41,53,880	42,50,816
Imported and manufactured during the year	78,41,600	82,88,081	1,00,24,736	82,66,990	64,63,127
Cleared for consumption	79,44,247	81,99,389	79,14,513	81,07,022	84,82,362
Wastage, &c.	1,63,704	60,793	43,660	63,032	1,03,213
Balance at close of year	20,59,418	20,87,317	41,53,880	42,50,816	21,28,566

3. There was a further decrease in imports during the year, as the heavy stocks received in 1874-75 had still to be worked off. The imports by sea of 1877-78 were only 62,92,141 maunds, against 78,58,142 in 1876-77 and 97,00,310 in 1875-76. This decrease in imports occurred both at Calcutta and Chittagong, but was attributable in the case of the latter port to local stagnation of trade and distress arising from the cyclone of 31st October 1876. The importations into Calcutta fell off from every port except Bombay. The continued falling off in the imports from continental Europe, Egypt, and the Arabian and Persian Gulfs is an unsatisfactory feature in the returns of the last few years. Chittagong took the bulk of its supply as usual from Great Britain, but 23,698 mannds were this year also received by it from Madras. Balasore had an import of 5,992 maunds from Madras, the first time for many years that salt has been imported into that saliferous district.

4. The clearances of salt for consumption stood thus—

	Quantity. Mds.	Duty. Rs.
Sales of imported salt from shipboard ...	54,59,877	1,69,59,194
Ditto ditto from bond ...	26,51,799	82,78,811
Sales of excise salt	3,70,686	10,03,065
Total ...	84,82,362	2,62,41,070

5. The increased consumption indicated by increased clearances is very satisfactory. From the returns of internal trade which are now being compiled in this office, it would appear that the most marked increase was in Behar, where the average consumption of the population rose to nearly the same

standard as that of Bengal generally, being this year upwards of 10lbs. per head after making all allowances for export beyond the province. The general increase in consumption throughout Bengal in a year of very high prices is a certain sign of the prosperity of the agricultural classes, and a proof that the profits arising from the sale of their crops at abnormal rates have to some extent reached them and remained with them.

6. It will be seen that the stocks in hand at the close of the year had fallen nearly to the figures of 1873-74 and 1874-75. They are probably as low as they can be with safety in view of the increased consumption likely to follow the reduction of duty. Any disturbance of trade in Europe, or any accident to the Suez Canal, might have very serious effects on the Bengal supply of salt, and it is desirable to have at least four months' consumption in hand.

7. The manufacture of excise salt was very slack during the year, the total outturn being 1,70,986 maunds, against 4,07,975 manuds in 1876-77. The decreased outturn in Balasore was owing to failure of the manufacture—a fact which also accounts for the import to that place of Madras salt. In Pooree the trade was a losing one owing to the competition of Ganjam salt, and it was only kept up at all by the anticipation of the relief which the Government of India has since given by raising the duty on Ganjam salt and paying the cost of preventive establishments in Pooree from Imperial Funds. The actual demand for country-made salt was brisker in the 24-Pergunnahs and Pooree than in 1876-77, while the sales were smaller in Cuttack and Balasore.

8. It is impossible to compare profitably the consumption of salt for 1877-78 in the saliferous tracts within which the rowannah system is in force with the consumption of previous years, owing to the reduction of the area affected by that system, which took effect on the 1st April 1877. Wherever it has been found possible to compare the consumption of the two years in the same area, the result is to show an increase, with the single exception of Noakholly, where there was a decrease owing to the effects of the cyclone upon the circumstances of the people, and possibly to illicit manufacture for home consumption by the sufferers from that calamity.

It is too soon as yet to judge properly of the effects of the modifications and limitations of the rowannah system referred to above. The Board, in paragraphs 27 to 32 of their report, discuss this so far as the available information goes. It would appear that, as regards Midnapore, the 24-Pergunnahs and Backergunge, both in the still protected tracts, and in the districts as a whole of which these form a part, there has been an increase of consumption, or at any rate no falling off. Chittagong shows an increase of consumption in the protected tracts, though there was a decrease in the district as a whole. Noakholly, as already noticed, shows a falling off. The population of the protected tracts, as now defined, in Cuttack and Balasore being unknown, no proper comparison can be made. The Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs thinks that the measure has given a stimulus to legitimate trade. The Collector of Noakholly is not in favour of the withdrawal of the restrictions, and it has in fact been found necessary to extend the rowannah system again to certain parts of this district. In Cuttack the excluded area is very insignificant, and the change can have had little effect either way. In Pooree the Collector anticipates more illicit manufacture, but there are not sufficient data as yet for the formation of a trustworthy opinion. The Collector of Balasore believes that there has been no injurious effect upon the revenue, but a great part of this district is still under the rowannah system. After another year's experience a better judgment will be possible than can now be formed.

9. The number of seizures of salt in the saliferous tracts was 821, against 860 in the previous year, and the quantity seized was 2,894 maunds, against 878 maunds. But owing to the failure of one heavy case in the Howrah district, in which 1,231 maunds were released, the amount confiscated was only 671 maunds as against 411 maunds in 1876-77; 492 maunds were under attachment at the close of the year. It is stated that, apart from the Howrah case, the results are on the whole favourable to the police; for, while fewer petty cases were prosecuted, they detected a larger number of a more important character.

10. The number of fresh prosecutions under the salt laws instituted during the year was 1,122 as against 1,591 in 1876-77. In 1,057 out of 1,134

cases brought to trial in the year convictions were obtained, the figures for the previous year being 1,520 out of 1,599. The percentage of convictions was 95·3 against 96·5. Rs. 6,584 were realized as fines, against Rs. 9,223 in 1876-77: 48·2 per cent. of the realizations were paid away as rewards.

The decrease in cases instituted occurred in Midnapore, the 24-Pergunnahs, Backergunge, Noakholly, Pooree, and Balasore. In Howrah, Jessore, Chittagong, and Cuttack there was an increase. The decrease was chiefly in cases of illicit manufacture, and of neglect to certify sales or losses on rowannahs. In Pooree and Noakholly, however, the net decrease arose from the number of breaches of technical rules, there being an actual increase in illicit manufacture, as there was also in Chittagong. The high prices of food in Noakholly and Chittagong after the cyclone no doubt tempted the people to manufacture illicit salt. Generally speaking, the offences under the salt law are not serious. The following statement shows the number of cases of illicit manufacture in each district:—

	1876-77.	1877-78.
Midnapore	122	19
Howrah	6	7
24-Pergunnahs	495	364
Jessore	1	.....
Backergunge	.....	9
Chittagong	123	244
Noakholly	26	82
Cuttack	6	1
Pooree	2	16
Balasore	8	8

Judging from the punishments, most of the cases were petty. The very small number of cases in the Orissa saliferous tracts, as compared with the 24-Pergunnahs and Chittagong, is remarkable. The sudden falling off in Midnapore leads to a doubt whether the police have done their duty properly in 1877-78.

11. The return of salt conveyed into the interior shows an increase of 99,086 maunds in the quantity leaving Calcutta by water, and of 3,47,349 maunds in the despatches by rail; the total despatched by rail and river being 79,41,633 maunds, against 74,95,198 maunds in the previous year. These figures are, however, incomplete, and do not show the whole export from Calcutta inwards. This will be given more fully in the report on internal trade.

12. The falling off in the demand for bonding accommodation in Calcutta has received the attention of the Board and Government, and steps have been taken to make the incidence of the charges for rent more equitable with reference to the amount of storage required by each bonder, so as to induce the trade to make more use of the Government warehouses.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE PRESIDENCY DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1877-78.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 25th September 1878.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The General Administration Report of the Presidency Division for 1877-78.

MR. R. L. MANGLES was Commissioner throughout the year. The report is submitted by Mr. Peacock, his *locum tenens*.

2. *Annual tours.*—The Commissioner of the Presidency Division finds his work at head-quarters too heavy and multifarious to admit of his leaving Calcutta for any length of time. Mr. Mangles made, however, very thorough inspections of the three sudder stations of his division—of the Bongong sub-divisional office, of the Calcutta Collectorate, and of the toll office at Dhappa. None of the district officers were a sufficient time out in camp. Mr. Hodgkinson, the Collector of Moorshedabad, was altogether only 32 days on tour, the Collector of Jessore, Mr. Page, only 45 days, and the Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs 48 days. The Lieutenant-Governor cannot accept the excuse of want of leisure for the neglect of such an important duty. Even when he was on tour, Mr. Hodgkinson is reported by the Commissioner to have done little besides inspecting the sub-divisions of Lalbagh and Rampore Haut, and a few police-stations. Even if pressure of work at head-quarters could be admitted as an excuse in the case of district officers, it cannot certainly be allowed in the case of the sub-divisional officers, who can take all their work with them. Very few of them seem to have done a proper amount of mofussil inspection, and Mr. Reily, of Lalbagh, never attempted to go out at all. Commissioners must specially impress upon their subordinates that each district officer should be in the interior of his district at least three months in each year, and each sub-divisional officer at least four months. The tours need not always be crowded into the cold weather. In many districts of Bengal the rains are the best time at which to travel. District officers are quite losing their hold over the people from their habit of never seeing them except in court or in office. No district officer can possibly be efficient who does not know his district well, and who has not, by moving freely about the country, learnt something of the village life of the people. There has been a great change in this respect in late years, and it has been attended with the worst results.

3. *Weather and crops.*—The rainfall was full and sufficient up to the middle of October, and the early and late rice crops were at least average. But owing to the want of showers later on the cold weather crops proved short. In the 24-Pergunnahs jute cultivation is extending, especially in Baraset, as also is the cultivation of sugarcane and the date-palm. The indigo crop was poor both in Nuddea and Jessore. In Moorshedabad the yield of all the crops was fair.

4. *Public health.*—The year was generally an unhealthy one. In the 24-Pergunnahs malarious fever was unusually prevalent, particularly in the Barrackpore and Barripore sub-divisions. Measures were being taken for the examination of the drainage and water-ways, obstructions in which were supposed to have led to the outbreak. In various parts of Nuddea the same aggravated fever showed itself, and various drainage projects were consequently started. Along the banks of the Navagunga in Jessore the same disease committed great ravages, and here the people blamed the want of inundation to cleanse and fill the tanks. Moorshedabad is always feverish, and last year the district suffered more than ever. Cholera showed itself in every district, but seldom became epidemic. Small-pox was only occasionally heard of. Vaccination has done much for the Presidency Division in stopping small-pox.

5. *Material condition of the people.*—The year was one of progress and increased prosperity, especially in regard to the lower classes, whether ryots or

artizans. The latter are able apparently in districts near the Presidency to share in the growing prosperity and gains of the former. The best proof of the generally improved condition of all classes is, as Mr. Peacock remarks, the way in which they have stood the high prices of the past year—prices actually higher than those assumed in 1874 as famine rates. Moorshedabad is, perhaps, the most backward district in the division; but even here, as elsewhere, the ryot is in a much more independent and well-to-do condition than could have been hoped for twenty-years ago. He is everywhere, however, reckless and improvident, ready to sell off all his grain while prices are high, and to squander the proceeds, and never getting out of debt to his mahajun and zemindar. There is a general agreement among the district officers as to the depressed condition of the middle classes on moderate incomes. "Too proud" (writes one officer) "to soil their respectable hands with honest labour, but not too proud to live a life of dependence on others, their field of occupation remains limited in extent, while their numbers increase. What their future will be it is difficult to foresee; but even now their existence is so precarious, that they feel the pressure of high prices of food more than their humble, but more useful, brethren." The Commissioner hopes that these classes are beginning themselves to recognise their position, and to turn their attention to trades and other means of earning a livelihood opposed to their traditions of caste and family.

6. *Emigration and immigration.*—So far as the resident inhabitants of the Presidency districts are concerned, there is no emigration in the division. Through Calcutta, however, pass the thousands who seek employment in the colonies or the tea districts. To them no special reference need here be made. There is also a great local influx of labourers to the Sunderbuns at harvest time from the districts around. But the immigration of *buna* coolies to Nuddea and Jessore is ceasing with the gradual closing of the indigo factories.

7. *Prices of food and wages.*—The average price of common rice in the 24-Pergunnahs during the year was 13 seers 13 chittacks per rupee, against 18 seers 7 chittacks in 1876-77. In Nuddea prices were as high as 10 seers 7 chittacks in the sudder station. In Jessore the average was 14 seers 9 chittacks, and in Moorshedabad 15 seers 3 chittacks, or nearly as high as in 1873-74. Other articles were dear in proportion, and the wages of labour followed the rise in most parts of the division.

8. *Manufactures.*—There is little new to add to the very full descriptions given of the manufactures of this division in former reports and reviews. The manufacture of indigo in Nuddea is becoming less profitable every year, and the plant will soon be grown only on *chur* lands. The crop seems too precarious for large capitalists. The cultivation of tobacco, on the other hand, is spreading. A new steam silk filature has been opened at Plassy. In Jessore the sugar manufacture increases, while indigo dwindles. Silk in Moorshedabad has again fallen back to a depressed condition.

9. *Trade and commerce.*—Trade in all country produce was abnormally brisk in 1877-78. It seems to have tempted some of the more respectable and hitherto uncommercial classes in Jessore to form petty companies or take shares in shops—a movement which the Lieutenant-Governor would like to see followed in many other districts. This is one of the most hopeful signs of the times, and occupation of this sort will gradually, it is hoped, absorb the numerous classes who are disinclined to, or incapable of, labour, and are unable to obtain appointments as clerks and writers. The details of traffic will be dealt with in connection with the Report on Internal Trade.

10. *Public feeling.*—The Turko-Russian war naturally attracted more attention about the Presidency than in the remote interior. The sympathies of the people, both Hindu and Mahomedan, are said to have been pro-Turkish. Taxation is the subject that most occupied the people's thoughts, and the general testimony goes to show that the road cess and public works cess, collected in a manner understood by the classes affected, and, in the case of the road cess at least, spent upon objects in which they take an interest, are much less unpopular than the license tax. The license tax is, however, viewed by the land-owning class with some satisfaction, as falling upon a class that has hitherto escaped from its due share of the fiscal burden. The Vernacular Press Act naturally excited much discussion; but, as Mr. Peacock observes, "it is not easy to say

how far the feeling against it is that of the people themselves, or is a mere echo of the newspaper productions on the subject." Probably outside the class whose ambition it is to write, and those whose trade it is to agitate, the Act excites very little real interest of any kind.

11. *Public Press.*—The Presidency Division is, of course, strong in its newspaper press. There has certainly been a more moderate style of writing in the vernacular papers since the passing of Act IX of 1878. The Commissioner observes—"The change certainly came not before it was wanted. After all the most mischievous action (of the former style) was the effect it had on native officials, many of whom have an almost morbid dread of being attacked in a newspaper. The effect in this respect was undoubtedly very bad as tending to incline too great a subservience to local feelings or opinions, and to diminish self-reliance and independence."

12. *Administrative changes.*—The Chowkidari Act has been introduced with success into the greater part of the division. It is said to be popular with the people as a rule, and to have done much good by improving the position of the chowkidars and the control over them of the district officers. The Commissioner thinks that the bench system in the interior might now be still further developed by permitting selected Honorary Magistrates to sit without stipendiary assessors to try cases. The Lieutenant-Governor would be willing to try this if Mr. Peacock will submit definite proposals to the Judicial Department. The operations under the Land Registration Act have gone on smoothly, and the objects of the Act are being gradually appreciated.

13. *Police and crime.*—The crime returns may be held to point to decided improvement in the police of all four districts of the division. There is a satisfactory decrease in serious crime, and even the high prices of food have not had the effect of increasing materially offences against property, while there is, on the whole, an improvement in the results of trial. There were, however, some unfortunate failures in serious cases, and though it is said that the class of men in charge of police-stations has much improved, they are still far from being efficient detectives.

14. *Civil Justice.*—District Officers would make this part of their reports more interesting and full if they were to consult more freely in regard to it with the District Judge. At present the information given is very meagre, and indeed the Magistrate of the 24-Pergunnahs has made no attempt to give any information at all. In the other districts the standing complaints are repeated about the delays and expense of civil and specially of rent suits, and the corruption of the peons and process-servers.

15. *Land Revenue.*—Taking the division as a whole, the collections of land revenue were 93·2 per cent. of the demand, against 91·8 in 1876-77 and 90·1 in 1875-76. The improvement is in Calcutta, Moorshedabad, and the 24-Pergunnahs, while Nuddea and Jessore show a falling off, Nuddea being the worst of the two. The collections on Government estates were better than in 1876-77, but heavy arrear balances still remain unrealized. The settlement work done in Nuddea, Jessore, and Moorshedabad seems to have been very insufficient, and the number of pending cases in all these districts is far too large. The relations of landlords and tenants are described as satisfactory, but a more speedy process of realizing rents is much desired by the zemindar.

16. *Excise.*—The total excise revenue of the division was Rs. 20,87,924, against Rs. 18,97,382 in 1876-77, showing an increase of Rs. 1,90,542. The largest increase was in Calcutta, where there had been a serious falling off in 1876-77, and the next largest in the 24-Pergunnahs. The revenue was Rs. 2,43,057 in excess of the average of the last three years. The demand was collected in full, no remissions being required. The increase is generally accounted for by the prosperous condition of the people; but it is very unsatisfactory to see a steady increase in the consumption of ganja. The duty has been raised again this year both on ganja and opium, and it may be hoped that this will check the consumption of those drugs. The Commissioner believes that in this division much has yet to be done to check illicit practices and raise the Government revenue to its legitimate amount.

17. *Salt.*—The local manufacture of salt in the 24-Pergunnahs fell off considerably, the outturn being only 18,023 maunds, against 34,004 in the year preceding. The limits of the tract under the rowannah sections of the salt law

were considerably reduced during the year. The police did good service in detecting cases of illicit manufacture and evasion of the law.

18. *Stamps.*—The stamp revenue rose from Rs. 49,72,693 to Rs. 53,95,690. Of the increase, Rs. 1,53,623 came from telegraph stamps, Rs. 1,21,059 from judicial stamps, and Rs. 55,638 from postage stamps. The increase in telegrams was caused by the Madras famine and the disturbed state of affairs in Europe.

19. *Monetary matters.*—The transactions of the savings banks and money order department continue to be very trifling. But there was large use made of currency notes for purposes of remittance, the demand being in Jessore and Moorshedabad greater than the Collectors were able to meet.

20. *Roads and communications.*—The expenditure on original works and repairs during the year from the Road Fund of each district was as follows:—

	Original works.	Repairs.
	Rs.	Rs.
24-Pergunnahs	32,038	80,836
Nuddea	10,345	63,911
Jessore	31,590	56,823
Moorshedabad	14,257	60,149

One satisfactory feature is the amounts spent upon village roads in nearly every district. More might, however, be usefully spent in this way in Nuddea.

21. *Committees.*—Mr. Stevens, the Collector of Nuddea, explains that he did not intend in his last year's report to speak unfavourably of his Road Cess Committees, but his opinion is that Committees are not suitable to the management of large departments dealing with large tracts of country, though they may do very well for municipal work. As Mr. Peacock very properly remarks—"Committees do not manage the departments, but rightly used are the advisers of the Magistrate as regards the wants of the district in the way of communications." A Committee properly constituted has on it men who know more or less of many parts of the district. It is to be feared that Mr. Stevens was only too ready to centre all administration and work in his own hands, with results that have certainly not been satisfactory either to himself or Government. In all other districts good and useful work was done by Committees of all kinds.

22. *Cattle-pounds.*—The working of the cattle-pounds has much improved, and there is a very noticeable growth in the receipts. In Nuddea, inspectors of pounds have been appointed, and in that district and the 24-Pergunnahs a new system of check is being tried, which may, it is hoped, prevent some of the extensive peculation hitherto associated with pound management.

23. *Education.*—There is an apparent decrease in schools and pupils, but the Inspector believes that there is no real loss, but merely an incompleteness in the returns. The Lieutenant-Governor will leave the consideration of the question for the resolution on the Director's report. It may, however, here be noted that in all the districts there has been a falling off in the number of Mahomedan pupils, owing, it is said, to the pressure of high prices. The total for the division was 28,528, against 30,944 in 1876-77. The number of girls at school has also decreased—4,560 against 4,826.

24. *Wards' Estates.*—The work in connection with Wards' Estates is very heavy in the 24-Pergunnahs, Jessore, and Moorshedabad. While the Paikpara estate is well and easily managed, on the other hand the estates of Satkhira and Narail are a source of constant trouble, and their management gives very unsatisfactory results. Generally, the efforts of Collectors and Managers to nurse embarrassed properties and improve sound ones are creditable to them and fairly successful. But the establishment of a strict professional audit of estate accounts is above all things necessary. The matter is now under consideration.

25. *Conduct of zemindars.*—There are so many good zemindars in the Presidency Division that it would be almost invidious to select any for special favourable mention. Those who are badly spoken of are few and far between.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE CHITTAGONG DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1877-78.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 25th September 1878.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

General Report on the Chittagong Division for 1877-78.

MR. E. LOWIS was Commissioner of the Division for eleven months of the past year, but the report is submitted by Mr. Beames, who took charge on the 1st of March. It appears that Mr. Lowis left no notes for the use of his successor, and Mr. Beames has consequently had great difficulties to contend with in preparing the annual report of a division which is conspicuous for its peculiar local features and for the special character of its people. It is generally understood that an officer who is relieved of his duties towards the close of the official year is not thereby absolved from the necessity of placing his successor in a position to submit an adequate account of the more important measures of the year. It might naturally be supposed that no specific directions would be required on a matter like this, and that the outgoing officer would take enough personal interest in his work to wish that its results should be fully and fairly recorded. But in practice it continually happens that Government has to put up with a meagre report, in consequence of some transfer of officers which has taken place late in the year.

2. *Tours of Officers.*—Mr. Lowis made a short tour for inspection purposes in the end of 1877, and went out again later on in the cold weather to visit some moonsifees in his capacity of Judge. Messrs. Currie and Porch, the district officers of Chittagong and Noakholly, made lengthy tours; but as no diaries were submitted by either of them to the Commissioner, it is impossible to know whether their time was usefully employed. Mr. Porch was absent from his head-quarters for four months and a half, and has submitted a long list of subjects which are said to have engaged his special attention, but there is nothing to show that this led to any tangible or profitable results.

3. *Weather and Crops.*—In Chittagong an unusually heavy and concentrated rainfall destroyed a large portion of the autumn rice crop in the northern and central parts of the district. Towards the south the outturn was better, and everywhere the extension of the area of the cold weather crops made up, in some measure, for the partial loss of the autumn rice. But the high prices arising from excessive exportation seem to have borne hardly on the lower classes. In Noakholly the rainfall was less than usual, and was well distributed, so that the people obtained a fair harvest, the cold weather crop alone being slightly deficient.

4. *Public Health.*—Although Chittagong is still terribly unhealthy, the general health of the people, both here and in Noakholly, is said to show some signs of improvement since the cyclone of 1876. Cholera seems to have been drowned out by the heavy rains of July and August, there being only 17 cases in the last six months of the year, though it had been exceptionally virulent in April and May. Vigorous efforts have been made to spread vaccination in Chittagong, and there seems to have been some diminution of small-pox.

5. *Condition of the people.*—It was remarked in the Resolution on last year's report that the fact of the people having tided over the distress following on the cyclone, without any assistance from Government, was of itself striking evidence of their generally prosperous condition. In the tracts actually devastated by the cyclone, there was some decrease in cultivation owing to the difficulty of obtaining seed-grain, and partly also from the idea that the salt-water had destroyed the fertility of the soil. The high prices of food must have pressed severely on the lower classes, but the cultivators in general have made few complaints. There have also been some complaints of the pressure of recent taxation—the Road Cess, Public Works Cess, and License Tax all having come into operation in Chittagong about the same time; but the grumbling appears to have proceeded for the most part from the zemindars. Great difficulty has been experienced in getting laborers for road and embankment

works, while there has been only a slight falling off in the institution of criminal charges, which is the favourite though somewhat costly amusement of the Chittagong ryot. On the whole, there is no reason to believe that the material condition of the people in the greater part of the district was worse than in other parts of Bengal. No doubt the people suffered from the effects of high prices the more, because Chittagong is an importing district. In the part affected by the cyclone, there was certainly much distress felt. But after another good harvest, the condition of the district will, it may be hoped, be entirely satisfactory.

6. *Wages and prices.*—Prices were high throughout the year, partly owing to the short harvest in Chittagong, and partly in consequence of the demand from Madras. Common rice rose in Chittagong from Rs. 2-12 to Rs. 3-12 a maund, and in Noakholly from Rs. 2-8 to Rs. 3-4—rates which for those districts are very high. Wages showed no marked rise, but the rates here are always high, and even at these rates it is said to be difficult to get men to work, except under the pressure of absolute want.

7. *Emigration.*—The temporary emigration of agricultural laborers to Arracan fell off slightly in consequence of a reduction in the rates paid for harvesting by the Arracanese. Permanent emigration is said to be gaining ground among the Mughs in Cox's Bazar, who are unable to hold their ground against the more industrious and enterprising Bengalis. Nothing is known about immigration into Chittagong. Act VII (B.C.) of 1873 was extended to the district towards the close of the year, but the planters prefer to employ local labour as much as possible in order to avoid the restrictions and supervision imposed by the Act.

8. *Trade and state of the Port.*—Chittagong trade is suffering from the depression caused by the cyclone and the excessive importation of salt in 1875-76 and 1876-77; but the exports of rice appear to have increased by about 2,000 tons. An attempt is being made to develope the trade in jute with Naraingunge by running a small steamer between that port and Chittagong, and two large vessels were recently taking in cargo of jute at Chittagong. A cursory examination of the channels of the river Megna leading to Naraingunge was made in 1876 by the River Surveyor, with the object of ascertaining whether it would be possible to open up direct communication with England. At the request of the commercial firms interested in Naraingunge trade, the results of this examination have recently been published in the form of sailing directions, with the approval of the Marine Survey Department. It is believed that the difficulties of the navigation are such as would deter British ships from attempting to enter Naraingunge; but the port is obviously a convenient one for the shipment of the produce of the eastern districts, and the present scheme for sending jute to Chittagong in flats towed by a light steamer seems to promise well.

9. It is hoped that the general progress of Chittagong trade may be furthered by the deepening of the Moheshkhally Khall. The Lieutenant-Governor will be ready to consider any similar projects for affording facilities to local trade which the Commissioner may recommend. The exports of tea were 608,970lbs., against 601,931lbs. in 1876-77. The area under tea is gradually increasing, and the year was fairly favourable.

10. *Public feeling.*—The state of public feeling in the Chittagong Division is very much what might be expected to exist among a people who, after a long period of exceptional prosperity and comparative immunity from taxation, have been visited by a destructive natural calamity, followed by the introduction of new taxes, which, however necessary, can hardly fail in the first instance to be more or less vexatious. There is, however, every reason to believe that there is no disloyalty, and that all discontent will soon settle down. The Lieutenant-Governor entirely endorses Mr. Veasey's remark that a little forbearance on the part of the officers of Government will often do much to smooth down asperities. It is quite time, the Lieutenant-Governor sees reason to believe, that the experiment should be tried in Chittagong; and he took occasion to impress this upon the Commissioner and his subordinates when visiting that place at the beginning of the year. It is hoped that the Land Registration Act will have a good effect upon the temper of the people by checking the excessive and frivolous litigation which has so long been one of the worst characteristics of these districts. The Commissioner calls special attention to the

difficulties of working the Chowkidari Act. In Chittagong the punchayets nominated under the Act defraud the chowkidars of their pay, and produce forged receipts when called to account by the Magistrate. In Noakholly the people will not recognise the assessments made by the punchayets, and resist by force any attempts made to realise arrears by the attachment of their property. This state of things is no doubt thoroughly bad. It shows how completely the old system of village subordination has been broken up in Eastern Bengal, while nothing has arisen to supply its place. The Lieutenant-Governor entirely agrees with the Commissioner that no legislative enactments can revive, in its original form, the patriarchal authority of the village headmen; but he must dissent from the further conclusion that it is therefore hopeless to attempt to establish any local authority whatever. The period of transition from a patriarchal to a legal *régime* must inevitably be unsettled, especially where the people themselves are turbulent and indisposed to submit to any restaint; but it may be hoped that, in the long run, they will be forced to recognise the necessity of at least conforming to the law.

11. *Police and crime.*—No improvement in the police of the division seems to have taken place during the year. In Chittagong they are said to be languid and careless, and in Noakholly timid. Where the rates of wages in all kinds of employment stand so high as they do in the Chittagong Division, there must always be a difficulty in maintaining an efficient body of police. It is satisfactory, however, to find an improvement in reporting cases, and the Commissioner is probably right in attributing the apparent increase in cognizable crime to this cause. The following figures show the relative criminality of the two districts with reference to area and population:—

	Chittagong.	Noakholly.
Area	2,315	1,740
Population	1,043,283	949,616
Crime to area	·76	1·19
„ to population	1 to 661	1 to 491

12. Arson is still very prevalent in Chittagong, and, owing to the character of the houses, it is exceedingly difficult to say, in any particular case of house-burning, whether the fire was accidental or not. The Commissioner suggests that prosecutions for criminal intimidation should be resorted to in all cases where the fire has actually been preceded by threats. If sufficiently heavy punishments are inflicted, it is possible that this plan may have a good effect. The Lieutenant-Governor approves the instructions given to the district authorities at Noakholly to deal severely with the professional criminals who are said to abound in that district. The inadequate sentences given by native Deputy Magistrates have had, it is said, a very bad effect in connection with professional crime. This only too often, it is to be feared, arises from a weak and generally futile hope that a very lenient sentence may prevent appeal.

13. *Civil justice.*—The Commissioner remarks upon the bad effects produced by the transfer of rent suits to the civil courts, and states that in Noakholly the average duration of a "simple" rent suit in a Moonsiff's court is fifty days, whereas the revenue courts usually disposed of such cases in twenty days. The Moonsiffs have, Mr. Beames thinks, necessarily very limited knowledge of the systems of land management, and they endeavour to make up for this defect by falling back upon legal technicalities. The Lieutenant-Governor fears there is some truth in this charge.

14. *Land revenue.*—The total land revenue demand was Rs. 13,23,455, of which Rs. 9,27,281 were collected, leaving Rs. 3,96,153 still outstanding. Of this arrear balance no less than Rs. 2,40,725 belongs to Chittagong, where, out of 28,735 estates, 25,186 pay less than Rs. 10 per annum as revenue. Suspensions of revenue granted in consequence of the cyclone are also still in force, so that the collections of the year are under the circumstances satisfactory.

15. *Settlements.*—Good progress has been made in the Noabad settlement under the charge of Mr. Fasson. During the year 137,982 acres were measured, against 107,405 in the previous year. Half of the estimated area which will have to be measured has now been completed at a cost of Rs. 24,683-2-9, or on an average Rs. 17-14-2 per 100 acres. Up to the close of the year 14,623 acres had been completely settled at an assessment of Rs. 14,897, being an increase of Rs. 9,884 on the former jumma of Rs. 5,013.

Most of the land settled was newly discovered land not included in the settlement made by Sir Henry Ricketts in 1848. Several important points in connection with the Noabad settlement have recently been decided by Government, and it is hoped that no difficulty will now be found in carrying the work to completion.

16. *Wards' and Government Estates.*—In both Chittagong and Noakholly the collections from Government and Wards' Estates were backward at the close of the year, partly from the lack of vigorous action on the part of the district officers, and partly owing to the difficulty of realizing rents under the present rent law.

17. *Excise and stamps.*—The excise arrangements of the division are undergoing a complete revision, the outstill system being substituted as far as possible for central distilleries. Nothing is said by the Commissioner about the progress of the stamp revenue; but it is believed that this will show a considerable increase in consequence of the numerous applications for registration under Act VII of 1876. It was brought to the notice of Government during the year that the requirements of this Act in respect of stamps tended to bear hardly upon the proprietors of small estates, and such concessions were made as were possible under the circumstances.

18. *Monetary arrangements.*—The savings banks are not largely resorted to by the public, who can obtain higher rates of interest elsewhere, and who do not care to sacrifice high interest merely for the sake of security. The number of money orders paid and issued in Chittagong has largely increased, a considerable proportion of the orders paid being remittances by natives of Chittagong serving as seamen in other parts of India. In Noakholly the issues fell from 1,880 for Rs. 1,65,877 to 1,374 for Rs. 1,23,533. This is attributed to the absence of a money order clerk, which drove people to use hoondies.

19. *Road Cess, &c.*—Fair progress has recently been made in the collection of the Road Cess and Public Works Cess in Chittagong. Arguing from his experience in Orissa, the Commissioner anticipates that the assessment papers under the Road Cess will, when completed, exercise some influence in the direction of checking litigation. It is hoped that this may be the case, and the people of this division are not likely to be slow in availing themselves of any advantages they may derive from the returns.

20. *Education.*—The report contains scarcely any information on the subject of education. Only fifteen students have been entered in the Chittagong College, which the Commissioner considers to be in a "languishing" condition. A girls' school has recently been opened in Chittagong, supported by local subscriptions and a small grant from the Municipality; but it has not yet obtained any pupils in consequence, the Commissioner states, of the prejudices entertained by a Mahomedan population in favour of the seclusion of females.

21. *Local Committees.*—The Municipal Committee of Chittagong held fourteen meetings in the year, but very little good work is said to have been done, and the members are still spoken of as obstructive. In the other committees the non-official members are said to have given the Collector very slight assistance, and some difficulty was experienced in inducing them to attend. In Noakholly the local committees seem to have worked fairly well.

22. *Conduct of Zemindars.*—With the exception of Baboo Goluck Chunder Chowdry, who showed great liberality in connection with the establishment of the Chittagong College, no zemindars are selected for favourable mention by the Commissioner. Serious disturbances were caused in Chagulnaya thana in Noakholly by the mischievous system of management followed by the Rajah of Tipperah. Villages appear to be farmed out to the highest bidder and sublet to a series of speculators, until it is impossible for the lessee who actually deals with the cultivators to make any profit at all, except by illegal means. Further enquiry will be made into this matter, and it will be considered whether special police shall be quartered in the thana.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT, CHITTAGONG PORT, FOR 1877-78.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.—MARINE.

The 30th September 1878.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The Administration Report of the Chittagong Port for 1877-78.

The trade of Chittagong, which had been declining for some time, showed signs of reviving during the past year. Various causes operated to produce this result, the chief being the Madras famine and the demand for Chittagong rice in Bourbon and Mauritius, and the opening up of a direct trade with Europe in jute brought to Chittagong from Naraingunge. The following comparative statement of the number and tonnage of the vessels visiting the port during the last two years shows an increase of 212 vessels and 26,114 tons :—

PARTICULARS.	1876-77.		1877-78.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
European vessels trading with Europe	5	4,067	6	5,780	1	1,713	...	.....
Ditto foreign trade	16	6896·55	17	8063·77	1	1167·22	...	.....
Ditto coasting trade	7	2980·67	17	8984·7	10	6004·03	...	.....
Chittagong vessels	40	9817·52	37	8836·6	...	.....	3	980·92
Other native vessel	5	1391·14	5	1128·85	...	.....	...	262·29
Naraingunge inland trade	41	3753·6	92	14325·8	51	10572·2	...	.....
Mail steamers	68	27925·68	70	31613·08	2	3687·4	...	.....
Trading steamers	...	.....	2	1,147	2	1,147	...	.....
Ballam boats	1,609	23820·75	1,754	26,887	145	3066·25	...	.....
Total ...	1,791	80652·91	2,000	106766·8	212	27357·1	3	1243·21

It will be observed that the number of European vessels employed in the coasting trade rose considerably, and that there was a remarkable extension of the inland trade with Naraingunge. There was also an increase in the number of ballam boats, which are largely employed in the Naraingunge business.

2. It was remarked in the Resolution on the report for 1876-77 that the decline in the grain trade of Chittagong had been continuous since 1872-73. In 1876-77 the trade seems to have fallen to its lowest point, and it may be hoped that the results of the past year indicate the commencement of progressive improvement, and are not due merely to a spasmodic and temporary impulse: though no doubt trade was much stimulated by the demand for Madras and Ceylon. The following statement shows the amount and value of the exports of grain, the staple produce of the district, during the last two years :—

	Tons.	Value. Rs.
1876-77	18,659	11,85,508
1877-78	25,083	19,89,961

The total increase amounts to 6,424 tons valued at Rs. 8,04,453, of which 2,002 tons valued at Rs. 3,47,506 were sent to foreign ports, and 4,422 tons worth Rs. 4,56,947 were shipped to ports within British India. Most of the home export was taken by the small ports on the Coromandel coast of Madras, while the bulk of the foreign export went to Mauritius and Bourbon. The increase in exports appears to show that the trade has recovered from the serious disturbance caused by the cyclone of 1876, which not only destroyed a large proportion of crop which otherwise would have been available for export, but also injuriously affected the internal communications of the district and the entire mechanism of export trade.

3. Concurrently with the increase of exports noted above, the staple imports seem to have declined. The imports of salt fell from 5,565 tons to 4,391 tons, and those of earth-oil from British Burmah from 693 tons to 460 tons. Salt imports are stated to have declined in consequence of mismanagement on the part of the local bonders, who declined early in the year to import salt, because

freights were high, and subsequently were unable to arrange for a cargo, because the importing vessel would have been unable to secure a return freight. The reduced imports of earth-oil are attributed to the impoverished state, in consequence of the high prices of food, of the poorer classes of the districts, from whom the demand for this oil ordinarily proceeds.

4. The following statement exhibits the receipts and expenditure of the port for the last two years:—

		Rs.
Receipts	1876-77	19,708
	1877-78	24,840
Expenditure	1876-77	27,627
	1877-78	32,524

There has been a considerable increase in the receipts from port dues and from fees for pilotage, owing to the larger number of vessels which have visited the port. The accounts of the past year have not been finally adjusted, but the Commissioner reports that the balance at the credit of the Port Fund on the 31st March 1878 amounted to Rs. 27,745, which shows that the financial position of the port is sound. Under the head of expenditure, the charges for the Kutubdea Light-house have risen by Rs. 543 in consequence of the grant of enhanced salaries to the establishment; but the bulk of the increase shown above is due to the heavy Public Works charges for the repair of the embankments and for special works designed to protect the light-house from tidal influence. These are stated to have been thoroughly successful. Considering the enormous expense which the removal of the light-house would entail, and the difficulty of finding a satisfactory site for it, this is a matter of vital interest to the port. The screw-pile jetty has not yet been erected, and there appears to be some difficulty in obtaining tenders for the work. No doubt, however, these delays will soon be got over, and it is anticipated that the jetty will prove a great convenience to vessels using the port. It is satisfactory to find that there have been no complaints regarding the Kutubdea Light, and that commanders of mail steamers have expressed approval of its illuminating power.

5. Orders were issued last year directing the removal of the Norman's Point Lights one mile and a half further south. The change appears to have been a beneficial one, as in their new position the lights serve the double purpose of marking the bar as well as the coast line. Some saving of expense will also result, as the new site is sheltered from tidal action and no protective works will be required.

6. Dock-cutting in the river bank has now been prohibited, and the provisions of the Indian Ports Act and the Port Rules are strictly enforced. Twenty-four prosecutions were instituted during the year for offences connected with the port, and in one case a fine of Rs. 500 was inflicted for omitting to re-fill an excavation which had been allowed to be made in order to re-launch a vessel driven on shore by the cyclone.

7. On a general review of the operations of the year in Chittagong, there seems to be much which affords a fair promise of a permanent expansion of the trade in future. It is understood that hitherto the chief obstacle to vessels visiting Chittagong direct from Europe has been the difficulty of securing a return freight. There is some prospect now that the development of the Naraingunge route will render it possible to offer jute cargoes to vessels arriving from Europe, and this may eventually result in sending direct to Chittagong the extensive imports of cotton goods which now pass through Calcutta. These were valued in last year's report at Rs. 8,93,668, and it would be well worth shippers' while to consider the possibility of diverting this valuable trade to Chittagong itself.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT ON INLAND EMIGRATION.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.—EMIGRATION.

Calcutta, the 25th September 1878.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Report on Inland Emigration for the year 1877-78.

THE report is submitted by Dr. V. Richards, the Officiating Superintendent, who only took charge of his office on the 16th March last. This fact no doubt explains much of the confusion which exists in the figures of the report. Dr. Richards, to whom reference has been made on the subject, states that he found many discrepancies both in his office books and in the returns submitted to him, which he is unable to reconcile. In the case of contractors' coolies (class A) and sirdari coolies passed through contractors' depôts (class B), he has he believes succeeded through the contractors in getting accurate statistics up to the point of embarkation at Goalundo. There, however, discrepancies creep in, owing probably to a failure to discriminate between the two classes of gangs where both are forwarded together by a contractor. In the case of sirdari gangs proceeding independently (class C), there is no means of getting accurate or complete statistics, and it would have been better to treat this branch of the subject quite apart. Even of the numbers of sirdari coolies registered in the recruiting districts, there is no accurate record, owing to the neglect on the part of district offices to keep the Superintendent informed of this. In the Inland Labour Transport Act no obligation is imposed on the registering officer to forward copies of the registration in each case to Calcutta, as is done in connection with colonial emigration. But the Superintendent must make arrangements for receiving correct returns of the numbers of each class of emigrant recruited for the tea districts. The Lieutenant-Governor cannot in future years accept any excuse for the want of accurate information on this simple, but important, matter As regards contractors' coolies also, it has been the practice to rely upon the contractors to furnish all necessary information for the annual report. Dr. Richards has now very properly taken steps to have his office registers regularly posted up and checked monthly, so as to make him independent of the contractors.

The report generally and the statements appended to it refer only to coolies passing through Calcutta, and coming under the cognizance of the Superintendent there or at Goalundo. The little that is at present known of the gangs that travel by Rajmehal to Dhubri is given in a separate paragraph.

2. Inland emigration has received a marked impetus during 1877-78; the total number of intending emigrants registered during the year for transmission through contractors' depôts being 24,864, against 17,851 in 1876-77. Of these, 18,377 were registered by contractors' recruiters, and 6,487 were registered by garden sirdars. Out of the total number registered, 17,402 only arrived at their destination, the original number having been reduced through deaths, desertions, rejections, discharges, and detentions in depôt at the close of the year. These are the figures given in the report, but it appears that the coolies left in depôt at the close of the previous year are treated as new registrations of the current year. This seems to have been the practice in the Superintendent's office. It is of course erroneous. The number left in depôt at the close of 1876-77 was 763, and at the close of 1875-76 was 624. It will be remembered that these figures are included in the totals of 1877-78 and 1876-77 respectively under comparison in the present report.

3. The number of licensed contractors rose from 19 in 1876-77, to 26 in the past year. This increase is mainly due to the establishment of depôts by some large Calcutta firms who are interested in tea estates. These depôts are under the supervision of Europeans, and the subordinates employed appear to be efficiently controlled. It is most desirable that the business of supplying labour for Assam should be carried on by persons who are themselves interested in the success of the tea gardens, instead of being managed by Contractors who have no motive to look to beyond the market

price to be obtained for coolies; and the Lieutenant-Governor would be glad to see all the inland emigration depôts in the hands of firms whose commercial reputation would be some security for straight forward dealing and careful observance of the law.

4. There was a considerable decrease in the number of recruiters' licenses granted, which fell from 842 to 780. Thirty-two licenses were cancelled for misconduct. The Superintendent of Emigration observes that the proportion of recruiting licenses cancelled affords a fair indication of the amount of supervision exercised by the contractor, and directs attention to three cases in which contractors, whose licenses have been withdrawn, had evidently employed a very bad class of recruiters. If the number of recruiters' licenses cancelled is a real test, there are other contractors shown in the table at page 2 whose operations need looking after. Thus it appears that Mr R. Hendry, a licensed contractor, has during the last three years employed 358 recruiters, and that licenses granted to his recruiters have been cancelled in no less than 31 cases, being 8·62 per cent. of the number of licenses granted during the period. In the past year Mr. Hendry employed 124 recruiters and had 12 licenses cancelled, which is nearly 10 per cent. of the total number granted. Moreover, his operations show no signs of improved supervision, for the number and proportion of licenses cancelled have steadily increased since 1875-76. It is difficult to avoid the conclusion that these results are due to the careless selection of recruiters in the first instance, and to negligent supervision of their subsequent operations; and the Lieutenant-Governor must draw the attention of the Superintendent of Emigration to the facts.

5. The number of emigrants recruited by licensed recruiters (class A) and passed through contractors' depôts amounted to 18,377, against 13,539 in the previous year. Of this number Chota Nagpore contributed 32·24, the 24-Pergunnahs 14·11, Shahabad 6·58, and Raneegunge 6·42 per cent. The large proportion registered in the 24-Pergunnahs is remarkable, and may possibly indicate some evasion of section 49 of the Act. It is well known, however, that large numbers of day-laborers in Chota Nagpore leave their homes in the cold weather and come to Calcutta in search of work, and it is not improbable that many of the emigrants registered at the 24-Pergunnahs were recruited from among the Dhangars employed on road work in and around Calcutta. The Superintendent should ascertain whether this is the case, and if he still finds reason to think that the law is systematically broken, he should endeavour to obtain more complete information as to the method of procedure followed by the recruiters. The high prices of food in Manbhoom led to a very marked increase in emigration from that district. The numbers coming from Shahabad probably were in like manner swelled by the influx of laborers from the districts of the North-Western Provinces where pressure was being felt.

6. Of the 18,377 souls registered by licensed recruiters, only 17,743, including an infant born on the way, eventually reached the depôts in Calcutta. The balance of 635 is thus accounted for:—

Detained in mofussil depôts ...	152
Discharged	103
Absconded	327
Left behind on the journey to Calcutta	43
Died	10
Total, all causes ...	635

It is very creditable to Baboo Heera Lal Mookerjee's arrangements that, out of 1,645 coolies collected in the mofussil, only one deserted on the journey to Calcutta. The Superintendent attributes this to the fact that the majority of his coolies, though registered by recruiters, were really collected by garden sirdars whose certificates expired before they could register their coolies. If this is a correct account of the matter, it shows that garden sirdars, if properly looked after, can secure a superior class of coolies far more readily than the professional recruiters.

7. The second class of emigrants (class B), consisting of coolies registered by garden sirdars, and forwarded to the tea districts through contractors' depôts, rose from 4,313 in 1876-77 to 6,487 in the past year, the majority of them

coming from Chota Nagpore. Only 6,325, however, were received into depôts in Calcutta, the reduction in numbers being due to the following causes:—

Detained in mofussil depôts	29
Discharged	2
Left behind on the journey to Calcutta	9
Absconded	67
Died	55
Total, all causes ...	162

Although the proportion of casualties among the sirdari recruiters' coolies was about one per cent. less than among the regular recruiters' coolies, it appears to have risen considerably during the past year. It is unsatisfactory to find that 44 out of the 67 desertions occurred among the coolies forwarded by two ordinary contractors, Mr. Hendry and Baboo J. N. Dutt.

8. The total number of emigrants admitted into the Calcutta depôts was 17,743 of the first class, and 6,325 of the second class of coolies, or 24,068 altogether, against 19,476 in the previous year. While in depôt, the number was largely reduced by the process of weeding out coolies physically unfit to emigrate, by discharge, by desertion, by death, and by detention in hospital: so that only 18,180 were actually passed for embarkation to Assam. The number of emigrants rejected as physically unfit was 869 or 3·61 per cent., 334 healthy dependents or 1·38 per cent. more of those admitted having to be returned to their homes in consequence. The total of both in 1876-77 was 3·60 per cent. In explanation of this unusually high proportion of rejections, the Superintendent states that the medical examinations in Calcutta were peculiarly strict during the past year, in consequence of complaints that many coolies physically unfit for work had been recently sent up to Assam. It is also suggested that, in many cases, the infirmities which led to rejection arose after the first medical examination in the mofussil, or were latent when that examination was conducted. But it is hardly possible that these considerations can account for more than a small proportion of the 869 cases in which emigrants, after having been pronounced healthy by the district medical authorities, were subsequently rejected by the medical inspector in Calcutta. It is clear to the Lieutenant-Governor that these results point to some serious defect in the present system. The Superintendent should take up the question carefully, and, after consulting the medical inspector and the district medical officers, should submit a special report on the causes of the numerous rejections in the past year, and the measures which should be adopted to secure, in future, a reasonably uniform test of health and fitness to labour, and its application at the earliest possible point, viz. in the recruiting districts. It seems possible that sickly men are substituted in some instances for the men passed by the district medical officers. Meantime the medical officers of the districts most largely affected by rejections will be called on for explanation.

9. It is satisfactory to find that the proportion of desertions among coolies detained in depôt fell from 6·27 per cent. to 4·18 per cent., the figures being 1,007 in 1877-78 to 1,227 in 1876-77. They are still very high, and the reduced total is mainly accounted for by the small number of desertions from the depôts of two contractors who are now largely employed in forwarding coolies recruited by garden sirdars. The numbers discharged for various causes were 892=3·7 per cent., against 770=3·96 per cent. in 1876-77. It is understood that many of the discharges are accounted for by the refusal of whole gangs to proceed if one relative is rejected.

10. There were 315 deaths, giving a mortality of 1·30 per cent. in the depôts during 1877-78, against 95 or 0·48 per cent. in the previous year. The medical inspector attributes this increase in the mortality to the prevalence of scarcity in the area from which the emigrants were recruited. It is very possible that the high prices generally prevalent pressed heavily upon the labouring castes to which the bulk of the emigrants to the tea districts belong, and reduced their physique. There was severe mortality from cholera especially among the Dhangar coolies, reaching in one depôt the figure of 7·00 per cent.

The average number of days detention in depôt was 13. On the formation of a separate hospital depôt, it may be hoped that the period of detention of healthy coolies will be reduced to a minimum.

11. The figures in paragraphs 8 to 10 relate to the whole depôt population (classes A and B) taken together. In the following table the two classes are compared according to the figures of the report:—

	Total number in depots.	Daily average strength.	Daily average sick.	Transferred to other depots.	Rejected.		Discharged.		Absconded.		Died.		Total passed as emigrants.	Forwarded to Goalundo.	Remaining in depôt.	Unaccounted for.
					Number.	Percentage.	Number.	Percentage.	Number.	Percentage.	Number.	Percentage.				
Class A	17,743	23·64	2·55	479	923	5·19	760	4·28	914	5·15	153	0·87	14,513	13,175	1,042	115
Class B	6,325	26·98	2·89	17	281	4·44	132	2·08	93	1·47	162	2·56	5,640	5,305	738	80

12. At the point of embarkation the figures of the report, as already remarked, become difficult to follow and reconcile: thus, in Statement I, the number of coolies of the first and second classes permitted to proceed from the depôts to the place of embarkation is shown as 18,580. There were five casualties between Calcutta and Goalundo, therefore 18,575 coolies should have arrived there. The Medical Superintendent at Goalundo, however, gives the number of arrivals at 21,11[illegible], of whom 2,511 were purely sirdari coolies who were embarked under the supervision of the department. Deducting these we get 18,607 as the numbers of the other classes according to the Goalundo returns, and not 18,575.

13. During detention at Goalundo among the 21,118 emigrants referred to by the Superintendent 185 deaths occurred, and the mortality, especially among children, is stated to have been heavier than in the preceding year. This is attributed to the general prevalence of cholera, and to the increase of what may be styled emigration by families. As a general rule, it will be found that the mortality among a body of emigrants varies directly with the proportion of children, and this will be more marked in a year when cholera is rife. The casualties from all causes at Goalundo were 349, and 300 were left in depôt at the close of the year. The casualties stood thus for the different classes:—

Class A	1·25	per cent.
„ B	1·07	„
„ C	4·80	„

The mortality among the sirdari gangs coming under the cognizance of the Superintendent on account of their having to be conveyed by steamer to Assam was very heavy, owing to the ravages of cholera among Dhangar coolies.

14. Altogether 12,999 coolies of the first class, and 5,123 of the second, were despatched to the tea districts through the agency of the Emigration Department. Their destinations were as follow:—

	Class I.	Class II.
Assam	11,049	3,969
Cachar	1,699	1,075
Sylhet	251	79
Total ...	12,999	5,123

Besides the above, despatched through the agency of contractors, the Superintendent at Goalundo had cognizance of 2,349 purely sirdari coolies going to Assam. Of gangs going to Cachar or Sylhet he takes no cognizance.

15. Of 17,367 persons despatched to Assam, 46[illegible] or 2·69 per cent. died on the way as against 1·46 in the year preceding. Cholera caused 297 or 1·71 per cent. of the deaths. The following statement shows the most important

particulars in connection with the emigrants who were conveyed to Assam by the regular steamer service during the last two years:—

	1876-77.		1877-78.	
Total number of trips	71		63	
Ditto without cholera	53		35	
Ditto souls conveyed	14,646		17,367	
Average percentage of total deaths ...	1·46		2·69	
	Days.	Hours.	Days.	Hours.
„ length of passage	16	19	18	17
„ number carried each trip	200		...	275

The results of the operations in the past year are in every respect less satisfactory than those of 1876-77; but now that there is a fair prospect of the main stream of emigration being diverted from the river route to the Northern Bengal State Railway, there is little to be gained by discussing the question in detail. The Superintendent is of opinion that the mortality rises proportionately to the average number of persons carried, which, it will be observed, was considerably greater than in the previous year. There is also good reason to believe that coolies stand a better chance on board a flat than on board a steamer. On the former there is less crowding in wet or cold weather, and the temperature is more equable, though the passage occupies a slightly longer time. Dr. Richards also is of opinion that the scale of diet now in force on board the steamers is too liberal for the aboriginal coolies from Chota Nagpore, who are apt to eat to excess, and thus induce forms of stomachic derangement which are liable to end in cholera. It is not quite clear whether Dr. Richards wishes to recommend a general reduction of the diet scale, or whether he would give a special diet to aboriginal coolies only. A separate report should be submitted on this point. The precise cause of the outbreaks of cholera on board these river steamers is at present uncertain. Apart, however, from all theories of causation, it is obviously imperative to neglect no precaution in the way of providing good water and wholesome food, and to prevent the coolies from using water which may have been in any way polluted. It may be observed, however, that the fact of cholera having on several occasions attacked the passengers, crew, and attendants, and having broken out severely among some emigrants proceeding to Cachar in country boats, seems to tell against the opinion that the disease is solely propagated by pollution of the water-supply specially provided for emigrants.

16. With regard to the third class of emigrants (class C) who are recruited by garden sirdars and conveyed to the tea districts without entering the depôt of any contractor, there is, as has been stated in paragraph 1 above, no complete or accurate return, and the figures in the report are not always reconcileable. Except as regards those shipped at Goalundo for Assam, they have been excluded altogether from the foregoing paragraphs. It would appear that during the past year 11,345 coolies were registered by garden sirdars and transmitted *viâ* Goalundo, and that of this number 11,042 embarked, 2,349 for Assam, 7,186 for Cachar, and 1,507 for Sylhet. The information as to the districts from which these emigrants came is admitted to be imperfect, but a large proportion came from Shahabad, a district which has hitherto contributed but slightly to inland emigration. It is believed that the impulse given to emigration from Shahabad during the past year was mainly due to the pressure of high prices in neighbouring districts. But there is, under the circumstances, room to doubt whether the agents by whom the Shahabad emigrants were recruited were really garden sirdars of the character contemplated by the Act.

17. The number of contractors' coolies sent to Cachar and Sylhet has fallen off during the year. But the demand for sirdari coolies in these districts is increasing.

The following extract from Dr. Richards' report gives the chief facts with reference to emigration to Cachar and Sylhet:—

	Cachar.					Sylhet.				
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Infants.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Infants.	Total.
A. Contractors' coolies	846	469	273	111	1,639	136	66	31	17	261
B. Sirdari recruiters' coolies	387	314	296	78	1,075	28	21	22	7	79
C. Sirdari coolies ...	2,924	2,005	1,658	599	7,186	683	424	299	102	1,507
Total ...	4,157	2,788	2,227	788	9,960	847	511	353	126	1,837

It is to be observed that the number of infants and children among sirdari coolies is relatively larger than that among the class A coolies, there being 3,061 = 31 per cent. in the former, against 433 = 22 per cent. in the latter. Of the sirdari coolies there were left behind 127 = 1·28 per cent. (all belonging to class C), deserted 140 = 1·42 per cent. (also all from among the class C coolies) compared with 27 = 1·38 per cent. of desertions from the class A coolies.

The death-rate among the sirdari coolies was very high (4·76 per cent.) Besides the deaths, amounting to 368, nearly all of which are attributed to cholera, there were 127 souls left behind, which probably means to die. The losses from all causes were in class A 4·33 per cent., in class B 6·23 per cent., and in class C 8·45 per cent.

18. Taking all classes of coolies together, so far as the information goes, Dr. Richards gives the following summary of their history :—

Of the 36,209 souls registered, 27,879 arrived at their destination.

Of the	18,377	class	A	emigrants	registered,	12,620	arrived.
„	6,487	„	B	„	„	4,782	„
„	11,345	„	C	„	„	10,477	„

The actual losses on account of those who were left behind, those who absconded, and those who died, were heaviest among the class A coolies, as here shown :—

Among	class	A	coolies	the losses were	10·37	per cent.
„	„	B	„	„	9·32	„
„	„	C	„	„	7·54	„

But among the A and B classes there were other casualties on account of rejections (class A 5·42 per cent. and in class B 4·43 per cent.) and releases (in class A 4·76 per cent. and in class B 2·06 per cent.), which bring up the entire losses to 20·56 per cent. in class A and 15·81 per cent. in class B. The high rate of casualties in class A is due principally to the very large number of desertions (1,309 = 7·07 per cent.) which are said to have occurred. Death contributes by far the largest proportion of the casualties in class B (437=6·74 per cent.) This was also the case in respect to the casualties among class C coolies, 547=4·82 per cent. being from that cause. Having regard to the fact that class B includes the largest proportion of Dhangar coolies, it is not surprising to find the mortality rate among that particular class higher than that obtaining among the two other classes.

Although the aggregate number of casualties is higher among class B coolies than among class C coolies, many of those in the former case are the result of rejections on account of physical unfitness to labour. The employers of labour under the class B system, therefore, obtain an advantage which is not attendant on the other system.

19. *Emigration viâ Dhubri.*—A statement compiled from monthly returns furnished by the Superintendent of Emigration at Dhubri shows that 8,213 emigrants were registered for transmission by that route to Assam, and that 637 were left behind, deserted, or died on the way, and that, including those born on the road, 7,579 persons arrived in depôt at Dhubri; apparently none of these were rejected on medical examination. While at Dhubri, two deserted, 90 died, 56 were detained, and two children were born in the depôt. 7,433 persons were despatched from Dhubri and arrived at their destination with only eight deaths. The mortality on the journey to Dhubri is set down at 372 or 4·52 per cent., which is a high rate; but there is some reason to believe that desertions are reported as deaths, and the entire set of returns of the emigration through Dhubri appear at present to be untrustworthy. The figures given above differ from those embodied in a report furnished by the Superintendent at Dhubri to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, where the numbers registered to proceed by that route are shown to be 8,704, the number arriving there 8,053, and the number despatched thence 7,903; besides which the Superintendent reports that 1,899 emigrants not included in the foregoing figures, marched the whole way from the recruiting districts to Lakhimpore, of whom 1,885 reached their destination. These last figures are hardly credible, looking to the loss among the other sardari coolies of the same class before arriving at Dhubri for embarkation on steamers. It is hoped that

before the close of the current year the new emigration route from Calcutta by the Northern Bengal State Railway may be in full working order. The railway is now open as far as Rungpore, and complete arrangements have been made for providing shelter and medical treatment for emigrants on the line of road from Rungpore to Dhubri. Orders have also been issued to provide shelter and medical attendance on the road between Rajmehal and Parbuttipore on the Northern Bengal State Railway, as sirdari gangs will in the cold season probably continue to use that route to some extent. It remains to be considered whether Dhubri should be formally substituted for Goalundo as the standard place of embarkation for emigrants going to Assam; Goalundo being maintained as the place of embarkation for coolies emigrating to Cachar and Sylhet. Separate orders will hereafter be issued on this point. It is perhaps better on the whole that things should remain as they are until the new emigration road is finished. It is hoped that by December 1879 the railroad will be opened to the Teesta, and that from thence to Dhubri there will be a first class metalled road throughout with resting places and hospitals.

20. Circumstances were brought to the notice of Government towards the close of the year, tending to show that Rule 57, which prohibits the despatch of emigrants from a depôt in which cholera has appeared until the disease has ceased, really operated to spread the disease, or, at any rate, to expose a needlessly large number of persons to its action. The rule was accordingly suspended, and measures are now in progress to establish a separate hospital for the treatment of all emigrants attacked by cholera in the various depôts. When these arrangements are completed, the Lieutenant-Governor will consider the propriety of formally cancelling the rule.

21. In order to relax, as far as possible, the restrictions which had been imposed on the free transport of emigrants, Rule 78, under which emigrants were detained four days for medical observation before embarkation, was modified in accordance with the opinion of the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India. It is believed that the new rule, which came into force on the 1st of January 1878, will afford ample security against the embarkation of emigrants already suffering from cholera in an early stage, while it will diminish the risk which arises from the detention of coolies in a locality like Goalundo, where they are peculiarly liable to contract the disease.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE BURDWAN DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1877-78.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 30th September 1878.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The General Administration Report of the Burdwan Division for 1877-78.

THE report is submitted by Mr. F. H. Pellew, who took charge after the close of the year under review. The Commissioners of the division during the year were Messrs. H. A. Cockerell, A. Smith, and W. S. Wells, Messrs. Smith and Wells are said to have inspected thoroughly every department of the offices of the Magistrates and Collectors of the division, and also the sub-divisional office at Raneegunge The time during which each of these officers was on tour should have been noticed.

2. Mr. Pellew states that the reports from all the district officers were received late, and were in nearly every instance incomplete. This is a fact by no means creditable to them.

3. *District Officers' tours.*—Mr. Larminie, in Burdwan, seems to have made a very thorough inspection of his district. Messrs. Pellew, Waller, and Grant, were each of them out for over two months; but the district officers of Howrah and Midnapore did not pay sufficient attention to their tour duty. The Lieutenant-Governor regards also with special dissatisfaction the very general neglect of this duty on the part of the sub-divisional officers. Sub-divisional officers should be at least three or four months of each year out in the interior of their jurisdictions, and their tours should not be confined to the cold weather, and to a few weeks only of that, as is usually the case.

4. *Weather and Crops.*—The rainfall of the year is said to have been below the average in most districts, but the figures taken as the average are not given, as they should have been. As compared with 1876-77 it stood thus—

	1877-78.	1876-77.
Burdwan	58	57·46
Bankoora	57·97	73·59
Beerbhoom	54·27	62
Midnapore	51·74	79·32
Hooghly	52·25	42·66
Howrah	54·19	65·91

The remarkable feature in the above table is the evenness of distribution over all the districts as compared with the inequalities of the previous year. The outturn of the rice crop for the whole division was, notwithstanding the short rainfall, at least average, and in Bankoora and Beerbhoom above the average. In Midnapore it was a little less than average. Owing to rain in October and December, the winter crops were generally fair.

5. *Public health and condition of the people.*—The public health of the division was on the whole good. In Burdwan there is said to be a visible improvement as compared with former years; and although after the rains the usual malarious fever appeared, it was not of a malignant type. Sporadic outbreaks of small-pox and cholera occurred in various parts of the district. The medical history of Bankoora and Beerbhoom was similar to that of Burdwan. It is satisfactory to note that movements for improving the drainage and water-supplies of the towns are taking place in these districts. The Lieutenant-Governor would be glad if the Magistrates of these and other districts would do all they can to stimulate and assist such local movements. The Government will give also willingly such help as may be possible. In Midnapore the year was not so healthy as last year, and in Hooghly and Howrah there was a great deal of fever, sometimes of a very fatal type. In the two last-named districts schemes are under consideration for improving the drainage and giving a thoroughly good and pure water-supply from the Damoodah.

6. The material condition of the people was good. The outturn of the crop was fair, and this, added to the large harvest of 1876-77, enabled the agriculturists to profit to the full by the high prices that ruled owing to the great demand for export to Madras and Bombay. In most of the districts the labouring classes were able also to share in the prosperity and secure a rise of wages.

7. *Emigration and Immigration.*—There was a falling off in the number of emigrants to the tea districts (probably owing to the brisk demand for labour in the division itself), and a notable reduction in the number of female emigrants as compared with males. This last fact is to be accounted for by the greater stringency of examination in order to detect illegal abductions. There was, as usual, a large influx of labourers from Behar and Western Bengal into Hooghly and Howrah, where the East Indian Railway and the manufactories and mills give employment to thousands. The normal population of Howrah is also said to be steadily increasing. In Midnapore cultivation and population are said to be spreading along the Julpai lands of the coast.

8. *Prices of food and labour.*—The following table shows the average price of common rice and wheat for the last two years and for 1870-71 :—

Districts.	1870-71.		1876-77.		1877-78.	
	Common rice per rupee	Wheat per rupee.	Rice per rupee.	Wheat per rupee.	Rice per rupee.	Wheat per rupee.
	s. c.	s. c.	s. c.	s. c.	s. c.	s. c.
Burdwan	24 9	* Not given.	22 2	18 2	15 10	13 11
Bankoora	32 0	13 5	26 8	19 8	20 0	15 0
Beerbhoom	32 0	Not given.	25 5	22 3	17 5	15 7
Midnapore	26 0	12 0	24 12	16 0	16 4	13 2
Hooghly ...	20 13	20 13	19 9	15 5		
Howrah ..	24 8 to 19 4	Not given.	18 6	17 3	13 1	12 14½

* Grown to a very small extent in Burdwan.

As regards the wages of labour, the Commissioner remarks:—"In some places in the interior, for instance Tumlook, in Midnapore, the price of unskilled labour remained stationary; but, as a rule, the increase in the cost of food affected the labour market. In Burdwan unskilled labour is now quoted at from three to three and a half annas a day, and it is reported that difficulty is often found in procuring labourers on any terms. In Bankoora the monthly wages of agricultural labourers in the interior in June 1877 was Rs. 3-12 and under, and of masons, &c., up to Rs. 5-10. These rose at the end of the year to Rs. 4 or 5 and 7-8 respectively, and common coolies are said to have been making Rs. 6 and Rs. 7 monthly, while palkee-bearers, who could formerly be hired for Rs. 4 a month, refused even Rs. 5. At Howrah and in parts of Hooghly, where manufactories exist, the price of labour is high. It is said that at Howrah an agricultural labourer gets four to five annas a day, and an able-bodied man working in the mills can earn as much as Rs. 12 to Rs. 16 a month."

9. *Manufactures and mines.*—This section of the report is much more full and interesting than it was last year. The chief seats of the manufactures maintained by European capital are on the banks of the Hooghly, in the districts of Hooghly and Howrah; and the most important of these are the iron manufactures of Howrah, the jute and cotton mills of Bowreah and Fort Gloster, the paper mills of Bally, the jute mills of Champdani, and the mills at Serampore and Gyretty. In Howrah alone there are seven dockyards, besides numerous yards for building country-boats; three jute mills, each with a capital of 10 to 15 lakhs, and working altogether about 800 looms; eleven large workshops, besides the railway works. Altogether some 10,000 people are believed to find work daily in the factories and workshops of the town. As a natural consequence, the jute mills are driving hand-made gunny out of the market, and the cotton mills are seriously affecting the weavers, unless where some local peculiarity of manufacture meets a special native demand. But apart from this decline of the native cotton manufactures, there is still a large amount of indigenous manufacture. Throughout the district of Hooghly (the Collector writes) there

are a large number of villages, each with a branch of industry peculiar to itself, but too insignificant to be separately deserving of notice, which jointly contribute to impart to the district a certain character of industrial prosperity. Thus the lac manufactories in Paremba and Shahbazar supply lac bangles to every part of Bengal; brass and pewter are made into domestic vessels in Bansberia, Khamarpara, and Shahgunj; and paper is made by Mahomedans in many parts of the district.

10. The chief manufacture in the other districts of the division is silk. The past year was rather a better one for this industry than 1876-77. In Midnapore the Messrs. Watson and Messrs. Payen and Co. have extensive establishments, but no particulars are given of their working. In Burdwan a certain amount of revival was apparent both in the silk and tusser markets; but in Bankoora and Beerbhoom the industry is said to be declining.

11. The Lieutenant-Governor regrets to observe that the Collector of Burdwan is the only officer who has paid any proper attention to the orders of Government on last year's report, directing that special attention should be given in this report to the subject of the native cotton manufactures of the division. The weaving of ordinary cotton cloths has long been known to be declining, but the extent to which the finer qualities of hand-made stuffs are still in demand is a subject of much interest, on which little or no information is available. In Burdwan the Collector reports that the number of weavers is now 20 per cent. less than it was five years ago, and that most of them are taking to agricultural and other pursuits.

12. The business done at the pottery works of Ranigunge, belonging to Messrs. Burn and Company, is said to be rapidly extending. They employ now about 500 hands, and have large contracts for drainage pipes, firebricks, flooring tiles, and stone-ware of sorts. The workmanship is said to be excellent. An interesting sketch is given by the sub-divisional officer of Ranigunge of the coal mines of his sub-division, from which it appears that the year under report has been one of renewed prosperity to this industry. Of the success of the Bengal iron-works, so far as the production of iron goes, the Lieutenant-Governor has satisfied himself by personal inspection. The Susunia stone quarries in Bankoora are said to be now turning out an admirable quality of hard stone.

13. *Trade and Commerce*.—The Report on Internal Trade will show the astonishing development of the export trade of the division in the staple of rice. The manner in which grain poured into the railway stations and came flowing along the rivers and canals of this division will not be forgotten by any who had the opportunity of seeing it. The trade in other articles was also remarkably brisk, and the figures are too complicated to be introduced here. But it may be noted by way of illustration that 500,000 tons of coal were exported from Burdwan, and that Midnapore sent goods (including rice) valued at Rs. 1,12,97,000 along the irrigation canals, against an export valued at Rs. 67,00,000 only in 1876-77, taking imports worth Rs. 90,32,000 in exchange, against Rs. 60,38,000 in 1876-77.

14. *State of public feeling*.—No single event of the year seems to have evoked any very considerable or general display of public feeling. The cesses, the Chowkidaree Act, the license-tax, and the Vernacular Press Act, all gave rise to some grumbling; but as regards the last subject in the list, the discontent is, the Commissioner says, 'confined to the classes who read the papers.' The remission of the house cess under the Road Cess Act will do away with the chief objection to that measure; while the ryots as a class are said not to object to the cesses collected with their rent, that being a form of surcharge which they can thoroughly understand.

15. *Public Press*.—There are only four newspapers published in the division, including the *Education Gazette*. The Calcutta papers supply the wants of the reading classes in all the districts. Although the ideas inculcated by these publications doubtless spread beyond the immediate circle of actual readers, there is a general agreement that their influence upon the mass of the population in the interior is inappreciable. "Few read these newspapers" (writes the Collector of Beerbhoom), "and fewer still are led by them." But as the circle of readers is gradually, though slowly perhaps, increasing, it is satisfactory to know that the vernacular press is improved and more circumspect in tone since it has been brought under proper control.

16. *Police, crime, and civil justice.*—The general character and conduct of the police is said to have been fair in most districts. In Bankoora, Beerbhoom, and occasionally in Burdwan, there was room for fault-finding, and the municipal police of Howrah are said to want strengthening in numbers and advancement in pay. The Village Chowkidarce Act is already improving the rural police, and there is apparently a real decrease in crime throughout the division, though, on the other hand, offences against public tranquillity and minor offences against the person show an unsatisfactory increase. In Hooghly also there was a sudden revival of dacoity, which had, it was hoped, been effectually suppressed. The total number of cognizable cases was, however, only 15,816, against 17,077 in 1876. There was an increase in petty and non-cognizable cases, from 11,850 to 13,649, and this increase, in Howrah at any rate, the Magistrate considers to indicate the confidence of the people in our courts; and in corroboration of this view, he notices that, at Moheshreka, respectable females who were not accustomed to come out of their houses now come freely to court to complain against their near relatives. The Lieutenant-Governor cannot say that he regards this as a favourable symptom in the social life of Moheshreka, and he doubts whether it can properly be construed as an implied compliment to the magisterial courts of Howrah.

17. There has been an increase of civil litigation during the year, and the following remarks of the Collector of Hooghly may be taken to apply generally throughout this division:—

"The civil courts enjoyed undiminished popularity in spite of the increased stringency which everywhere obtains in the rigorous enforcement of the stamp law. There are grounds for believing that during the last year there has been an increase in the number of suits and appeals, and the increase is largest in the Small Cause Courts. Such an increase tends to show, in the first place, increased trade and commerce, and indeed increase in the general health and prosperity. It also shows, however, that there is an increased tendency to bring every dispute before the courts of law, and that, owing to a most momentous change now going forward in native society, the zemindar and the village punchayet are equally falling into disuse as mediators and pacificators. The zemindar has fallen into disuse, because he has lost his power of enforcing his decrees, and is restrained in the exercise of his authority by the operation of a vigorously administered Penal Code. The village punchayet is falling into disuse, because, owing to the spread of education and European ideas, the bonds of caste are becoming every day less rigorous even among the most ignorant classes, and because, in the spirit of a growing material civilization, selfishness restrains all ranks from interesting themselves much in other people's concerns out of purely sentimental considerations."

The Commissioner adds—

"It is satisfactory to think that along with the decline of the zemindar's authority, the civil courts are rapidly improving under the new class of Moonsifs; but there is still room for improvement. Greater stringency in repressing forgery and perjury, and in enforcing the stamp law, are obviously required; and there is, I think, at present a tendency to despatch business on technical grounds, and avoid, if possible, a decision on the merits."

18.—*Land Revenue matters.*—The collections of the year were 97·7 per cent. of the demand, against 98·3 in 1876-77. The figures stand thus for each class of estate—

			1876-77.	1877-78.
1. Permanently-settled	...	...	99·2	99·3
2. Temporarily-settled	...	...	88·7	80·9
3. Government estates	...	...	65·6	61

The unfavourable result in the temporarily-settled estates arises from circumstances connected with the realisation of arrears in Majnamoota and other large estates in Midnapore accruing before they came under the Collector's management. The collections in Government estates were thrown back by settlement operations and the proceedings necessary to give currency to enhanced rates of rent.

19. The following table shows the operations under the Land Registration Act up to the end of the year :—

Districts.	Number of applications received up to end of March 1878.	Number of applications disposed of up to 31st March 1878.	Number of applications pending disposal at the close of 1877-78.
Burdwan	19,296	19,269	27
Bankoora	1,736	1,723	13
Beerbhoom	4075	4028	47
Midnapore	28,683	3,806	24,877
Hooghly with Howrah	16,095	2,990	13,105
Total	69,885	31,816	38,069

20 *Excise and other Revenue Laws.*—The excise revenue of the year was Rs. 6,81,185, showing an increase of Rs. 70,725 or 11·5 per cent. on that of 1876-77. The report should have given some information as to the districts in which this increase was obtained and their statistics of consumption. The stamp revenue was Rs. 11,96,588 or 12·3 per cent. more than last year; the increase was obtained in both judicial and non-judicial stamps.

21. The operations under the Embankment Act (VI B.C. of 1873) affect chiefly the district of Midnapore. There have been serious complaints of the expenses thrown upon the zemindars by the Act, and of the great increase in charges since the Irrigation Department took over the embankments. The Lieutenant-Governor recognizes the necessity of coming to some equitable compromise on this matter, and the question has been referred to a Committee, and is now under the consideration of Government.

22. *Irrigation works.*—Upon these the Commissioner remarks :—

"The most important irrigation works in the division are the high and low level canals in Midnapore and Hooghly. The area watered by the high level canal in Midnapore during the last five years is shown below :—

Year.	Area irrigated
1873-74	36,349
1874-75	72,318
1875-76	55,995
1876-77	32 618
1877-78	19,775

"The usefulness of this work is much impaired in consequence of deficient supply of water during the early part of the season, and indeed whenever the river is low. The distributaries are laid out for 140,000 acres, but even under the most favourable conditions the supply of water is not more than sufficient to water from 50,000 to 60,000 before the end of July, and after that time the water is seldom or never wanted. Consequently the area effectively irrigable is limited to 50,000 or 60,000 acres, and even within this limited area lease-holders complain much of delay in irrigating their fields. The value of this and of the low level canal as a means of communication is, however, very great and yearly increasing. Two ranges, Nos. 1 and 2, of the Midnapore canal, which are within the sub-division of Moheshrekha in the district of Hooghly, are now open, and locks in range No. 2 are in course of construction. These ranges of the canal are very useful for traffic, and they also irrigate the country lying near them. The canal and the embankments of the Moheshrekha sub-division have been efficiently maintained throughout the year, and the canal was enormously used for rice import during the Madras famine. The completion of the Dankuni drainage canals has proved very beneficial in draining a large area and in improving the health of the people of those parts of the Serampore sub-division through which it passes. It has reclaimed a large tract of formerly unculturable land, and contributed not a little to that increase of prosperity which has been noticed above. A sluice at Selimabad, by which a plentiful supply of water can be admitted when necessary during a few months of the rainy season into the channels of the Kana Damoodah, Kananadi, and Saraswati, has also been

constructed. The Joojooty scheme, as it is called, as also the projects for the drainage of Howrah, are now under consideration."

The state of the case, however, as regards irrigation, is more favourable than it would appear to be from these remarks. Nearly 60,000 acres have been brought under irrigation leases for a period of five years during the current year, which is almost the full area for which water can be guaranteed at all seasons. Then the low level canal is not, as the Collector seems to suppose, an irrigation canal; it is only a navigable canal and has been very successful, and its usefulness will be largely increased when the sanction of the Government of India is obtained to the commencement of the south coast tidal canal, by which it is proposed, at a very moderate cost, to connect Orissa by water with the rest of Bengal, and secure it from the calamities to which it is exposed in the case of failure of crops in consequence of its isolated position.

23. *Roads.*—In Burdwan and Midnapore the condition of the roads is not satisfactory. In the former district the sums raised by the cess have been frittered away in a useless attempt to spend the collections each year in the precise places where they were levied. In Midnapore progress is said to have been slow, owing to want of method and energy on the part of the district Engineer. Some parts of the district, not 25 miles from Midnapore, are still practically inaccessible. In the other districts the roads are in fair order. The expenditure in each district last year was—

	Rs.
Burdwan	1,14,821
Bankoora	11,690
Beerbhoom	45,017
Midnapore	92,291
Hooghly and Howrah	1,22,118
The division ...	3,85,937

24. *Education.*—This division takes a high place in matters of education. The following table condenses the statistics for all classes of schools:—

Districts.	Area in square miles.	Estimated population.	Number of schools.	Number of pupils on the 31st March 1878.	Average number of square miles to each school.	Number of pupils for each 1,000 of the population.
Hooghly	785	757,499	498	16,217	1·5	21·4
Howrah	682	731,057	127	6,449	5·3	8·8
Burdwan	3,455	2,034,745	1,304	43,192	2·6	21·2
Beerbhoom	1,344	695,921	435	12,362	3·08	17·7
Bankoora	1,422	520,772	480	14,410	2·9	27·3
Midnapore	5,082	2,545,179	3,745	73,032	1·3	28·6
Total ...	12,770	7,291,173	6,589	165,662	1·9	22·7

For primary schools the figures of the last two years stand thus:—

Districts.	Number of primary schools.		Number of primary schools' pupils.		Number of primary pupils for every 1,000 of the population.	
	1876-77	1877-78.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1876-77.	1877-78.
Midnapore	2,831	3,599	55,430	68,000	21·7	26·7
Bankoora	409	423	11,010	11,597	20	22
Burdwan	1,035	1,068	28,820	32,219	14·1	15·8
Beerbhoom	331	368	8,512	9,242	12·1	13·3
Hooghly	263	365	8,818	7,951	6	10·5
Howrah		48		1,801		2·4

Mr. T. Grant, the Magistrate of Bankoora, thinks that no real extension of primary education has yet taken place, and that we are only gradually bringing under the cognizance of Government, schools which were actually in existence before. He deprecates the tendency to force schools up into a higher nominal

grade by means of the primary grant funds, merely in order that districts may gain a fictitious credit for educational advancement; and he expresses a belief that in many instances the attendance at even the so-called primary schools is purposely exaggerated. As to this, the Commissioner very rightly remarks:—

"It is no doubt true that the exertions of the officers have as yet effected little more than the registration of already existing schools. But this means supervision, and in Midnapore I think more than this has been done, and the numbers have actually increased. Mr. Grant's views are, I think, of a pessimist character, though containing much truth, and I believe the primary grant will ultimately both extend and improve primary education. I do not see how, under any conceivable system, we can do more at first than find and take charge of the existing schools. Such a process must precede extension, and all that is necessary is to distinguish carefully the point where extension begins. As regards the diversion of the primary grant from its purpose, and the tendency to raise the classification of schools, Mr. Grant is undoubtedly right, and I have, before seeing his remarks, made similar observations in the Education Report."

In the higher class schools and in female education not so much progress has been made during the year as could be wished.

25. *Committees.*—As might be expected in a division containing so many men of education and enlightenment, the district committees of all kinds have been a great assistance to the Magistrates, the municipal committees especially taking much interest in their work and doing much good locally.

26. *Conduct of zemindars.*—There is but little to notice specially under this head. Where there are so many public spirited landowners as there are in the Burdwan division, it would be invidious to name any, unless, indeed, it be His Highness the Maharajah of Burdwan, who is always foremost in assisting Government and setting a good example to the whole province. None of the zemindars gave any special trouble during the year, and they were all, as a rule, on tolerable terms with their tenants.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL GENERAL REPORT OF THE PATNA DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1877-78.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 30th September 1877.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The General Administration Report for the Patna Division for 1877-78.

THE report is submitted by Mr. F. M. Halliday, who labours under the disadvantage of only having taken charge of the division 15 days before the close of the year. Mr. Molony was Commissioner for the greater part of the year under review.

2. *Annual Tours.*—Mr. Molony did a fair amount of inspection work, though hardly as much as is usual in a Behar division. Among the Collectors, Mr. Worsley (Mozufferpore), Mr. MacDonnell (Durbhunga), and Mr. Toynbee (Patna) deserve credit for the thorough character of their work in this as in other respects. Mr. Worsley in particular, it is said, "never restricted his tours to any one portion of the year, but spent portions of each quarter of the year in the interior of his district. There was scarcely any tract which he had not visited once, and many parts of the district received two or three visits in the course of the year. The total number of days he passed in the interior was 102, and the total distance travelled 2,000 miles." It is observed that

both in Mozufferpore and Patna, where the Collectors made themselves acquainted with many parts of their jurisdiction, the results led to great improvements in the schemes of local roads. In the remaining districts of the division tour duty was not sufficiently attended to, and it is particularly unsatisfactory to observe that in Shahabad Mr. Wells, who was in charge from April to August, and again from 8th November to 9th January, was only 14 days out in camp.

3. *Weather and Crops.*—The Commissioner has omitted to give the figures of the rainfall of the year, but describes it generally as having been in most districts not only scanty, but badly distributed. This was particularly noticeable in Gya and Shahabad where the consequences to the crops would have been serious but for the distribution of water from the Soane Canals. In Sarun also the autumn crops were poor, and the winter rice an almost absolute failure. In Chumparun the same effects were felt, though not quite in the same degree. But in Patna the autumn crop was fortunately large, and in spite of the vicissitudes of season, there was a fair harvest of winter rice. In Mozufferpore and Durbhunga the crops were fair. Many parts of the division suffered from caterpillars and blight, which destroyed much of the opium and seed crops. Altogether the year was a bad one for the crops of the Patna Division.

4. *Public Health.*—In striking contrast with the reports from other parts of the province, the public health of all districts, except Chumparun, is stated to have been unusually good. Chumparun suffered from a severe outbreak of cholera; while fever was also very prevalent. Cholera also appeared in Durbhunga and Shahabad in a somewhat virulent form, but generally the division seems to have been singularly free from epidemics of all kinds.

5. *Material condition of the people.*—The low condition of the agricultural and labouring classes in Behar has formed the subject of much consideration of late years. It is needless to repeat what has been often said before as to the ignorance, indebtedness, and general helplessness of the Behar ryot. No fresh touches are added in this year's report to the melancholy picture, but it may fairly be assumed that, as it was a year of short crops and high prices, there must have been even more than the usual pressure upon the masses. The division was unable to retain and pay for its own produce, and exportation carried away a large proportion of the crops and stocks. It is only apparently in the north-east of Shahabad and along the Soane that the ryots have anywhere got a position of comfort. There, however, it appears that they sit at comparatively low rates with transferable occupancy rights, and cultivate a good soil. They are consequently both independent and well to do: a proof of which is that recently they bought in 10 of their villages at revenue sales for an aggregate price of Rs. 2,19,320; borrowing the money, it is true, and giving the lenders a share in the villages, but none the less furnishing a remarkable instance of what security of tenant right may effect even in Behar.

6. *Emigration.*—This remedy for the overcrowding of population is but little resorted to in Behar. The number of emigrants rose, however, from 4,482 in 1876-77 to 11,400 in the year of review. But of these 8,734 came from Shahabad, and it is known that the majority of coolies registered there were brought from Ghazeepore and the distressed districts of the North-Western Provinces, so that probably there was but little more emigration from Behar Proper even under the pressure which undoubtedly existed than in any former years. There is known, however, to be a considerable annual exodus, especially from Sarun, of labourers in search of work. Some information should have been given as to how far this *periodic* and *temporary* emigration was affected by the character of the year. It came under the Lieutenant-Governor's notice that some five thousand Behar labourers, chiefly from Sarun, were employed during the last winter in the Rungpore and Dhoobree road.

7. *Prices and Wages.*—The average prices of rice and wheat stood thus in each district:—

	Rice.		Wheat.			Rice.		Wheat.	
	S.	c.	S.	c.		S.	c.	S.	c.
Patna	16	3	17	7	Durbhunga	14	5	16	5
Gya	16	2	19	0	Sarun	13	9	13	1
Shahabad	14	8	16	0	Chumparun	14	0	16	9
Mozufferpore	16	4	19	2					

At the close of the year prices were everywhere higher than the above, and during the year continued exportation prevented the harvests from affecting the

local markets even temporarily. Fortunately large crops of potatoes, carrots, and other vegetables mitigated the pressure on the lower classes. Wages are as low as before, and the worst effect of a bad year is that the demand for agricultural labour is actually lessened.

8. *Manufactures.*—Improvements in the manufacture of sugar were effected during the year by Messrs. Thomson and Mylne of Beheea, whose mills are now used by the natives, not only in Behar, but in Jessore and other parts of Bengal. Only the Magistrates of Mozufferpore and Durbhunga mention the indigo outturn of the year. It would seem that in those districts the produce was extremely good, but the rates obtained at sales were low. An interesting account is given of the beginning of tea cultivation in Chumparun, where Mr. J. M. Gibbon has started a garden on some small hills near Tribani, and put out some 40 acres of tea. The climate is, however, said to be there unhealthy for Europeans, and there is a difficulty from want of water.

9. *Trade and Commerce.*—The export trade of the year was extremely brisk. The traffic on the Tirhoot State Railway is increasing, even although the bulk of the Durbhunga rice tract lies well to the east of it, and the produce is taken off still by country carts. Mr. MacDonnell believes that the railway will not reach its full development until it is extended by Narayah and Pertabgunge to Julpigoree, and from Somastipore to Hajipore. The detailed figures of the trade of the division will be given, so far as they are reliable, in the Report on Internal Trade. The Lieutenant-Governor has no doubt that a great impetus to trade would be given by the connection of the line with Hajipore, but probably this should be done by a link between Mozufferpore and Hajipore. It was no doubt a great mistake originally to have taken the line to Bazitpore instead of to Hajipore, the natural outlet of the tracts of the surrounding districts.

10. *State of public feeling.*—Naturally enough, in a great Mahomedan city like Patna, a keen interest was taken in the Russo-Turkish war, the telegrams in the vernacular being hawked about the streets and meeting with a ready sale. But when the end came, it seems to have been accepted as inevitable. The year was an unfortunate one in which to have to introduce extra taxation, and there has been a good deal of grumbling, especially among the zemindars. The house tax under the Road Cess Act caused also dissatisfaction among the petty householders and shopkeepers. This tax has, however, since been abolished. In Sarun, there was an additional grievance in the growing charges on account of the Gunduck Embankment. This is now the subject of a special inquiry. The Soane Canal is becoming very popular, both with landlords and ryots of the tracts benefited by it

11. In the matter of indigo, Mr. MacDonnell writes disparagingly of the work of the Indigo Planters' Association, so far as Durbhunga is concerned, holding that the Association as a body has done nothing to redeem its pledges. He admits at the same time that much has been done during the year to improve matters in his district, partly through the action of the Durbhunga Raj management, partly through the voluntary reforms carried out by individual planters, and partly from the strict and impartial enforcement of the law. In three of the largest concerns, however, he regrets to have to report that matters are still on a most unsatisfactory footing. He believes that the people are gradually waking up to their rights and learning to turn to the district officers for protection against oppression.

Mr. Worsley, on the other hand, writes :—

"There has been a marked improvement in the relations existing between indigo planters and ryots, the evidences of which may be found in a great decrease of criminal cases and in less discontented feelings among the ryots. One or two factories, which 15 months ago were the worst managed in the district, will now bear comparison with any factory, and no instance has come to my knowledge in which a member of the Indigo Association has infringed any of the rules by which he is bound. Various rumours have at different times prevailed regarding the new rate to be paid to the ryots, but it is now everywhere understood that the higher rate has been fixed by the planters themselves, and not by Government. In several cases where ryots have been inclined to hold out for a Rs. 20 rate, asserting that such rate had been fixed

by Government, planters have found it good policy to refer them to the Collector, with a promise that whatever rate he should name they would be willing to pay. Such ryots, on being told by me that the rate they were offered was that which had been fixed by the whole body of planters, have invariably made no further opposition.

"Knowing the difficulties that must attend the introduction of indigo reforms, and the proneness of natives to attribute concessions to the influence of fear, I have endeavoured to avoid the appearance of being personally interested in the new arrangements, but at the same time I have been specially careful to employ European assistants in locally investigating all important cases connected with factories. I am happy to add that the testimony of both sub-divisional officers is favourable to the planters."

The Commissioner remarks as follows on the reports of these two officers:—

"Notwithstanding Mr. MacDonnell's assertion that in Durbhunga the Indigo Planters' Association had done next to nothing to redeem its pledges up to the time of his writing, it is satisfactory to find his admission that a very great deal of good had been done during the past year owing to the influence brought to bear in the Court of Wards' estates, and the good feelings and intelligent appreciation of the wants of the times on the part of some individual managers of factories. The good examples of such individual management, I think, cannot but extend gradually, and the facts of the existence of the Association is a sign that among the body of planters there is a general desire to put their house in order, and an admission that such a process was needed. In every body of the kind there will be recusants: witness the examples pointed out by Mr MacDonnell: but considering the deep-seated nature of the evils to be eradicated, and the long-continued prevalence of those evils, I think to expect a sudden revulsion, such as Mr. MacDonnell in his right-minded zeal appears to have hoped for, was an over-sanguine anticipation. We may fairly congratulate ourselves on the results which have hitherto been achieved, with the determination, however, that there must be no slackening in the application of pressure upon the Association to insist on the removal of abuses that have been pointed out, and which the Association has pledged itself to correct. That there are signs hopeful to the ultimate realization of wider spread reforms may be gathered from Mr. Worsley's remarks of his district of Mozufferpore, where he considers a 'marked improvement' has taken place, and factories which 15 months ago were the worst managed in the district will now bear comparison with any factory.

"This testimony, from an officer of Mr. Worsley's experience in the district, and interest shown by him on this subject, is, it seems to me, encouraging"

The Lieutenant-Governor agrees generally in the tenor of the Commissioner's remarks. He acknowledges gladly that the Planters' Association have shown themselves ready to meet the views of Government in the best possible spirit, and in the case of two of the factories of which Mr. MacDonnell makes unfavourable mention, the Lieutenant-Governor has received assurances, in one instance from the Association, and in the other from the Manager himself, that the necessary reforms shall be carried out. If district officers will only treat with the Association in a conciliatory manner and invite their attention firmly, but politely, to violations of their rules or to abuses of other kinds, there is every reason to hope that a very marked improvement will be brought about in the conduct of indigo operations in Behar. At the same time the Magistrates must, where cases of violence or oppression come before them, not shrink from a scrupulous and impartial enforcement of the law, whichever party is to blame. There is no doubt that many of the evils which now exist in Behar, both in respect to indigo cultivation and the tenures of land, have been allowed to spring up and gain strength from a laxity of administration on the part of district officers.

12. In Sarun, Mr. Hodgkinson writes strongly in deprecation of the extension of indigo cultivation by the operations of small native speculators, which deprives the district of many thousand beeghas that would otherwise be under cereal crops. He points out how the expenses of indigo cultivation are run up by the system of dealing with the landowners into whose pocket, and not that of the cultivator, the whole benefit of the factory outlay goes; and the result of

the strong position held by the land owner is said to be to render the manufacture of indigo on a commercial basis absolutely unprofitable. Many of the small factories are now, he adds, being closed.

13. In Chumparun the relations of planters and ryots are said to have been, comparatively speaking, satisfactory, though there was some temporary discontent in parts of the Bettia sub-division.

14. *Public Press.*—There are six vernacular papers and periodicals published in the division. The best is said to be the *Behar Scientific Society's Journal.* None of them have any influence on public opinion.

15. *Effect of administrative changes.*—The only measure noticed under this head is the Land Registration Act, which seems in Behar, owing perhaps to the multiplicity of shareholders, to have called forth an enormous number of dormant frivolous and false claims, in dealing with which some of the disposing officers did not always show a sound discretion. The Act appears to have had some effect in promoting the appointment of joint managers, for it is noted that, whereas in Gya the old registers showed over a hundred thousand shareholders, only 27,000 applications for registration have been filed under the new law.

16. *Police and Crime.*—The returns show a steady diminution of crime since 1874, apparent chiefly under the head of offences against property. The decrease is both in reported crime and in the number of true cases. The following table gives the figures:—

Districts.	True cases.			Total number of cases reported.			Number declared false.			Percentage of cases declared false.		
	1875.	1876.	1877.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1875.	1876.	1877.
Patna ...	4,449	4,104	4,045	5,041	4,585	4,470	592	481	425	11	10·4	9·5
Gya ...	3,720	3,512	3,571	4,402	3,931	3,845	682	419	274	16	10·6	7·1
Shahabad ...	2,827	2,966	2,658	3,514	3,388	2,915	687	372	257	19	11·1	8·8
Mozufferpore	2,527	2,180	2,150	2,971	2,588	2,395	444	408	245	15	15·7	10·2
Durbhunga ...	2,206	2,169	2,739	2,786	2,705	2,996	580	536	257	20	19·8	8·5
Sarun	2,056	2,832	2,509	2,444	3,168	2,840	388	336	241	16	10·6	8·4
Chumparun	1,388	1,289	1,254	1,542	1,429	1,395	154	140	141	9	9	10·1
Total	19,173	19,052	19,016	22,700	21,744	20,856	3,527	2,692	1,840	15	12·3	8·8

The proportion of true crime to area and population stands thus:—

Districts.	To area.	To population.
Patna	·9 per square mile ...	1 in 385
Gya	·7 do. do. ...	1 „ 546
Shahabad	·6 do. do. ...	1 „ 648
Mozufferpore	·7 do. do. ...	1 „ 1,017
Durbhunga	·8 do. do. ...	1 „ 901
Sarun	·9 do. do. ...	1 „ 794
Chumparun	·3 do. do. ...	1 „ 1,240

and the result for the whole division has been, with reference to area, 7 per square mile; population, 1 in 740.

Thus the position of the several districts in respect to criminality remains the same as in previous years, Patna showing the largest criminal population—a fact obviously attributable to the existence of the large city of Patna with its enormous population—and Chumparun the smallest.

The percentage of convictions to arrests under cognizable crime was 60·1 in 1877, against 60·5 in 1876 and 56·8 in 1875. The results are fair. The conduct of the police is said to have been good on the whole, though Mr. MacDonnell finds fault with the sub-inspectors and head-constables in Durbhunga.

17. *Civil Justice.*—The subject is not treated with sufficient fullness. District officers should always consult the District Judges upon this section of their annual report. The old complaints of delay and expense in the disposal of rent suits is repeated. The non-existence of Moonsifs' courts in the sub-divisions of Jehanabad and Nowada is remarked upon, and the lawless character of many of the Nowada people attributed to the difficulty of getting their disputes settled by the civil courts. This subject will receive the immediate attention of Government in the Judicial Department.

18. *Land Revenue.*—The collections were 98·5 per cent. of the demand, against 97·8 in the year preceding—a very satisfactory result. In Government estates the collections were only 81 per cent. of the demand, a result which, though a great advance upon the 58 per cent. of last year, is still far below a proper standard. The number of cases instituted under the Land Registration Act was enormous. The following table gives the district details:—

Districts.	Total for disposal.	Disposed of.	Pending.
Patna	38,835	22,071	16,764
Gya ...	12,199	8,024	4,175
Shahabad ...	23,172	12,338	10,834
Mozufferpore	50,792	21,076	29,716
Durbhunga ...	54,875	21,695	33,180
Sarun ...	15,636	5,421	10,215
Chumparun ...	886	825	61
Total ...	196,395	91,450	104,945

The outturn of work has thus been very satisfactory, 46 per cent. of the cases instituted having been finally disposed of. This result is the more satisfactory as it has been brought about by a comparatively small staff of officers.

There was a satisfactory decrease in partition cases, only 89 being instituted, against 331 in 1876-77. This is partly due to the new Partition Act and partly to the effect of the Land Registration Act. The number of cases pending disposal is still large (688).

19. *Excise.*—The revenue rose, notwithstanding the high prices of food, from Rs. 13,73,067 to Rs. 14,56,728, or nearly 6 per cent. The increase was common to all districts but Shahabad. Country spirits contributed Rs. 7,39,340 of the total, and an increase of Rs. 35,084 over the receipts of last year, with a diminution in consumption of 133,616 gallons. The Patna Division, however, consumes more spirits than all the rest of Bengal and Behar, including Calcutta. In 1876-77 it consumed 1,764,305 gallons, against 777,108 gallons consumed in all the rest of the province. *Tari* last year yielded a revenue of Rs. 3,99,256. Ganja shows an increased consumption of 469 maunds, chiefly owing to increased export to the North-West and Nepal.

20. *Monetary matters.*—The demand for currency notes was brisk. They are used here, as in other divisions, mainly for purposes of remittance. The Savings Bank system makes no progress, and Money Orders are but sparingly resorted to, currency notes being generally preferred.

21. *Public Works.*—The earnings of the Tirhoot State Railway were Rs. 2,99,557, and the expenditure Rs. 2,09,251. The income would have been greater but for the demand for imported grains in Sarun and Chumparun which to some extent drew away in that direction the stocks of Tirhoot, and there was some delay in introducing through-booking with the East Indian Railway, which tended to keep matters back. A proposed line from Mozufferpore through Motiharee and Segowlee to Bettiah has been surveyed. The Gya and Patna Railway works are rapidly progressing. Of the irrigation works of the division, the Patna branch of the Soane Canal has been opened for navigation, and the construction of distributaries is being vigorously pushed on. In Gya the main canal is complete, and 161 miles of distributaries have been sanctioned and are in hand. In Shahabad the works are well advanced, and distributaries are being rapidly completed. In Chumparun a canal to irrigate 37,000 acres of land in the north of the sudder sub-division has been completed, the whole cost of which will be defrayed by the landowners. The Gunduck embankments lie in Mozufferpore, Sarun, and Chumparun, and the Magistrates of all these districts question whether, as it now stands, the injury done by it in keeping water and alluvial deposit off the lands does not more than counterbalance the benefit of preventing floods. The expenditure incurred since the embankment was taken over by the Irrigation Department is also matter of serious complaint, and not, the Lieutenant-Governor fears, without reason; but for this expenditure the Collectors are responsible, as the sanctioning of fresh works rest with them. The Irrigation Department has had its attention specially directed to this portion of the report. A scheme has already been put in hand in Sarun for throwing water from the Gunduck into the old water-courses, and using these as distributaries.

22. The roads of the division are generally in fair order, but the Commissioner remarks that little or nothing has hitherto been done towards the improvement of village communications. This is a point of the highest importance, and Mr. Halliday has rightly pressed it upon the notice of the District Committees.

23. *Education.*—There has been a marked improvement during the year in the number of primary schools and pupils, the former having increased by 1,410 and the latter by 16,945, thus giving an average of one school to every seven square miles of area, against one to every twelve miles in 1876-77; and an average of 5·3 pupils to every 1,000 of the population, against an average of 4·1. The bulk of the increase is in Patna, Gya, and Sarun. The number of Mahomedan pupils has risen from 6,896 to 10,196, and of female pupils from 696 to 715. The attendance at European and Eurasian schools fell from 185 to 143. The increase in primary schools seems to be due to the introduction of a system devised by the Inspector, Baboo Bhudeb Mookerjea, which is a modification of the Midnapore plan of payment by results, and the progress of which the Lieutenant-Governor will watch with interest.

24. *Working of Committees.*—These are said to have rendered valuable assistance to the district officers. But no detailed notice is given of their working in each district.

25. *Wards' Estates.*—There are 29 estates under the Court of Wards in this division, many of them, especially in the Sarun district, deeply involved in debt. In the Durbhunga estate the new system of khas management has now been brought into working order, and the collections of last year were larger than those of any preceding year. The Maharajah had an important portion of the property under his direct charge, and showed so much intelligence and capacity for work, that he has been allowed to take over the assistant manager's office during Mr Llewhellin's absence on leave. His brother, Kumar Rameshwar Sing, is favourably reported upon by the Collector whose assistant he now is.

25. *Conduct of Zemindars.*—The zemindars are, as a rule, well disposed and ready to assist local officers, though but few of them have any proper sense of the duties they owe their tenantry. In some parts of Tirhoot the relations of landlords and tenants have been much disturbed, the ryot having found out the value of the road cess returns filed by the zemindars, and taking their stand on the rents there entered, while the zemindars complain of the expense to which they are put by the practice of the ryots depositing their rents in the civil court. A similar movement was apparent in Durbhunga. But on the whole the effect there, owing to the judicious guidance of Mr. MacDonnell, seems to have been to force the two parties into compromise and amicable settlement. Both in Sarun and Chumparun the reports indicate the existence of a similar struggle between exacting landlords on the one hand, and ryots, on whom a knowledge of their rights is gradually dawning, on the other. It may be hoped that the Commission lately appointed to examine the question of a special rent law for Behar will be able to devise measures for improving the position of both landlord and tenant and securing the beginnings of prosperity for this very backward province.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 28th September 1878.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Stations in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
	BENGAL. *Western Districts.*		
	BURDWAN DIVN.		
1	Burdwan. Sep. 28 '78	5·14	It has rained almost every day, and sometimes the whole day long. The state and prospects of the crops on the whole are favourable. Some slight injury may have been caused in parts of the district by inundation.
	Culna ..	8·10	
	Cutwa ...	7·16	
	Bood-Bood ...	6·93	
	Raneegunge ...	2·10	
	Jehanabad ..	10·91	
2	Bankoora, „ 28 „	4·20	Weather—much fresher than last week owing to rain. Heavy dews at night. Clouds still low. The state and prospects of the crops are good. Pulses and *aus* crop are being reaped.
3	Beerbhoom, „ 28 „	5·16	Very heavy rain on the 22nd and 23rd September, especially in the south-east of the district. The state and prospects of the crops are very good. The fields in the immediate neighbourhood of the Adjai and other larger streams were flooded for some hours, but the water retreated before any material harm was done anywhere.
4	Midnapore, „ 28 „	4·50	Weather—seasonable The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
5	Hooghly, „ 28 „	11·73	Weather—cloudy, with frequent showers. The harvesting of the *aus* is still in progress. The cutting of jute has nearly been completed. The prospect of the *amun* is good. Autumn fever prevails everywhere.
	Howrah, „ 30* „	6·00	Very heavy rain on the 22nd, with strong gusts of wind. The rain is said to have been too much for the *amun* crop in the northern thanas, but the damage, if any, will be slight. The crop generally is very promising.
	Moheshrakha ...	9·71	
	Central Districts		
	PRESIDENCY DIVN.		
6	24-Pergunnahs. Sep. 28 '78	5·0	Weather—stormy and very wet in the beginning of the week; afterwards seasonable. Even where the rain was excessive little damage is reported; in all other places it has done great good to the crops. Fever is still prevalent.
7	Nudden, „ 28 „	3·84	Weather—rainy, with occasional sunshine. The harvesting of the *aus* has been completed everywhere. The prospects of the *amun* are good. Prices still continue high.
	Kooshtea ...	9·42	
	Meherpore ...	7·09	
	Chooadanga ..	4·32	
	Bongong ...	6·51	
8	Jessore, „ 28 „	7·87	Frequent showers; heavy rain on two days with high wind The *amun* crop is doing well everywhere In parts of Magoora the stocks are low at present. At Salkhia coarse rice has been selling at seven seers per rupee There is a good deal of fever about.
	Jhenida ...	9·05	
	Magoora ..	9·14	
	Khoolna ...	2·59	
	Narail ..	3·20	
	Bagirhat ..	2·5	
9	Moorshedabad „ 28 „	9·06	Weather—seasonable. The winter rice and sugarcane continue to do well. The rivers are falling, and the low lands are being sown in some places.
	Lalbagh ..	6·06	
	Rampore Hât ..	2·18	
	Jungypore ...	5·59	
	RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVN.		
10	Dinagepore, „ 27 „	1·19	Weather—very strong, with heavy rain from the north The station is under its fifth flood. Heavy rain is unfavourable for the rice crop on low lands. Generally an average crop is expected.
11	Rajshahye, „ 28 „	9·17	Heavy rain during the week throughout the district. The prospect of *amun dhan* continues to be satisfactory. *Ropa dhan* is still being transplanted and, has been much benefited by the last rain. Fever is reported from several police stations.
12	Rungpore, „ 27 „	5·00	Weather—hot and cloudy. The *amun* crop on the high lands promises well and the outturn from it is likely to be remarkably good, but on the low lands it has been damaged by flood. Public health is good for the season of year.
	Gaibanda ...	3·81	
	Bagdogra ...	12·87	
	Kurigram ...	14·30	
13	Bogra, „ 28 „	3·75	Weather—stormy and rainy during the early part of the week, and sultry towards the end. The *amun* crop is doing well. The cutting of jute and *aus* rice is nearly over. The price of rice has fallen a little this week, 12 seers being sold per rupee The general health is good, except that fever, as is generally the case at this time of the year, is prevalent here and there.
14	Pubna, „ 28 „	5·97	A heavy storm of wind and rain on the evening of the 22nd, since which some more rain. The prospects of *amun* are good. The price of rice remains about the same, higher if anything; at Serajgunge it is 8 seers per rupee, and at Pubna 10 seers. Public health is good.

* Report of 30th shows rainfall during week ending 28th.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)		
	Central Districts.—(Contd.)		
15	Darjeeling, Sep. 28 '78	5·73	Alternate sunshine and rain during the week. The crops both on the Hills and in the Terai are progressing favourably.
16	Julpigoree, „ 28 „	11·07	Heavy rain for the first three days of the week. Hot and sultry weather since. Clouds are still hanging about More rain is wanted. No change to report in the prospects of the crops, which are all that can be wished for.
	Cooch Behar, „ 26 „	19·30	The Sudder station was visited by something like a cyclone, which lasted three days, blowing from east to west. The early part of the week was intensely hot. The very heavy and unexpected rainfall of the 22nd, 23rd, and 24th September has done much injury to tobacco and will greatly retard that crop. Rice on low lands must have suffered, but generally the prospects of rice are good. Many trees were blown down near Cooch Behar. The rain and wind were incessant for three days. There are reports of more floods, but nothing certain is yet known. Public health is good.
	Dinhatta ...	3·97	
	Mathabhanga ...	12·86	
	Meckligunge ...	0·85	
	Eastern Districts.		
17	Dacca, Sep. 28 '78	5·55	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are fair.
	Manickgunge ...	6·6	
18	Furreedpore, „ 29[1] „	3·66	Weather—seasonable. The crops on the ground are in excellent condition, but prices are very high.
	Goalundo ...	4·53	
	Madaripore ...	4·93	
19	Backergunge, „ 26 „	3·19	There has been rain every day since the 21st The weather was stormy on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th. The recent abundant rainfall has saved the *amun* crop, which in many places was suffering from drought In the south of the district insects appeared and did some slight damage, but it is believed the rain has washed them out. Prices have risen this week. Health is good.
20	Mymensingh, „ 27 „	12·71	Heavy rain on the 22nd and 23rd September. The crops on the high lands are very promising. The river is high in flood, and complaints have again been received.
21	Tipperah, „ 27 „	2·27	Weather—changeable on some days; hot and oppressive, with occasional heavy storms of wind and rain. In the north and west of the district some injury to the *amun dhan* has been done by the floods. In the south and east it is in good condition.
	Brahmunbaria ...	1·72	
	Chandpore ...	3·15	
22	Chittagong, „ 26 „	7·92	Heavy gale and rain squalls from the 21st to the 24th September. The state and prospects of the crops are very good. The *aus* harvest is finished, and the *amun* transplanting is nearly so.
23	Noakholly	.....	Return not received.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts	.....	Return not received.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 25 „	2·74	There were stiff gusts of wind coming from the south-east on the 22nd and 23rd September, but the weather has since been calm. The rainfall has been continuous since the 19th. There is no change to report in the state and prospects of the crops.
	BEHAR.		
25	Patna, Sep. 28 '78	1·47	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are very good. The rice crop is now safe from failure, and if the weather continues favourable, it will be a bumper crop.
	Behar ...	0·55	
	Dinapore ...	2·71	
26	Gya, „ 28 „	4·87	The general appearance of the sky was partly cloudy and partly clear during the week. The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 93·5. The *bhadoi* crop is being harvested. It is reported from everywhere that rain for present purposes is sufficient. A few cases of cholera and small-pox have been reported, and the health of the plough cattle is good.
	Aurungabad ...	2·55	
	Jehanabad ...	Nil	
	Nowada ...	1·65	
27	Shahabad, „ 28 „	4·35	Alternate rain and sunshine. A heavy shower on the night of the 22nd September. The reaping of the *bhadoi* is almost over. The late rains have benefited the *aghani* crop, but more rain is wanted in some places. Cholera is prevalent in some places in the Bhabooah sub-division.
28	Durbhunga, „ 28 „	1·46	Weather—cloudy and rainy. *Bhadoi* is being harvested. Winter rice is promising. Prices are gradually falling.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 28 „	1·84	Weather—cool and cloudy. The rainfall in some parts of the interior has been as much as 7 inches. The greater portion of the *bhadoi* crops has now been reaped. The rice crop is in excellent condition.
	Seetamurhee ..	1·98	
	Hajeepore ...	0·95	
30	Sarun, „ 28 „	3·13	Weather—cloudy, with occasional sunshine Rain fell in almost every part of the district during the week and did much good to the *aghani* rice, but more rain is still wanted. Sugarcane is doing well. Prices of the coarser grains are rapidly falling. Fever is still prevalent.
	Sewan ...	3·03	
	Gopalgunge ...	0·81	
31	Chumparun, „ 28 „	2·32	Weather—hot and close during the day, but cool at night. The prospects of the existing crops are excellent. *Bhadoi* has been commenced to be harvested Rain is not wanted.

[1] Report of 29th shows rainfall during week ending 28th.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)			
BHAGULPORE DIVISION. 32	Monghyr, Sep. 28 '78	3·12	Good rain for the crops, but the weather is rather unwholesome. The crops are doing very well. Prices are already falling.
	Beguserai ...	1·62	
	Jamui ..	4·23	
33	Bhagulpore, „ 28 „	1·49	Weather—cloudy and stormy. This rain has come most opportunely, and the rice crop is secure and will be an almost unprecedented one.
34	Purneah, „ 28 „	1·65	Weather—fair; showry at the commencement of the week. Winds easterly. The prospects of the crops are very good. Health is generally fair.
	Kissengunge ...	4·73	
	Arrareah ..	3·10	
35	Maldah, „ 28 „	1·52	Weather—showery and cool during the week. The crops have received much benefit from the gentle rain. The rivers are still falling. Fever is prevalent as before.
36	Sonthal Perghs., „ 29* „	8·10	Rain in Doomka very heavy and almost unceasing for the first half of the week. The barometer has gone up $\frac{3}{10}$ths of an inch since the 22nd September. The early rice that will ripen within the next month is unusually good. The prospects of the late rice are as good as possible. The maize in Rajmehal has been declared a 9-anna crop or $\frac{3}{4}$ths average. The *bhadoi* dhan is declared a 13-anna crop or good average. In the other sub-divisions the prospects are said to be very good.
	Deoghur ...	6·43	
	Godda ...	3·49	
	Rajmehal ...	2·34	
	Pakour ..	4·44	
	Jamtara ...	1·51	
ORISSA.			
ORISSA DIVS. 37	Cuttack, Sep. 28 '78	0·69	Weather—cloudy, with rain and sunshine alternately. There has been more rain in the interior than at head-quarters, and the *sarad* is progressing well. The *beali* is being reaped, and the outturn is estimated at 12 to 16 annas. Cholera has lessoned greatly.
38	Pooree, „ 27 „	2·47	Weather—hot and cloudy. Rain is reported from all parts of the district. *Beali* and *mandia* are being harvested. *Sarad* rice is progressing well, but more rain is required in the Chilka tracts. Common rice sells at $11\frac{3}{16}$th seers for the rupee in the Chilka tracts. In the other parts of the district it sells at $13\frac{1}{4}$ to $18\frac{3}{8}$ seers for the rupee. Exportation across the Chilka continues. A native vessel is waiting for cargo in Pooree Roads Public health is good.
	Khoorda ...	1·23	
39	Balasore, „ 27 „	2·11	Tolerably heavy showers have alternated with strong sunshine. Weather very favourable for the winter rice crop, which is making satisfactory progress. There is still a good deal of cattle disease.
	Bhudruck ...	2·95	
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Sep. 27 '78	1·26	Weather—seasonable. All continues favourable. *Gora dhan* and *murwa* are being cut with very good returns. A few cases of cholera are still reported.
41	Lohardugga, „ 28 „	4·01	Weather—seasonable, with abundant rain and strong sunshine alternating. No change to report. All crops that have been cut (Indian-corn, *gora*, &c.) have yielded abundantly, and all other crops still on the ground promise well.
	Palamow ...	0·98	
42	Singbhoom, „ 27 „	0·25	Weather—seasonable. The crops continue doing well. Prices are falling and matters are generally satisfactory. Sickness is still prevalent.
43	Manbhoom, „ 28 „	3·15	Weather—sunny and at present favourable. The state and prospects of the crops are the same as before. If there be a little rain in October, there will be from a 12 to 16-anna low land crop in the larger portion of the district, and probably an 8-anna low land crop in the pergunnahs in which relief works are being carried on.

* Report of 29th shows rainfall during week ending 28th.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 8th to 14th September 1878.	Rain from 15th to 21st September 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
	Western Districts.						
Burdwan.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan	3·32	0·69	52·64	21st Sept.	
		Cutwa	6·00	0·25	57·48	ditto	
		Culna	2·41	2·83	54·41	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	1·10	1·29	45·36	ditto	
		Raneegunge	1·33	1·34	45·05	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0·70	0·74	58·50	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	2·35	0·57	47·50	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	3·14	1·28	55·72	ditto	
		Hetampore	2·95	0·34	54·10	ditto	
		Roypore	1·54	0·31	57·96	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	1·10	1·58	39·63	ditto	
		Tumlook	0·98	2·49	46·11	ditto	
		Ghattal	0·81	0·61	44·34	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	4·40	1·12	37·82	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	4·11	0·74	39·00	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	2·71	0·66	69·60	ditto	
		Serampore	1·75	1·10	56·63	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	2·14	1·35	50·64	ditto	
		Maheshraka	0·76	1·48	51·37	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	3·19	1·93	48·25	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	0·50	1·05	46·42	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	1·06	0·84	52·47	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	0·95	0·93	51·91	ditto	
		Busseerhat	3·02	0·35	57·86	ditto	
		Baraset	1·70	1·58	56·54	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	4·03	1·56	53·69	ditto	
		Barripore	1·07	1·21	54·34	ditto	
		Satkhira	2·48	0·66	64·50	ditto	
		Barrackpore	2·23	1·08	55·98	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	1·34	1·56	54·92	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	2·62	0·51	55·13	ditto	
		Bongong	3·66	0·60	57·26	ditto	
		Meherpore	1·62	Nil	42·67	ditto	
		Chooadanga	10·29	0·20	67·89	ditto	
		Kooshtea	4·85	0·42	60·85	ditto	
		Ranaghat	5·45	0·65	67·78	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	1·50	2·96	60·04	ditto	
		Narail	3·28	1·09	44·96	ditto	
		Khoolna	2·70	0·95	56·53	ditto	
		Jhenidah	4·01	0·83	50·64	ditto	
		Bagirhat	1·30	2·10	62·49	ditto	
		Magoorah	3·44	0·34	56·34	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	6·64	1·38	55·47	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	5·03	1·40	57·55	ditto	
		Lallbagh	5·27	0·48	44·65	ditto	
		Jungypore	3·79	0·61	46·53	ditto	
		Azimgunge	3·77	0·25	48·27	ditto	
		Lalgolla	3·89	1·73	46·94	ditto	
		Kandee	8·47	0·87	53·45	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	3·13	0·22	67·22	ditto	
		Raigunge	5·23	0·96	66·49	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	3·78	Nil	50·51	ditto	
		Chanchal	2·43	0·05	52·39	ditto	
		Bauleah	4·94	Nil	59·55	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Nattore	7·34	0·49	67·27	ditto	
		Rungpore	11·70	Nil	113·50	ditto	
	Rungpore	Bhabanigunge	4·82	ditto	86·89	ditto	
		Kurigram	12·03	ditto	114·05	ditto	
		Bagdogra	11·32	0·26	126·29	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	2·67	Nil	70·74	ditto	
		Sherpore	4·60	0·91	72·27	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	3·07	0·17	57·64	ditto	
		Panchbibi	11·52	Nil	74·44	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	4·60	0·80	65·53	ditto	
		Serajgunge	5·20	Nil	50·48	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	9·52	0·49	115·18	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	9·52	0·49	107·32	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	15·15	Nil	130·97	ditto	
		Boda	11·60	1·15	106·57	ditto	
		Buxa	9·56	0·56	192·49	ditto	
		Titalya	15·97	Not recd.	114·53	14th Sept.	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	16·01	Nil	174·46	21st Sept.	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 8th to 14th September 1878.	Rain from 15th to 21st September 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca ... Telegraph Office ...	3·88	1·02	52·49	21st Sept.	
		Dacca ... Hospital ...	4·57	1·28	67·99	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	1·85	2·40	78·88	ditto	
		Manickgunge	3·27	0·02	56·08	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	2·56	1·07	54·91	ditto	
		Goalundo	2·93	0·75	65·23	ditto	
		Madaripore	0·50	1·43	60·08	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	0·95	1·58	57·17	ditto	
		Perozepore	0·86	2·08	66·81	ditto	
		Patoosakhally	0·96	1·11	68·20	ditto	
		Bhola	1·47	1·09	71·12	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	11·01	0·92	82·39	ditto	
		Jamalpore	5·13	Not recd.	86·23	14th Sept.	
		Atia	1·94	ditto	49·77	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	9·36	0·02	70·36	21st Sept.	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong ... Telegraph Office	2·57	0·73	86·33	ditto	
		Chittagong ... Jail ...	3·36	0·86	81·76	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	1·14	0·79	90·94	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	2·02	40·2	84·27	ditto	
		Fenny	2·81	3·90	89·95	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	2·27	0·01	74·39	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	7·95	0·40	64·64	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	3·05	4·34	77·00	ditto	
		Ruma	5·54	Not recd.	63·92	14th Sept.	From 17th February.
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	3·34	2·20	65·74	21st Sept.	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	1·60	0·72	38·94	ditto	
		Behar	2·31	0·34	35·87	ditto	
		Barh	0·42	1·43	40·89	ditto	
		Dinapore	2·75	0·14	34·97	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	2·89	1·01	36·20	ditto	
		Nowadah	4·40	1·25	38·62	ditto	
		Aurungabad	0·64	1·97	30·60	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0·99	0·72	39·95	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	0·34	0·79	33·00	ditto	
		Sasseram	2·43	0·86	33·29	ditto	
		Buxar	0·51	Nil	22·41	ditto	
		Bhubooah	4·25	0·74	31·45	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	0·97	0·07	32·42	ditto	
		Hajeepore	0·56	0·40	28·54	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	2·10	0·34	40·04	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	0·32	0·10	32·65	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	1·15	0·25	39·39	ditto	
		Tajpore	1·63	0·70	42·35	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	1·54	0·21	24·97	ditto	
		Sewan	3·54	0·54	29·48	ditto	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	1·71	Not recd.	37·60	14th Sept.	
		Bettiah	0·77	ditto	31·04	ditto	
		Segowlee	2·40	ditto	39·87	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	1·45	0·06	41·40	21st Sept.	
		Begooserai	0·11	0·09	34·96	ditto	
		Jamoosee	1·65	1·89	39·05	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	2·11	0·88	44·48	ditto	
		Soopool	5·18	0·50	48·65	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	4·10	Nil	52·34	ditto	
		Banka	0·72	0·65	57·17	ditto	
		Sonbursa	2·23	0·19	51·21	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	11·93	0·10	61·87	ditto	
		Kissengunge	8·81	Nil	79·15	ditto	
		Arrareah	11·42	ditto	77·02	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doonka	3·20	0·60	47·13	ditto	
		Rajmehal	4·38	Nil	94·97	ditto	
		Deoghur	4·52	0·37	54·77	ditto	From 17th August.
		Jamtara	1·43	2·50	34·04	ditto	From 30th June not recd.
		Pakour	3·02	0·18	35·25	ditto	From 8th July.
		Godda	0·47	3·66	58·83	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 8th to 14th September 1878.	Rain from 15th to 21st September 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Orissa	Cuttack ...	Cuttack Hospital ...	1·94	Not recd.	44·22	14th Sept.	
		Jajpore	Not recd.	ditto	20·90	27th July	Not recorded from 28th July.
		Kendraparah	4·80	ditto	33·50	14th Sept.	
		Jagatsingpore	0·43	ditto	44·53	ditto	
		False Point	2·08	3·65	36·14	21st Sept.	
	Pooree ...	Pooree	5·25	4·70	30·44	ditto	
		Khurdah	2·17	2·64	37·15	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	1·20	2·27	45·37	ditto	
		Bhadrack	1·13	3·76	53·98	ditto	
		Jellasore	0·42	2·33	46·69	ditto	
		Sorah	3·25	1·88	51·70	ditto	
		Chandbally	2·26	1·97	45·32	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	2·69	Not recd.	36·01	14th Sept.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	2·44	1·77	39·70	21st Sept.	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	2·72	0·82	39·61	ditto	
		Sitagurriah	0·88	0·87	20·12	ditto	From 4th August.
		Pachamba	2·85	1·50	49·12	ditto	
		Mowdic Hill	2·18	0·85	3·03	ditto	From 8th August.
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	2·94	3·33	39·38	ditto	
		Palamow	1·75	0·59	28·54	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	2·90	1·47	46·84	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	5·44	4·30	54·84	ditto	
		Govindpore	2·71	0·65	47·82	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	11·32	Nil	144·88	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	4·73	Not recd.	75·70	14th Sept.	
		Golaghat	5·94	ditto	75·28	ditto	
		Jorhat	8·35	ditto	65·79	ditto	
		Akyab	4·26	2·93	94·82	21st Sept.	Not recorded from 16th to 29th June.
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	Nil.	Not recd.	24·98	14th Sept.	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	22·97	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	12·34	ditto	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 28th September 1878.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period from 22nd to 28th September 1878.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity. *	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Sept. 22nd	10	29·445	29·467	79·0	77·8	94	S W	26·0	...	P, FK	o, g, p, t
		16	29.451	29·473	78·7	77·5	94	S W by S	22·8	...	P, FK	o, g, p
	23rd	10	29·614	29·636	83 0	81·3	92	S S W	9·0	6·28	PC, FK	o
		16	29·524	29·545	85·0	81·2	84	S by W	12·2	..	PC, P, FK	o, g
	24th	10	29 597	29·619	81·2	78·0	86	N W by N	5·5	0·02	PC, FK	o, g
		16	29·632	29·654	81·3	79·2	91	E N E	2·7	0·02	PC	o, g
	25th	10	29·760	29·782	84·5	80 1	81	E N E	1·0	...	K	c
		16	29·650	29·672	82·8	79·2	85	E by S	5·2	...	K, PC	o
	26th	10	29·794	29·815	85·0	79·5	78	S E by E	2·8	...	K	c
		16	29 683	29.705	84 5	80·0	81	S	4·0	0·41	K, PK, C	c
	27th	10	29·802	29·823	85.8	81·0	80	E	2·8	...	K	c
		16	29·708	29·730	80·9	77 9	87	E by S	4·2	...	PC	o, g
	28th	10	29·827	29·849	84·3	79·4	80	S E	3·0	...	K	c
		16	29·729	29·751	80·3	78 0	90	S	2·7	0·55	P, PK	o, g
Saugor Island.	Sept. 22nd	10	29·560	29·566	81	79	91	W S W	24	0·07	.....	d, threatening weather, rapidly with [scud.
		16	29·489	29·495	84 5	81·5	87	S W	13	...	.....	o, clouds low, moving.
	23rd	10	29·654	29·660	86	83	88	S S W	20	0·11	.....	ditto
		16	29·557	29·563	86·5	83·5	88	S	16	...	.....	ditto
	24th	10	29·708	29 714	87	84	88	S W	20	...	.....	ditto
		16	29·640	29·646	87	84	88	N E	8	...	.....	g ditto
	25th	10	29·769	29·775	87	82·5	82	W N W	3	0·07	.....	g
		16	29·652	29·658	88	82	76	S E	4	...	.....	b, c
	26th	10	29·799	29·805	86	81	76	S S E	8	0·22	.....	p
		16	29 693	29·699	86·5	81	78	S E	8	...	.....	b, c
	27th	10	29·800	29·815	86	80·5	78	E S E	4	...	.....	o, p
		16	29·705	29·711	87	82	80	S E	8	...	.....	o, sultry.
	28th	10	29·844	29·850	82	80	91	W	4	0·47	.....	p, passing showers during day.
		16	29·728	29·734	85·5	81	81	S W	4	...	.....	threatening weather.
Chittagong.	Sept. 22nd	10	29·577	29·669	82	80	91	S S E	9	1·24	.....	o, g
	23rd	10	29·674	29·765	85	83	91	C	9	3·87	.....	o, g
	24th	10	29·732	29·824	79	78	95	S E	9	3 49	.....	o, dark, gloomy.
	25th	10	29·724	29·815	87	83	84	C	1	...	.....	b, c
	26th	10	29·743	29·833	88	84	84	S S W	2	..	.....	b, c
	27th	10	29·783	29·875	78	77	95	E N E	3	1·18	.....	o, moist and muggy.
	28th	10	29·781	29·872	86	80 5	78	W	...	0·10	.....	moist and muggy.
Akyab.	Sept. 22nd	10	29·741	29·762	86	82·5	86	S	4	1·04	.....	o. p
	23rd	10	29·792	29·813	86	84	92	S W	6	1·09	.....	o, g
	24th	10	29·801	29·822	86	83	88	S E	2	0·32	.....	p
	25th	10	29·806	29·827	85	83	91	E	2	0·35	.....	b, c
	26th	10	29·767	29·788	85	81	83	E N E	3	0·03	.....	p, b, c
	27th	10	29·837	29·859	83	81	91	E	2	1·38	.....	d, t, l, at distance.
	28th	10	29·852	29·873	85	81·5	85	E	2	...	.....	b, c
False Point.	Sept. 22nd	10	29·599	29·614	86	83	88	W S W	8	...	.....	g, clouds low, moving rapidly with scud.
	23rd	10	29·658	29·673	83	82	96	S W	9	1·27	.....	o, thunder-storm.
	24th	10	29·693	29·708	89	83	77	W	6	...	.....	sultry
	25th	10	29·764	29·779	87	81	76	C	3	0·34	.....	continuous rain.
	26th	10	29·790	29·805	87	82	80	E N E	2	0·25	.....	sultry.
	27th	10	29·788	29·803	84	79	79	E N E	4	0·07	.....	d, b, c
	28th	10	29·835	29·850	81	79	91	C	2	0·81	.....	d, very sultry.
Vizagapatam.	Sept. 22nd	10	29·667	29·699	83	78·5	81	W N W	1	0·20	.....	o, t, l, at distance.
	23rd	10	29·672	29·703	86·5	80·5	76	S W	2	...	.....	b, c
	24th	10	29·699	29·730	89	79	63	N W	1	...	...	b, c
	25th	10	29·733	29·764	88	79·5	68	W S W	1	...	.....	t, l
	26th	10	29·766	29·797	88·5	77·5	59	S	1	...	.....	b, c
	27th	10	29·759	29·790	87	78·5	67	S S W	2	...	.....	b, c
	28th	10	29·773	29·805	84·5	79·5	79	S	1	0·90	.....	d, t, l, at distance.
Colombo.	Sept. 22nd	10	29·930	29·971	84·5	79	77	W S W	8	0·13	.....	b, c
	23rd	10	29·906	29·947	84	79	79	W S W	11	0·23	.....	b, c
	24th	10	29·875	29 916	84·5	79	77	W S W	3	...	.....	b, c
	25th	10	8·94	29·935	83	78	79	W S W	7	...	.....	b, c
	26th	10	29·894	29·935	83	79	83	W S W	7	...	.....	b, c
	27th	10	29·891	29·932	83·5	79	81	W S W	8	...	.....	b, c
	28th	10	29·883	29·923	85	79	76	W	8	...	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 28th September 1878.

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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 22nd to 28th September 1878.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature. Mean.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Range.	Temperature. Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Hygrometry. Vapour tension.	Hygrometry. Dew point.	Hygrometry. Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1878.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Sept.	22nd	85·2	29·469	78·7	82·1	5·8	76·3	78·1	0·957	77·9	98	Till 1 A.M. N W by N, till 4 A.M. W by N, till 1 P.M. chiefly S W, till midnight S S W.	361	6·20	Cloudy, dark, gloomy, and threatening aspect; continuous rain for nearly whole day and a cyclonic disturbance passed near Calcutta *d, p, t, t,* ⸝
"	23rd	137·2	·582	80·7	86·9	11·4	75·5	78·9	·963	78·1	91	Till 8 P.M. chiefly S S W, till midnight W by N through S W and W.	211	0·08*	Cloudy, *o, g.*
"	24th	96·1	·644	79·7	84·0	6·1	77·9	78·2	·946	77·6	93	Till 8 A.M. W by N, till 9-45 P.M. S W by S through W and S W, till 1-45 P.M. N W by N, till midnight E N E through N and N E.	70	0·04	Cloudy, *o, g,* and *p.*
"	25th	149·8	·718	80·5	88·5	10·6	77·9	78·7	·956	77·9	91	Till 10-30 A.M. E N E, till 1-35 P.M. W through N and N W, till 3 P.M. N E by N through N, till 8-30 P.M. E by S through E, till 11 P.M. S W by S through S E and S, till midnight S E by S through S.	64	Nil	Day cloudy, night chiefly clear, *o* and *w.*
"	26th	146·7	·753	81·3	88·3	10·8	77·5	79·2	·972	78·4	91	Till noon S E by E, till midnight S.	59	0·41	Day chiefly cloudy night chiefly clear, *o* and *w.*
"	27th	136·7	·765	80·5	86·8	8·4	78·[illegible]	78·8	·963	78·1	92	Till 6 A.M. S, till midnight E by S through S E.	60	Nil	Day chiefly cloudy, night clear, *o, g. t* and *w.*
"	28th	108·5	·788	79·8	84·7	6·9	77·8	77·8	·927	76·9	91	Till 10 A.M. E by S, till 11 A.M. S E by S through S E, till 11-45 A.M. N N E through E and N E, till midnight chiefly S.	50	0·55	Day chiefly cloudy, night chiefly clear, *o, g, d, p t, l* and *w.*

* Fell since 5-30 P.M. of the 22nd.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	29·674
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	...	29·729
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	80·2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	...	83·1
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days ...	...	13·0
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	88·5
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	92
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	...	85
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 22nd to 28th September 1878	...	7·28
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	...	1·94
The total fall from 1st January to 28th September 1878	...	54·55
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	...	58·53

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o overcast, *g* gloomy, *t* thunder, *l* lightning, *d* drizzling rain, ⸝ strong wind, *p* passing temporary showers, *w* dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA, ALEXANDER PEDLER,

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 21st September 1878 on 1,279¾ miles open

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Tot
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	124,583	1,41,549 8 6	12,075 7 6	9,54,360 10	3,80,604 6 6	34,888 14 8	5,22,153 14 6	46,470¼	77,332	123,
Or per mile of railway	.....	110 9 8	10 2 9		297 6 6	27 5 3	408 0 2	..	.....	.....
For previous 11 weeks of half-year	1,384,233	15,86,760 4 6	143,453 0 6	95,71,307 30	37,16,677 2 9	340,695 8 2	53,03,437 7 3	507,481¼	714,193¾	1,221,
Total for 12 weeks ...	1,508,816	17,28,309 13 0	158,428 8 0	1,05,26,274 0	40,97,281 8 9	375,584 2 10	58,25,591 5 9	553,952¼	791,525¾	1,345,
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	144,641¾	1,83,579 7 8	16,828 2 5	13,81,674 30	4,25,600 2 8	39,018 16 11	6,09,239 10 5	44,593	86,901	131,
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ..		143 7 2	13 3 0			30 9 9	476 1 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,520,895¼	17,93,511 5 10	164,405 4 2	1,54,48,154 20	62,01,334 11 5	568,455 13 7	79,94,846 1 3	531,753	1,283,716	1,708,

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 21st September 1878 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,215	17,421 0 9	1,596 18 7	1,12,075 30	29,174 11 3	2,674 7 0	46,595 12 0	4,555¼	8,381¼	12,
Or per mile of railway		77 13 9	7 2 9		130 6 3	11 19 1	208 4 0	..	.. ..	.....
For previous 11 weeks of half-year	51,656¼	1,33,447 9 3	12,232 13 11	6,24,312 20	198,384 15 6	18,185 5 9	3,31,832 8 9	48,004	48,302	96,
Total for 12 weeks ...	56,871¼	1,50,868 10 0	13,829 12 6	7,36,388 10	2,27,559 10 9	20,859 12 9	3,78,428 4 9	52,559¼	56,683¼	109,
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,753	15,613 12 1	1,431 5 3	3,31,552 30	80,261 11 9	7,359 6 6	95,875 7 10	4,662	13,342	20,
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	... ..	69 12 6	6 7 11	..	358 11 5	32 17 8	428 7 11	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	69,677	1,62,298 1 4	14,877 6 5	26,76,619 20	6,53,120 6 6	60,419 7 5	8,21,418 7 10	54,461	187,345	241,

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 21st September 1878 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total receipts
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s
Total traffic for the week	37,063	26,672 11 3	2,144 19 11	2,04,499 21	1,11,924 11 6	10,559 15 4	12,704 12
Or per mile of railway	233	168 0 3	15 8 0	1,288 7	705 0 7	64 12 7	80
For previous 11 weeks of half-year	4,10,851¼	2,69,585 15 6	24,712 1 1	22,25,628 29	6,70,940 3 0	61,502 16 11	86,214 18
Total for 12 weeks ...	4,47,914¼	2,96,258 10 9	27,157 1 0	24,30,128 10	7,82,864 14 6	71,762 12 3	98,919 12
COMPARISON.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	45,187¼	27,097 7 7	2,483 18 8	3,45,037 17	1,00,419 8 4	9,205 2 6	11,689
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	285	170 11 1	15 12 11	2,173 19	632 9 0	57 19 8	73
Total to corresponding date of previous year ..	4,24,577¼	2,60,471 9 10	23,876 13 2	38,19,993 23	9,51,589 5 10	87,229 18 10	1,11,106

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 33.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Tot decre in 1
			18th August 1877.	17th August 1878.	To 18th August 1877.	To 17th August 1878.		
		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
24th August ...	Northern Bengal	219	.....	14,282 0 0		4,79,025 0 0	4,79,025 0 0	.....
17th " ...	Tirhoot	78	5,372 0 0	7,974 0 0	1,69,734 0 0	2,75,896 0 0	1,06,162 0 0	.....
14th September ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	1,788 0 0	1,773 0 0	69,101 0 0	83,136 0 0	14,035 0 0	.....
17th August ...	Nalhati	27¼	1,415 0 0	2,761 0 0	56,524 0 0	59,497 0 0	2,973 0 0	.....
	Total ...	352¼	8,575 0 0	26,790 0 0	2,95,359 0 0	8,97,554 0 0	6,02,195 0 0	

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 4467A.

GENERAL.—*The 3rd October* 1878.—Baboo Ashootosh Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector Dacca, is appointed to act temporarily, until further orders, as a Deputy Magistrate an Deputy Collector in Pubna, and is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X o 1870.

Moulvi Khadim Hossein is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of th Second Grade in Purneah, with effect from the date on which he joined that district, *vic* Moulvi Waris Ali, deputed to License Tax duty.

Moulvi Ryazut Hossein is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of th Second Grade in Purneah, with effect from the date on which he joined that district, *vic* Moulvi Najimuddin Ahmed, deputed to License Tax duty.

Mr. E. G. Glazier, Magistrate and Collector of Dinagepore, is appointed to act, unti further orders, in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors, *vice* Mr. W. Kemble.

Mr. J. F. Bradbury, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of Magistrates and Collectors, *vice* Mr. E. G. Glazier.

Mr. E. H. Ruddock, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Maldah, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of Magistrates and Collectors, *vice* Mr. F. W. J. Rees.

Mr. J. H. Mendies, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, settlement duty, on leave, is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade, *vice* Baboo Annuda Prosad Patuck appointed a Circle Officer under the Bengal License Act.

Mr. Mendies is posted to the Sudder Station of the Midnapore district.

The above appointment will have effect from the date on which Mr. Mendies availed himself of his present leave.

Baboo Tarinidas Banerjee, B.A., is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade, *vice* Baboo Girendranath Chatterjee, appointed a Circle Officer under the Bengal License Act.

Baboo Tarinidas Banerjee is posted to Kooshtea in Nuddea.

Baboo Suresh Chunder Das is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade, and is posted to Dacca.

POLICE.—*The 2nd October* 1878.—Mr. H. M. Reily, District Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. G. H. French, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Sylhet, is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. M. Reily, or until further orders.

EDUCATION.—*The 3rd October* 1878.—Baboo Bancy Madhub Dutt, M.A., B.L., Government Pleader, Julpigori, is appointed to act as Law Lecturer at the Dacca College, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Upendro Nath Mitter, or until further orders.

MEDICAL.—*The 3rd October* 1878.—Surgeon R. L. Dutt, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Bankoora, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Surgeon-Major R. Harvey.

Surgeon Zalnoor Alee Ahmed is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Maldah, *vice* Surgeon R. L. Dutt, but will continue to act, until further orders, as Civil Surgeon of the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. W. T. Wood, Officiating Lecturer of Dentistry, Medical College, Calcutta, is confirmed in that appointment.

The 7th October 1878.—Surgeon J. J. Wood officiated as Civil Surgeon of Hazareebagh is addition to his duties as Superintendent of Vaccination, Ranchee Circle, from the 12th to the 30th June 1878, both days inclusive.

The following Notifications are re-published from the *Assam Gazette*:—

No. 134.—*The 24th September* 1878.—Mr. G. H. Damant, Deputy Commissioner, Fourth Grade, and Political Officer in charge of the Naga Hills district, is appointed to officiate in the Third Grade of Deputy Commissioners from the date on which Mr. A. C. Campbell availed himself of the privilege leave granted to him in orders No. 97, dated the 19th August 1878, to the date on which Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. Sherer returns from privilege leave.

No. 21 —*The 27th September* 1878.—Under the provisions of Section 37 of Act X of 1872, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to invest Mr. G. W. Place, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, with effect from the 10th July 1878.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th October 1878.—On the report of the Central Examination Committee, Baboo Poorna Chunder Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhoom, is declared to have passed in law by the higher standard of the departmental examination held in May 1878.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF NOAKHOLLY.

The 3rd October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75, Act X (B.C.) of 1871, (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Noakholly have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from the 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly:—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops:—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs. 100,	but less than Rs.	500	... 1	0	0
" 500,	"	1,000	... 3	0	0
" 1,000,	"	2,000	... 4	8	0

" 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF MALDAH.

The 5th October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75, Act X (B.C.) of 1871, (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Maldah have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing cess year commencing from 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500	...	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000	...	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000	...	4	8	0

,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee, if not assessed under the License Tax Act.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF RUNGPORE.

The 7th October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75, Act X (B.C.) of 1871, (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Rungpore have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year beginning with the 1st of October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500	...	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000	...	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000	...	4	8	0

,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee, if valued at Rs. 100 or more to pay according to the rate above mentioned.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF JESSORE.

The 2nd October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75, Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Jessore have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cess under Part II of the Act for the cess year beginning with the 1st of October 1878, at the following rate, being the maximum rate, and the said rate is published accordingly :—

Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th September 1878.—A plan and an estimate amounting to Rs. 49,689, for the construction of additional sidings for the Port Commissioners' tramway, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with their Vice-Chairman's letter, No. 1202, dated the 2nd July 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the work under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B. C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th September 1878.—A plan and an estimate amounting to Rs. 29,850, for doubling the Port Commissioners' tramway on the extension from the Chittpore Bridge to Cossipore, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with their Vice-Chairman's letter, No. 1493, dated 7th August 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the work under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B. C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4468A.

The 2nd October 1878.—Moulvi Khadim Hossein, who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Purneah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Moulvi Ryazut Hossein, who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Purneah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Mr. D. Norton, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Buxar, Shahabad, is appointed, under the provisions of Section 3, Act II of 1869, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control.

The 3rd October 1878.—Baboo Tarinidas Banerjee, who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade at Kooshtea, in Nuddea, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Sen, First Subordinate Judge of Backergunge, is allowed leave for six months, under Section 3, Supplement F. to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him under orders of the 14th August last.

Baboo Bancy Madhub Mitter, B.L., Moonsif of Jessore, is appointed to act as First Subordinate Judge of Backergunge, with effect from the re-opening of the Courts after the Dusserah vacation, until the return, from leave, of Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Sen, or until further orders.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 2nd October 1878.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of Act XIII of 1859, entitled "an Act to provide for the punishment of breaches of contract by artificers, workmen, and laborers in certain cases," the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension of the said Act to the North Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, within the limits set forth in the Government Notification No. 3, dated the 10th September 1877, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, Part I, page 1402.

2. The powers vested by the said Act in a Magistrate of Police shall be exercised in the said Municipality by the Bench of Magistrates exercising first class powers which holds sittings at Barranagore, a place within the Municipality, or by an Assistant Magistrate or Deputy Magistrate exercising first class powers at the Sudder Station of the 24-Pergunnahs, on reference by the Magistrate of the district.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1878.—Under section 79 of Act III of 1877 (the Indian Registration Act), it is hereby notified for general information that with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the addition of the following clause to Article C of the Schedule of Fees published under section 77 of Act VIII of 1871:—

(*d.*) For withdrawal of a sealed cover containing a will ... Rs. 2.

This clause will come into force from the 15th October 1878.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th September 1878.—It is hereby notified that in the exercise of the powers vested in him by section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts Act (VI of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal vests Baboo Trigunno Prosunno Bose, L.L., Additional Moonsif of Cutwa, Baboo Gopal Chunder Banerjee, B.L., Moonsif of Alipore, and Baboo Uma Churn Dutt, B.L., Moonsif of Baraset, with the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits cognizable by such Courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which they shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of their moonsiffee jurisdictions.

Baboo Denesh Chunder Roy, B.L., and Baboo Rajendro Coomar Bose, B.L., who are, under separate orders of this date, transferred respectively to Hathazaree and Ranaghat will, in their new stations, cease to exercise the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes with which they are at present vested.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1878.—Under the powers vested in him by Section 2, Act II (B.C.) of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal), the Lieutenant-Governor hereby extends the provisions of Act II (B.C.) of 1867 to the thana of Ganguriya, in the Sudder sub-division of the district of Burdwan.

The limits of the thana of Ganguriya will be the same as those now fixed for police purposes.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 1st October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz. for a brick-field for the Bogra Jail, in the villages of Natai and Narioli, pergunnah Prolapbajoo, district Bogra, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 beeghas of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Nowkhilla road, east by Sundori Bil, south by the cultivated land of Andaru Shek, and west by the cultivated land of Milan Biswas, is required within the aforesaid villages of Natai and Narioli. This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870.

The plan and estimate can be seen at the Bogra Jail Superintendent's Office.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th September 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the military lines in the village of Bandarjuri, ghât Dumka, pergunnah Belpatta, zillah Sonthal Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 83 beeghas 14 cottahs 8½ dhoors of standard measurement, bounded on all sides by lands belonging to the village of Bandarjuri, in the khas possession of the zemindar, is required within the aforesaid village of Bandarjuri, ghât Dumka.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

IRRIGATION.

IN supersession of all previous notifications it is hereby notified, for general information, under Section VI of the "Canals' Act of 1864," that the following revised Schedule of Rates for tolls in the Canals of the Orissa Circle will come into effect from and after the 1st October 1878 :—

Kendrapara Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM THE WEST.				ENTERING FROM THE EAST.			
	At Jugguthpore Head Lock.	At Kendupatna.	At Buspore.	At Marsaghai.	At Jumboo Lock.	At Marsaghai.	At Buspore.	At Kendupatna.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage of boats.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100.	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

High Level Canal, Range I.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM THE NORTH.			ENTERING FROM THE SOUTH.		
	At the Brahmini river, Janapore.	At Nealpore.	At Byree.	At Chowduar.	At Byree.	At Nealpore.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

High Level Canal, Range II.

	RANGE II.		RANGE III.
	Entering from North-East.	Entering from South-West.	Entering from South-West.
	At Rorya.	At Jokodia.	At Tickora.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September, and October	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage ..	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

Gobri Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM WEST.			ENTERING FROM EAST.		
	At Jugguthpore Head Lock.	At Kendupatna.	At Chackra.	At Gundukia.	At Chackra.	At Kendupatna.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timber whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

Taldunda Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	Jobra Lock.			At Beereebatty.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Boats per 100 maunds throughout the year, whether passing through canal or simply locking in	0	8	0	0	8	0
Timber, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage of boats	0	3	0	0	3	0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0	2	0	0	2	0

Passenger boats.—A charge of one anna per head per mile on 1st class passengers, *i.e.*, by steamers and boats and ¼ (quarter) pie per head per mile for all other passengers over and above the toll leviable from the boats or steamers by measurement. This charge to be leviable from the owners of boats or steamers and not from the passengers, except when a Government boat or steamer is hired by any person for his exclusive use. The hire in such cases charged by Government is for the use of the boat, and the tollage of boat, plus mileage charge per head, will be levied from the passenger at the rate of one anna.

Empty boats.—To be charged on tonnage of the boat itself as ascertained from its draught for displacement.

Exemption.—From payment of canal dues at the above rates for goods will not be allowed to any department or departments. The canal officers, *i.e.*, those directly in charge of irrigation works, and whose duty will necessitate travelling through the canal for inspection thereof, and the Deputy Revenue Superintendent, will be allowed to pass free of tollage. All other Government officers, heretofore passed free on grant of certificates of *being on duty*, will be expected to pay the required tollage for themselves and baggage boats.

Special rate.—Allowed to Messrs. Bullock, Welsted and Co. for their boats and passenger steamers, will cease from the 1st October next, and they will be charged thereafter similarly as the general public at the rates above notified, their boats and steamers being measured in accordance with existing rules for such measurement.

Demurrage.—The number of days which a boat entering the canal by booking or paying tollage at one of the locks may remain in it without additional payment, shall be calculated at the rate of one day for every eight miles or portion of eight miles to be traversed. Boats remaining for a longer period will pay a demurrage of eight annas per 100 maunds per diem for each day or part of a day that they may remain in excess.

D. B. HORN,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 28th September 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for railway purposes in the village of Hamidpore, pergunnah Pajienoore, zillah Nuddea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 15¾ chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the south, east, and north by land belonging to Boycanto Nauth Roy, and on the west by Eastern Bengal Railway Company's Chogdah Station, is required within the aforesaid village of Hamidpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO GURU CHURUN DASS has been placed in charge of the Moorshedabad treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRECY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 13th September 1878.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in the ensuing half-yearly departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, there will be one seat of examination for the officers employed in all the districts of the Bhagulpore Division, viz. at Bhagulpore. The examination will be held in the Commissioner's Office.

G. N. BARLOW, *Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, BHAGULPORE, the 28th September 1878.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1256B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November 1878, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,000
Total ...	4,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 23rd November 1877, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 20th November 1878 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 11th November 1878, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 20th November 1878.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd December 1878 ...	2,500	2,000	4,500
Total ...	2,500	2,000	4,500

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 24th September 1878.

No. 1297B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

IT is hereby notified that the 230 chests of Behar opium of the manufacture of 1876-77, which were reserved for the French Government and have not been cleared, will be re-sold on account of Government at the opium sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November next, immediately after the conclusion of the sale of 4,500 chests already advertised for that day.

The conditions of the re-sale will be the same as those of the sale referred to.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th September 1878.

S. BIRD, *for Secretary.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 25th September 1878.

No. 1011.—*Appointments.*—Mr. T. J. Murray, C.S., Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, to be Assistant Commissioner, 1st grade, in Assam, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. J. Lance, retired. Mr. Murray will, for the present, continue to perform the duties of Assistant Secretary.

No. 1013.—The services of Mr. W. C. Fasson, Officiating Assistant District Superintendent of Police in the Twenty-four Pergunnahs in Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

The 26th September 1878.

No. 1018.—The following extract, paragraph 1, from a despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 93, dated the 22nd August 1878, is published for general information :—

PARA. 1.—The undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed members of the Bengal Civil Service in the following order, and to the divisions of your Government placed against their names :—

Mr. Charles Peter Caspersz, Bengal.
" James Duncan Macpherson, Bengal.
" Edward Norman Baker, Bengal.
" Hugh Fitz-John Tyrrel Macguire, Bengal.
" William Henry Lockington Impey, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" Arthur Herbert Collins, Bengal.
" Lucas White King, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" Arthur Meredith, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" Edward Woodfield Collin, Bengal.
" Alexander Murison Wake Shakespear, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" George Robert Irwin, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" William Wilson Drew, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" Percy Gray, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" Charles Lindstedt Modellier Eales, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" William Nethersole, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" Edward Louis Cappel, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.
" William Thomas Hall, Bengal.
" Henry Sankey, Bengal.
" Alexander Porteous, Bengal.
" Arthur Dingwall, Bengal.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.—FORESTS.

Simla, the 27th September 1878.

No. 987*F.*—Mr. W. M. Green, Officiating Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests in Bengal, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 25th January 1878.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department' are republished for general information :—

Simla, the 27th September 1878.

No. 907.—SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

The undermentioned Native Medical pupils having passed their final examinations are promoted to the grade of Passed Medical pupil from the dates specified against their names and their services placed at the disposal of the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Service :—

Patna Medical School.

Shaik Fazeelut Hoosain* ...	From the 28th May 1878.	Bukshi Khan*	From the 28th May 1878.
Hushmut Ally*		Afzal Khan*	
Kareem Oollah* ...		Wazeer Ooddeen*	
Oomaid Roy* ...		Shaikh Amjud Allee*	
Hyder Khan* ...		Kefiat Oolla*	
Fokeer Mohamed Khan* ...		Shaick Rohim Bux*	
Nazeer Khan* ...		Hareebuns Tawaree*	
Seerajoodeen* ...		Mahzar ul Huq*	
Shafaut Oollah Khan* ...		Bainee Madho Tawary*	
Wajid Allee* ...		Gohir Ally*	
Hari Das Chaterge* ...		Mathias*	
Shaik Abdool Kadir* ...		Akber Ally*	
Rahmutoollah* ...		Abdul Jubr Khan*	
Sufdur Beg* ...		Abdool Kadir*	
Shaikh Abdoollah* ...		Kunnya Lall*	
Hanoomant Pershad* ...		Shaikh Alla ooddeen*	
Shaikh Mahomed Buksh* ...		Mirza Mahmood Baig*	
Mohomed Asuf Alli* ...		Sheikh Abdoolla*	
Shaikh Mohamed Yeaseen*...		Oudh Behary Dobey*	
Gous Mohamed* ...		Tuffuzzool Hossain*	
Jogashur Lall* ...		Chokheh Loll*	

No. 910.—The following extract from List No. 35, dated the 30th August 1878, received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

Permitted to return to duty.

* * * * * *

Surgeon Major T. W. Sheppard.

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Granted extension of leave.

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Surgeon-Major E. J. Hoskins, M.D., six months, medical certificate.

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* Without English qualification.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Monday, the 18th November 1878, corresponding with 3rd Agrohun 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th March 1878:—

Number.	Toujee No.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	4028	Ten annas share of a zemindary chakle Amirabad, pergunnah Rajnagor.	Guru Prosad, Premchand, Kishori Mohun, Gopi Mohun, Bykanto Mohun and Horlal Roy, Sita Moni and Janoky Devia and Nagor Cashi Kundu.	4,078 7 9½	73 1 7	Entire estat to be sold.
2	6308	Two plots of new char kismut Khagotia in Chur Madan Sankor.	Mr. J. Pogose, Kashi Chandra Roy, Brojendro Coomar Roy Chowdhry, Anond Mohon, Govindo Mohon, Mohesh Chandra, Ram Krisno, Kali Krisno Pal Chowdhry, Guru Prosad, Prem Chand, Kishori Mohun, Horlal Roy, Modhu Sudon, Kristo Mohon Dass and Monnalal Michree.	1,242 11 7	105 14 1	Ditto.

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 10th August 1878. J. E. B. JEFFERY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2.—Taraf Ajodhya Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Chandi Charan, Uma Charan, Kailas Chandra Choudhuri, and Jugal Kishor Datta; sudder jumma Rs. 723-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 7.—Kismat Ambika Babait, taraf Trilok Chandra Kanungoo; recorded proprietor Kailas Chandra Nandi; sudder jumma Rs. 745-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 31.—Taraf Abdul Mazid; recorded proprietor Ram Kanta Choudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 3,597-3-5. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Rohollah; recorded proprietors Kamala Kanta Sen, Bharat Chandra Tapadar, and Raj Chandra Sen for self and on part of Bangsi Mohun Sen, minor; sudder jumma Rs. 994-0-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 41.—Taraf Abdul Fozal; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan and Abdul Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 643-3-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 51.—Taraf Aleyar Khan; recorded proprietors Shahamat Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,606-9-9. Share No. 2 of Agbar Ali Khan, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 811-6-3, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 54.—Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimote Anandmoyi and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 849-6-9. Share No. 5 of Raj Chandra Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Isvar Chandra Rai, Bharat Chandra Rai, Srimote Amala, Srimote Pyari, Nanda Kumar Rai, Raj Chandra Rai, Gour Hari Kanungoe, Bhairab [illegible] dra Das, Bisvambar De, Kali Kumar De, Bhairab Chandra, [illegible] ar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 256-12-10; share No [illegible] momoni, Srimote Perati, Bisvambar Mahajan and Kali Kumar M [illegible] No. 24 of Brajo Mohun, Bishwanath, *alias* Baidyanath, Brejo [illegible] Kanungoe, Jan Bibi, Kalicharan, Udayachand, Ulmila, Ranjit Ram, Ram Das, Ram Kishore, Ram Dayal De, Ram Dayal, Ram Dulal, Siva Das Kanungoe, Tonurám, Mrityunjai *alias* Jugal Kishor, Ram Dayal De, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, Shekh Mahamed Assanullah Chowdhry, Pitambar Potdar, Kali Kumar Bhattacharjya, Kamal Kumar, minor, Bisvambar De, and Kali Kumar De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 35-15-10, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 55.—Taraf Aziz Nassarat; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 791-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 127.—Kismat Anandamoye, Jeban Krishno Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishor; recorded proprietors Ram Kumar, Kishori Mohun, Nityananda Rai, Pratab Chandra Rai, and Anandamoyi; sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-10. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 391.—Taraf Bashanta Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Bashanta Ram, Ram Jiban, Ram Chandra, Gouri Charan, Deboo, Shib Charan, Chamaru, Komar Ali, Mohobollah, Agbar, Doman, Magon Das Potdar, Mahamed Daim, Jaffer Ali, Judhishtir Mahajan, Madan Mohan, Bishnupriya, Kamar Ali, Somod Ali, Korban Ali, Ram Shebok, Ramjai, Baisnab Charan Chaudhuri, Gour Chandra Das Chowdry, Pyari Mohun Das Das, Shonaullah, Sharot Chandra Das; sudder jumma Rs. 557-14-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 396.—Taraf Baksha Ali; recorded proprietors Nyamatullah, Nassu, Sher Khan, Dewan Ali, Nurollah, Fatteh Ali, Shamsher Ali, Umar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 937-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Bassir Hanif; recorded proprietor Mossumat Jahiranissa Khanam; sudder jumma Rs. 513. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 467.—Taraf Braja Lal; recorded proprietors Braja Lal, Ram Dayal, Kali Das, Brindaban, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Abid, Damodar Mohanta, Ramjan Ali, Warish, Gouri Shunkor, Ram Sharan Sarkar, Mahamed Jomil, Chandi Din Shukul, Raj Chandra Kerani, Nil Kamal and Akhil Chandra Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 508-7-3, The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 486.—Taraf Barai Gharan; recorded proprietors Golam Ali and Hyder Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 502-9-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 522.—Kismat Bisheshwari, Babait Traf Gouri Sanker Kanangoe; recorded proprietors Mrityunjai, and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,228-13-4. Share No. 3 of Prasunna Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Sen, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Dataram Chowdhry, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Sarat Chandra, Jagat Chandra, Juramoni Bhattacharjya, Boloram Bhattacharjya, Shyama Sundari, Karam Ali, Arban Ali, Ram Goti Chakravarthi, Krish Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra Anandamoyi, and Kailas Chandra Rai Kanungoe; bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,032-3-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 746.—Taraf Sipi Dowlut; recorded proprietor Shekh Abdullah Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 2,930-1-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 764.—Taraf Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Chandra Prabha, Narayani, Muktakeshi, Srimoti Ambabati, Gurudas, Baisnab Charan, Kali Das, Mohesh Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra, Tarini Charan, Pitambar, Lokomudra, Ram Sundar, Muraridhar, Abdul Ali, Belayet Ali, Abdul Ali, Azgar Ali, Ahassan Ali, Nanagazi, Durga Kripa Rai, Ram Kinkar Purohit, Mirhan Ali, Golam Ali, Arop Ali, Pyari Mohun, Syama Charan Rai, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailash Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romesh Charan Rai, Shristidhar Khansama, Agbar Ali, Parbatti Charan, Udaya Chand Bosu, Nur Ali, Gopi Nath, Dataram, Chandra Kola, Chandra Kola, Syama Charan Rai and Uma Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,905-3-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 805.—Taraf Dullab Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Nemai Charan Nundi, Fakir Chand Nundi, Srimote Bishnupriya, on part of her minor sons Prossanna Kumar and Kamal Kumar Nundi, Bishnupriya and Pitambar Shaha; sudder jumma Rs. 819. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 942.—Nilam Fakirchand; recorded proprietors Uma Charan Chowdhry, Gour Hari, Degambar, Pyari Mohun, and Ambica Charan Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 646-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1017.—Taraf mouza Garangya, Babait taraf Mangad Ram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Hamed Khan, Gaja Raj Senha, Omrao Senha, and Taran Senha Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 2,015-5-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Romes Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1024.—Taraf Gobinda Anandi; recorded proprietors Chhatranarayon; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,061-13-1. Share No. 10 of Chhatranarayon, Darpanarayon, Mahamed Ashrof, Ramjai, Ramjai, Ram Chandra Datta, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Sheik Mahamed Assanullah, and Shekh Mahamed Rohimullah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 707-14-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gouri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share No. 1 of Gour Chandra Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 54-6-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1119.—Taraf Hari Shona; recorded proprietors Azimuddin, Hassan Ali, Kartik, Kanuram Mahajan Mobarek Ali, Mahamed Daem Nazir, Mahamed Makim, Nanni, Lokiatullah, Bosson Bibi, and Oliullah; sudder jumma Rs. 1,539-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1143.—Taraf mouza Harina, Babait taraf Mangatram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan, Abdul Ali, and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 692-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6; share No. 1 of Warish Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9; share No. 2 of Mahamed Somid, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 91-0-6; share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 51-7-5; share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-2; No. 5 of Yassin Khan, Amir Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9. No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-3; No. 7 of Bishwanath Surma, sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6; and the remaining share No. 9 of Alaka, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,265-7-8, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1242.—Taraf Imambaksha; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari and Abdul Ali Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 697-5-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1269.—Taraf Jashmanta Singha; recorded proprietors Fatteh Ali, Magon Potdar, Umar Ali, Shaffar Ali, Sarang, and Fatteh Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-10-2. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1281.—Taraf Joynarayan Kerani; auction purchasers Sarat Chandra Monohar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 563-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1285.—Taraf Jorip Mahamed; recorded proprietors Jan Bibi, Mahamed Bashirullah Choudhuri and Ram Kanto Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 784-3-1. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1363.—Taraf Jadu Madan; recorded proprietors Ali Raja and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,227-14-9. Share No. 1 of Lal Singh, auction purchaser Shekh Assanulla Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 571-14-5; and share No. 2 of Ali Raja, Ram Krishna, Shib Narayan, and Shib Lochan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 656-0-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1513.—Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Anandamoye, Mahamaya; sudder jumma Rs. 853-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1546.—Taraf Karkan Roshan; recorded proprietor Baishnab Charan Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 616-7-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1552.—Taraf K. Fernandez; recorded proprietors J. D. Barros, Nityanunda Rukhit, Parbote Charn Rukhit, and Ram Sundar; sudder jumma Rs. 1,640-5-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1671.—Taraf Keoja Hoashang; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 1,129-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1714.—Nilam Lakhinarayan; recorded proprietors Ram Doyal Choudhry, Rahamat, Warish; sudder jumma Rs. 1,199-15-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1747.—Taraf Manohar Rai Choudhry; recorded proprietors Ramjai De, Srimote Anundamoye, Ram Kumar Roy, Hara Sundari, Raj Mangal Rai, Anundamoye, Syama Sundari, Roghunandan, Ram Kumar Roy, Durga Kripa Rai, Nityanunda Rai, Pran Krishna Rai, Bonomali De, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romes Chandra Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoye, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoyi, Anandamoyi, Pratab Chandra Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,491-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1751.—Taraf Modon Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Lakhi Kanta Datta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 688-6-5. Share No. 1 of Lakhi Kanta Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 55-13-3; No. 2 of Ram Hari Datta, sudder jumma Rs. 52-7-1; No. 4 of Kosholya Debya, sudder jumma Rs. 141-10-1; and share No. 5 of Bisvambar Shaha, Ram Ballob Shaha, Guru Das, Ram Komal De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 424-11-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1884.—Taraf Mahamed Sona Mir; recorded proprietor Shekh Hashmat Ali Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 785-10-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1887.—Taraf Mahamed Raja Mir; recorded proprietors Uma Charan, Gour Hari, Digambar Pyari Mohan, Ambika Charan Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1894.—Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 560-1-0. Share No. 1 of Syam Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 135-8-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1900.—Taraf Mahamed Monohar; recorded proprietors Alfa Bibi, Ahamadullah, Chand Bibi, Etbar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2099.—Kismat Muraridhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, Babait Taraf Gouri Shankor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimate Annapurna Thekurani, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar Sarat Chandra, Anandamoyi, Jagat Chandra, Latoo Miya, Umed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,230-3-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2201.—Kismat Naziruddin Ahmed, Babait Taraf Hossan Wali; recorded proprietor Naziruddin Ahmed; sudder jumma Rs. 1,227-6-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2203.—Taraf Nossim Choudhury; recorded proprietors Jan Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 659-7-6. Share No. 2 of Yakup Ali Choudry, Abdul Rozok, Abdul Bari, and Abdul Golil, minor, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 49-7-3-0; and No. 3 of Jan Ali, Mohesh Chandra, Ramjan Ali, Nityanunda Sen, Gour Chandra Rudra, Nityanunda, Jan Ali, Jagat Chandra Sen, and Wahed Ali, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 362-11-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2368.—Taraf Waz, Abdul Hossen; recorded proprietors Shekh Jaker Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 731-11-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2389.—Taraf Paran Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Ulmila, Fakir Chand Nundi, Chandra Kanta Pal, Nokuleshwar Pal and Bakreshwar Pal; sudder jumma Rs. 601-3-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2411.—Kismat Pravabati, Babait Taraf Braja Kishore; recorded proprietors Abdul Khoyer Mahamed Mahassom Billa and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 667-11-10. Share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and of his mother Sharfannissa Tamaliat Khatoon Choudria, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 41-13-10; and share No. 14 of Baishnab Charan Datta, Fatteh Ali, Gour Hari Biswas, Khulan, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Ali, chaprasi, Warish, Nur Bibi Rahamat Syat, Ram Das, Ram Das, Ram Das, Sarat Chandra, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Amir Ali, Nur Mahamed, Tarak Charan Datta, Uma Charan Datta, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Sarat Chandra Waddar on part of Romes Chandra Biswas, and Srimote Nasseban Bibi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 186-11-11, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohun, Guru Das, Hara Das Rai; recorded proprietors Hara Das and others; sudder jumma Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share No. 1 of Kali Kumar, Chandra Kumar, Prasanna Kumar, and Sharada Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 763-1-6; and share No. 2 of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, and Hara Das Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2433.—Taraf Pranbollob; recorded proprietors Jag Mohun and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 944-5-5. Share No. 2 of Jag Mohun, Ram Das Chowdhry, Ramjai Chowdhry, Ram Das Chowdhry, Gobordhan Dhar, Abhaya Charan and Srimate Parameshwari, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 708-4-1, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2542.—Taraf Raja Ambika; recorded proprietor Akbar Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 608-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2544.—Taraf Ram Mohun Sen; recorded proprietors Bisvambar Sen, Kasi Chandra Sen, and Golok Chandra Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 884-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Annapurna, Jagat Chandra, Tarak Chandra, Assad Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7; share No. 12 of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemanta Ram De, Chaitanya Charan and Pran Hari Lala, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 163-12, and share No. 35 of Ram Dhan Barnik, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2565.—Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 819-1-7; share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 70, No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar and Shekh Dhonu Shadagar, sudder jumma Rs. 358-7-9, and share No. 5 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Baisnab Charan Chowdhry, Gour Kishor, Gouri Mohun Biswas, Jaduram Thakur, Lolita, Modhuram, Udaya Tara Paran Das Chowdhry, Ram Joy Boidya, Ram Das Sarma, Ram Dhan, Prem Narayan, Ram Chandra Biswas, Radha Ram, Ruhi Das Pal, Shamsher Ali, Sasti Chandra, Srimate Pran Kishori, Rukkini, Nara Sinha Surma, Digambar Bangze, Bodhan Biswas, Pran Hari Laha, Karim Baksha and Baisnab Charan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 119-13-7, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2566.—Kismat Ram Dulal Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 823-4-10; share No. 2 of Krishna Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 156-15 and the remaining share No. 4 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Brindaban Bhairab Chandra, Kanungoe, Lolita, Mohesh Chandra, Mrityun Jai, Nava Kishor Dastidar, Nyamat Ali, Ram Lochan, Ram Jai, Ram Das, Ramgoti, Ram Das, Shamsher Ali, Udoy Nath De, Ram Kinu De, Kashi Prasad Tewari, Shubal Chundra Roy and Jiban Krisna Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 107-0-7, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2588.—Nilam Ram Mohun, Imam Shorip; recorded proprietors Srimoti Pran Kishori, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Kashi Shwari; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2861.—Taraf Sadaram Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Kishori Mohan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,097-3-2; share No. 2 of Kishori Mohun Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 549-3-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2929.—Taraf Shachi Roshan; recorded proprietors Rustum Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 752-11; share No. 1 of Shekh Sadak Ali Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-3 and No. 2 of Karamat Ali Chowdhry, sudder jumma Rs. 188-2-9, and share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-4, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2933.—Taraf Shachi Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Aitton and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 826-14-3; share No. 1 of Ooka, Ram Dayal Sen, Srimoti Brajobashi, Jagat Chandra Sen, Tarak Chandra Sen, Babait Malik Gopal Das Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Rasick Chandra Sen, Gogan Chandra Sen. Purna Chandra Sen, Akhil Chandra Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Gagan Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 125-10-11; share No. 6 of Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, auction purchaser babait histcha Pran Krisna, Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, Golok Chandra Kanungoe, babait malik Gopinath, Pyari Mohun and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 18-3-3; share No. 8 of Srimoti Tarakishwari babait malik Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 3-5-6, share No. 37 of Srimoti Purna Dasi babait malik Gopi Nath, Ram Dulal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 8-11-0; share No. 38 of Srimoti Narayani, *alias* Bashi babait malik Lakshmi Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 9-13-9; share No. 39 of Srimati Oloka Sundari babait malik Nimai Charn Kanungoe, recorded proprietors Oloka Sundari, Ram Ram Dayal Das, Tara Das Das and Nunda Kumar Das, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 11-3-1; and share No. 46 of Shekh Assanullah Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 102-4-5, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3054.—Taraf Shiba Durga Sharam Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Brindaban, Krishna, Mohan Ghosal, Brindaban Mazumadar, Srimoti Anandamoyi, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohan Rai, Srimoti Tareni, Pratap Chandra Rai, Nityanunda Rai, sudder jumma Rs. 2,942-8-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3098.—Taraf Shurat Sinha; recorded proprietors Mohes Chandra, Shib Ratna Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 669-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3125.—Taraf Srimanta Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,737-12-0; share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan, recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan, Boidya Nath, Ananda Mohun Naha, Srimoti Waz Khatun, Jan Ali Chowdhry, Boidya Nath Sen, Syam Sundar Sen, Raj Chandra Sen and Bangsi Mohun Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 843-13-9, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3880.—Taraf Shekh Obedullah, Shekh Mahamed Ossi, Shekh Mahamed Ali; recorded proprietors Armana Bibi, Aman Ali, Bonnijan, Abdullah Khan and Mahamed Boshirullah Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 678-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhab; recorded proprietors Balak Das Mohanta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4; share No. 1 of Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 441-14-2, and share No. 5 of Balak Das Mohanta and Monohar Das Mohanta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 468-6-7, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Baraghona.

No. 13407.—Taluq Gouri Sankar, Baidya Nath; recorded proprietors Srimati Lolita Thakurani and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 701-4-3; share No. 2 of Lolita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 350-10-1 10 kranta, will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which the remaining proprietors have opened separate accounts under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Ramu, mouzah Rajarkul.

No. 23916.—Taluq Obedullah, Shekh Badiaz Zama, Dewan Bibi, Assalat Khan; recorded proprietors Fazal Ahmed Chowdhry, minor and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 963-11-3; share No. 2 of Assalat Khan, Srimati Thanda Bibi, Agbar Ali Khan, Assad Ali Khan, Choonnoo Jan Nuran Nissa and Amiran Nessa, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 662-9-2 will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Chakaria, mouzah Shurazpur.

No. 33534.—Taluq Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Shilkope.

No. 33673.—Kaimi taluq Anwar Ali Babait, ijara Azgar Ali, Aman Ali; recorded proprietor Shekh Mahamed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 612-2-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Tripura Charan and Annada Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878. G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, under Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Khurushkhul.

No. 41.—Taluq Srimati Tajannissa; recorded proprietor Tajannissa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,904-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Totak-khali.

No. 48.—Taluq Jaffer Ali; recorded proprietor Srimati Tajannissa Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 627-5-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Chakmarkul.

No. 84.—Taluq Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; recorded proprietors Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 835-6-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Ukhiarghona.

No. 142.—Taluq Magan Das Chaudhuri, Indranarain Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipriya, Manorama; recorded proprietors Baidya Nath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 575-14-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bhomoriaghona.

No. 160.—Taluq Kamalapuru; recorded proprietors Baidyanath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 531-13-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Isakhali.

No. 168.—Taluq Mobarek Ali; auction purchasers Fazal Ali and Fazal Ali 2nd; sudder jumma Rs. 508-1-6 The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Pokekhali.

No. 170.—Taluq Gauri Sankar, Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Alifabanu and Abdul Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 506-13 0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Choufaldandi.

No. 173.—Taluq Aman Chaudhuri; recorded proprietor Mussamut Tajannessa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-9-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bharwakhali.

No. 177.—Taluq Mahomed Raja, Jamsher Ali; recorded proprietor Jaffer Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,000-3-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Bheolamanikchar.

No. 274.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Magon Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 757-10-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Barabakia.

No. 286.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Shekh Dewan Ali Chaudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 687-9-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Baraitoli.

No. 293.—Taluq Ali Mahomed Sikdar; occupant Roshan Ali Darogah, Mahomed Ashrof and Mahomed Azim; sudder jumma Rs. 2,270-6-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Harbang.

No. 295.—Taluq Lal Mahomed Daroga; recorded proprietors Lal Mahomed Daroga; and Srimati Jamal Hossen Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 941-1-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Pinchari.

No. 304.—Taluq Krishna Rangit, auction purchaser Madhuram Bahaddar; sudder jumma Rs. 500-14-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Chambal.

No. 307.—Taluq Srimati Tajanissa Chaudhuri, babait taluq Aminullah, Karimullah, auction purchaser Hassen Ali, registered proprietor Farkanda Bakhta and Ohidal Alam; sudder jumma Rs. 1,193-4-10. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza South Nhillah.

No. 460.—Taluq Srimati Khamah Chaudhuria, Srimati Umari Chaudhuria, Lhatong Choudhuri Lhapoe Choudhuri, Lhapechu Chaudhuri, Srimati Chymerao Chaudhuria, babait taluq Fando, auction purchaser Ishan Chandra Das; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 677-11-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Town, mouza Char Shabek Bakalia.

No. 559.—Taluq Ahmed Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi; recorded proprietors Ahmad Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi and Mahomed Noshim Sadagar; sudder jumma Rs. 686-4-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Fattikchari, mouza Kanchannagar.

No. 635.—Taluq Srimati Ronu Debya; recorded proprietor Dewan Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 890-15-8. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza Teknaaf.

No. 1401.—Taluq Khepong Chaudhuri, Ampuru, Man, Srimati Lan, Srimati Chymepori, Angri Chaudhuri, Kasim Ali, auction purchasers Akhil Chandra Nandi and Abhoya Charan Ghos; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 699-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878.

G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the following documents, which were neither registered nor accepted for registration, and which are at present lying unclaimed at the Chittagong Sudder Sub-Registry Office, will be destroyed under orders of the Inspector-General of Registration, unless their delivery is taken on or before the 21st of the next month.

Consecutive number.	Name of executant.	Name of claimant.	Nature of document.	Date of execution.
1	Dewan Ali of Hilmili	Ruhi Das Pal of Patanikota ...	Kabuliyat	28th 1228 M.E.
2	Moulvi Anwar Ali Khan of Kalipur	Government	Maljamini	3rd February 1867.
3	Ruhi Das Pal of Patanikota ...	Dewan Ali of Hilmili .	Pottah ...	28th 1228 M.E.
4	Wasim Uuddin	Raj Chandra Poddar of Jaldi	ditto ...	7th Paush 1228.
5	Muhammed Mannu	Bacir Muhammad of Saiadabad	ditto ...	16th Agrahayan 1228 M.E.
6	Bacir Muhammad	Manu Sikdar of Dhemsa ...	Kabuliyat	16th ditto ditto.
7	Nitya Nanda Sen, &c., of Paraikora	Umaid Ali of Jaldi	Pottah ...	16th Kartik ditto.
8	Shaikh Karim Bakhsh of Sadhanpur	Cadaq Ali of Raichhota	ditto ...	22nd Agrahayan ditto.
9	Cadaq Ali of Raichhota	Shaikh Karim Bakhsh of Sadhanpur	Kabuliyat ...	ditto ditto.
10	Karim Bakhsh of Sadhanpur ...	Muhabullah of Raichhota	Pottah ...	13th Chaitra ditto.
11	Mahab Ullah of Raichhota	Karim Bakhsh of Sadhanpur	Kabuliyat ...	ditto ditto.
12	Degambar Sen	Laturiya of Jaldi	Pottah ...	28th Kartik ditto.
13	Amir Muhammad of Amilaish ...	Maha Devi Devya of Amilais	Mortgage ...	17th ditto ditto.
14	Raj Chandra Dhar of Jaldi	Wacimuddin of Jaldi ...	Kabuliyat ...	7th Paush ditto.
15	Aman Ullah of Kaliyaish	Gunani of Dharmapur ...	ditto ...	4th Chaitra ditto.
16	Anchar Ali of Chambal	Latu Bibi of Chambal ...	Sale ...	11th Magh ditto.
17	Gopi Charan Datta of Amilais ...	Ala-uddin of Amilais ...	ditto ...	15th Paush ditto.
18	Sudha Ram Das of Mahira	Hasan Ali of Sonakaniya ...	ditto ...	24th Agrahayan ditto.
19	Digambar Sen	Niyamat Ali of Jaldi ...	Pottah ...	28th Kartik ditto.
20	Amir Muhammad of Amilais ...	Afazuddin, &c., of Amilais ...	Mortgage ...	25th Paush 1228
21	Kailas Chandra De of Naluya ...	Golok Chandra, &c., of Naluya	Sale ...	9th Magh 1223 M.E.
22	Ram Chandra De of Kanchana ...	Abdul Hadi of Kanchana ...	Kabuliyat ..	31st Asvin ditto.
23	Rahmat Ali of Narichya	Abdul Ali	ditto .	22nd Chaitra ditto.
24	Abdul Ali	Rahamat Ali of Narichya ...	Pottah ...	ditto ditto.
25	Roshan Ali of Narichya	Abdul Ali	Kabuliyat ...	ditto ditto.
26	Abdul Ali	Roshan Ali of Narichya	Pottah ...	ditto ditto.
27	Nitya Nanda Sen, &c., of Paraikara	Nizamut Ali of Jaldi	ditto	16th Kartik ditto.
28	Degambar Sen	Umad Ali of Jaldi	ditto	28th ditto ditto.
29	Golak Chandra Datta of Chanara ...	Jafar Ali of Sat Tetaiya	ditto	17th Chaitra ditto.
30	Jafar Ali of Satletarya	Golok Chandra Datta of Chhanara ...	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
31	Madan Pallan of Naluya	Srimanta Ram of Naluya	ditto	2nd Bhadra ditto.
32	Nazumuddin of Jaldi	Anwar Ali of Jaldi	Sale	14th Agrahayan ditto.
33	Nitya Nanda Sen, &c., of Paraikara	Laturiya of Jaldi	Pottah	16th Kartik ditto
34	Magan Das Roy of Banigram	Nilmoni Choudhuri of Banigram	ditto	28th Asvin ditto.
35	Mohes Chandra Das of Amirabad	Srimate Panka of Amirabad	Agreement ...	12th October 1866.
36	Kamala Bibi of Amirabad ...	Amir Bakhsh of Amirabad . .	Kabuliyat	9th Falgun 1223 M.E.
37	Pitambar Mujamadar of Amirabad	Kali Das Majumadar of Amirabad	Sale	3rd ditto ditto.
38	Nagendra Chandra Ghosh	Abu Talib Daroga of Gatiyadenga	Pottah	9th Paush ditto.
39	Khalikar Rahman	Acghar Ali of Gorostan ...	ditto	9th Chaitra ditto.
40	Ram Saran of Adhunagar	Basi Ram of Adhunagar ...	Sale ...	1st Agrahayan ditto.
41	Jan Ali of Solasahar ..	Karam Ali of Sulukbahar ...	Kabuliyat ...	11th ditto ditto.
42	Umad Ali of Pachlais .	Abdullah Khan	ditto ...	21st ditto ditto.
43	Jan Ali of Solasahar ...	Muhammad Yusaf of Solasahar	ditto ...	1st Paush ditto.
44	Yusaf Ali	Ahamad Ullah of Kapasgola	Amalnama	5th Chaitra ditto.
45	Nitya Nanda Sarma of Kattali	Akhil Chandra Sarma of Kattali	Agreement	14th Falgun ditto.
46	Muhabbat Ali of Saraipara	Shona Bibi	ditto ...	21st Agrahayan ditto.
47	Shibadas Mohanta of Purana Dewan Bazar.	Chaotanya Charan Sarma	Sharkatrama	12th Paush ditto.
48	Bala Ramaich of Patenga	Shaikh Muhsan Ali of Halishahar...	Sale ...	2nd Falgun ditto.
49	Misirizan of Kalalganj	Ram Sundar Sen of Saruyatali ...	ditto ...	26th Kartik ditto.
50	Yusaf Ali of Madarbari	Narahari Thakur of Faradabad ..	Pottah ...	29th Paush ditto.
51	Muhammad Wali of Solashahar	Abdullah Miyanji of Bakaiya ...	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
52	Ghulam Nabi of Maiskhali	Ram Sundar Choudhuri of Dhalai...	ditto ...	13th Magh ditto.
53	Malekan Nessa of Chandgano	Kukur Chand of Bakaliya	ditto ..	28th Falgun ditto.
54	Ditto	Ditto	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
55	Madha Sudhan Upadhya ...	Devi Diu Hazari of Patantuli ...	ditto ...	18th ditto ditto.
56	Ditto	Ditto	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
57	Wazir Ali, &c., of Halishahar	Kairan Nessa of Thane Watira ...	ditto ...	28th Agrahayan ditto.
58	Ahmad Ullah of Gosaildenga	Abdul Rahman of Kattali	ditto ...	13th ditto ditto.
59	Ditto	Muhammad Naqi	ditto ...	Kartik ditto.
60	Ram Sundoo Sen of Saruyatali	Nava Chandra Sen of Mohara ...	ditto ...	23rd Bhadra ditto.
61	Abdul Karim of Halisahar ...	Amir Khan of Halishahar	ditto ...	26th Asvin ditto.
62	Ditto	Ditto	ditto ...	25th ditto ditto.
63	Ajadhya Prasad of Bagbhelu	Muhammad Kamil of Dhaurdenga	ditto ...	5th Magh ditto.
64	Madan Mohan	Data Ram De of Kattali	ditto ...	16th Paush ditto.
65	Alima Bibi of Saraipara	Haidar Ali of Saraipara	Kabuliyat ...	17th Bhadra ditto.
66	Kamar Ali	Abul Husam of Halisahar	ditto ...	4th Falgun ditto.
67	Muhammad Tahid Ullah of Gosaildenga...	Ram Sundar of Dhalai	Pottah ...	13th Magh ditto.
68	Safar Ali of Agrabad	Safar Ali of Agrabad	ditto	28th Paush ditto.
69	Mahes Chandra of Sultanpur	Fate Ali of Bag Hamid Bakhsh ...	ditto	18th Magh ditto.
70	Abdul Baki of Chaudgano	Shamad Ali of Bakaliya . ..	ditto	21st Agrahayan ditto.
71	Maleka Nessa of Chaudgano	Muhammad Faizullah of Chandgano	ditto	16th Falgun ditto.
72	Ram Dayal	Sujan Bibi of Nacirabad	ditto	19th Kartik ditto.
73	Ditto	Zinnat Ali of Nacirabad	ditto	11th ditto ditto.
74	Krishna Das Kunda	Gadadhar Pal	ditto	11th Falgun ditto.
75	Cadiq Ali	Miyanjan Sarang of Halisahar ...	ditto	10th Magh ditto.
76	Akbar Ali of Fringi Bazar ...	Haidar Ali of Fringi Bazar	ditto	25th Chaitra ditto.
77	Kula Chandra Poddar of Kattali	Ram Dhan of Kattali	ditto	30th Agrahayan ditto.
78	Hor Chandra Ghosh	Wazir Ali of Kattali	ditto	15th Kartik ditto.
79	Misiri Jan of Katalgung ...	Shindhee of Bhoola	ditto	21st Agrahayan ditto.
80	Mariyam Bibi of Burirchur ...	Shamadali of Burir Chur	ditto	24th Kartik ditto.
81	Arban Ali of Chandgano ...	Samadah of Bakaliya	ditto	28th Agrahayan ditto.
82	Nur Bakhsh	Hakem-uddin of Pauchlais	ditto	25th Bhadra ditto.
83	Muhammad Yusaf of Solashahar	Jan Ali of Solasahar	ditto	1st Paush ditto.
84	Bagar Ali ..	Shahar Ali of Nacirabad	ditto	22nd Asvin ditto.
85	Malekan Nessa of Chandgano	Miyanjan of Solashahar	ditto	9th Falgun ditto.
86	Abdul Hamod	Abdul Wahab of Baktapur	ditto	19th ditto ditto.
87	Acghar Ali	Fazar Ali of Solasahar	ditto	1st Bhadra ditto.
88	Muhomed Yusaf of Solashahar ...	Muhomed Warish of Solashahar ...	ditto .	27th Kartick ditto.
89	Malekar Nessa of Chandgano ...	Asad Ali of Bakaliya	ditto .	12th Falgun ditto.
90	Nara Hari Thakur of Faradabad ...	Yusaf Ali of Madarbari	Kabuliyat ..	27th Paush ditto.
91	Lochan Das of Chaudgano	Isan Chandra Mahajan of Faradabad	ditto ..	24th Chaitra ditto.
92	Safar Ali of Agrabad	Safar Ali of Agrabad	ditto ..	28th Paush ditto.
93	Ram Dhan Poddar of Kattali ...	Kala Chandra Poddar of Kattali ...	ditto ..	30th Agrahayan ditto.
94	Zinnat Ali of Solashahar	Misrijan of Pauchlais...	ditto	7th Magh ditto.
95	Muhammad Manu of Mithai Mandi	Ram Saha Thakur of Battali	Pottah	4th Chaitra ditto.
96	Ram Sundar of Dhalai	Ghulam Nabi of Maiskhali	Kabuliyat .	13th Magh ditto.
97	Wazir Ali of Khulsi	Ahmad Ali of Nacirabad	ditto .	13th Chaitra ditto.
98	Shamad Ali of Solashahar	Shamsher Ali of Muiskhali	ditto .	11th Magh ditto.
99	Karimun Nessa of Thanemahira ...	Wazir Ali of Kalisahar	ditto .	8th Agrahayan ditto.
100	Doman of Kattali	Abdul Kadir of Kattali	ditto ..	22nd Magh ditto.
101	Ibadallah of Sitalpur	Acghar Ali of ditto	Pottah ..	7th Falgun ditto.
102	Acghar Ali of Kattali	Ibadallah of Situlpur	Kabuliyat ..	ditto ditto.
103	Zinnat Ali of Ashkarabad ...	Ahmadullah of Gosaildenga	ditto ..	4th Agrahayan ditto.
104	Devi Din Hazari of Battali ...	Madha Sudan Upadhya of Battali.	ditto ..	18th Falgun ditto.
105	Nava Chandra Sen of Mohara	Ram Sunder Sen of Saruyatali ..	ditto ..	23rd Bhadra ditto.
106	Miyanjan of Solasahar ...	Malikan Nessa of Chandgano ..	ditto ..	9th Falgun ditto.
107	Bando Ali of ditto	Misrijan of Pauchlais	ditto ..	2nd Magh ditto.
108	Data Ram De of Kattali ...	Madan Mohan of Kattali	ditto ..	6th Paush ditto.
	Tufar Ali of Pauchlais... ...	Fajar Bibi of Sulukbahar	ditto ..	26th Chaitra ditto.

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110	Nijamat Ali of Chandgano	Nur Bakhsh of Pauchlais	Kabuliyat	2nd Poush 1228 M. E.
111	Nur Bakhsh of Pauchlais	Nijamat Ali of Chandgano	Pottah	2nd Magh ditto.
112	Fateh Ali of Baghamed Bakhsh	Mahes Chandra Nandi of Sultanpur ...	Kabuliyat	18th ditto ditto.
113	Sona Bibi of Burir Char	Mubaruk Ali of Chandgano	ditto	24th Sravan ditto.
114	Zinnat Ali of Halisahar	Umaid Ali of Agrabad	ditto	9th Poush ditto.
115	Muhammed Faiz Ullah	Malekan Nessa of Chandgano	ditto	16th Falgun ditto.
116	Kali Nath Bandapadya	Akbar Ali of Chandgano	Pottah	27th Poush ditto.
117	Dhananjoy of Burirchar	Sarat Chandra Sen	Kabuliyat	12th Sravan ditto.
118	Miyanjan of Halisahar	Cadiq Ali of Halisahar	ditto	10th Magh ditto.
119	Dewan Ali of Kuyaish	Zinnat Ali of	Sadaipatra ...	6th Agrahayan ditto.
120	Ghulam Husain of Halisahar	Ahmad Ullah of Gosaildenga	Kabuliyat	6th Bhadra ditto.
121	Fazar Ali of Solasahar	Acghar Ali of Pauchlais	ditto	1st ditto ditto.
122	Shamad Ali of Bakaliya	Arban Ali of Chandgano	ditto	28th Agrahayan ditto.
123	Hakimuddin of Pauchlais	Nur Bakhsh of Pauchlais	ditto	26th Bhadra ditto.
124	Qasim Ali of Halisahar	Ahmad Ullah of Gosaildenga	ditto	16th Kartik ditto.
125	Devi Din Hazari of Battali	Madhu Sudhan Upadya of Battali	ditto	18th Falgun ditto.
126	Abul Husain Sarang of Halisahar... ...	Qamar Ali of Halisahar	ditto	4th ditto ditto.
127	Asad Ali of Chandgano	Malikan Nessa of Chandgano	ditto	12th ditto ditto.
128	Muhamud Warish of Solasahar	Ramzan Ali of Solasahar	Kabuliyat	27th Kartick ditto.
129	Safar Ali of	Bakar Ali of Nacirabad	Ditto	22nd Assin ditto.
130	Haidar Ali	Ahina Bibi of Saraipara	Pottah	17th Bhadra ditto.
131	Muhamud Akmal of Gahira	Elamnessa of Gahira	Mortgage	7th Baisakh 1229 M.E.
132	Magan Das Poddar	Guru Das Roy of Guzara	Kabuliyat ...	14th Paush 1228 M.E.
133	Ram Jivan of Ghatchek	Basi Mohan of Ranganiya	Ditto	7th Magh ditto.
134	Bashi Mohan Raha	Ram Jivan of Ghatchek	Pottah	ditto ditto.
135	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto	ditto ditto.
136	Ram Sevak of Dewanpur	Sarup Chundra Sen of Kaiapara	Kabuliyat ...	14th Chaitra ditto.
137	Sarup Chundra Sen of Kaiapara	Ram Sevak of Dewanpur	Pottah	ditto ditto.
138	Isan Chandra of Sultanpur	Abdul Ali of	Kabuliyat ..	16th Asvin ditto.
139	Ram Dayal of Daricop	Indra Narayan of Banigram	ditto	26th ditto ditto.
140	Kali Das of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
141	Sakir Muhamud of Sarasiya	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
142	Sada Ram of Paduya	Ditto ditto	ditto	25th ditto ditto.
143	Qamar Ali of Guzara	Hara Das Roy	ditto	12th Kartik ditto.
144	Hara Das Das	Shamad Ali of Khilmagal	Pottah	12th Falgun ditto.
145	Jabbar Ali of Gahira	Acghar Ali of Gahira	ditto	2nd Magh ditto.
146	Achgar Ali of ditto	Jabbar Ali of ditto	Kabuliyat ..	ditto ditto.
147	Ram Jiban of Ghatchek	Basi Mohan of Ranganiya	ditto	7th Magh ditto.
148	Gauri Charan Raha of Ranganiya	Pahar Chand of ditto	ditto	6th Agrahayan ditto.
149	Tara Chand of Pahartali	Mahabhat Ali of Halisahar	Kabuliyat ...	11th Asvin ditto.
150	Asad Ali of Gujara	Gauri Charan Mahajan of Gujara	ditto	13th Agrahayan ditto.
151	Mahes Chandra Roy	Fateh Ali Nazir...	ditto	30th Falgun ditto.
152	Meher Ali of Nayapara	Krishna Charan Datta of Kamugaipara ...	ditto	13th Magh ditto.
153	Hasan Ali of Dharmapur	Jemaid Ali of Rampur...	ditto	3rd Paush ditto.
154	Fatih Ali of Nagalmara	Shashti Charan of	ditto	23rd ditto ditto.
155	Abdul Ali of Kadalpur	Muhamud Hamidullah of Panchlais ...	ditto	23rd Asvin ditto.
156	Mati Ullah of Nayapara	Abdul Raup of Nayapara	ditto	16th Chaitra ditto.
157	Mancur Ali of Dakhin Nischintapur ...	Zinnat Ali of Dakhin Nischentapur ...	ditto	15th Bhadra ditto.
158	Mafizullah of Guzara	Tarini Charan Rakhit of Nayapara ...	ditto	18th Chaitra ditto.
159	Krishna Charan of Kachnayai	Durga Charan of Kachnayai	ditto	20th Falgun ditto.
160	Dhananjoy De of Betagi	Kebal Krishna of Kneapara	ditto	2nd Paush ditto.
161	Chand Miyan of Khitapchar	Raj Chandra of Khitapchar	ditto	2nd Agrahayan ditto.
162	Mani Ram De of Betagi	Isan Chandra Sen of Kniapara	ditto	23rd ditto ditto.
163	Mubarek Ali of Alampur	Fateh Ali of Alampur	ditto	3rd Kartik ditto.
164	Ramzan Ali of Ghatchek	Ahsan Ullah of Sulukbahar	ditto	1st Asvin ditto.
165	Sahab Uddin of Sultanpur	Radha Mohan of Guzara	ditto	29th Sradan ditto.
166	Ramdhan Mahajan of Mariyamnagar ...	Giris Chandra of Nayapara	ditto	24th ditto ditto.
167	Safar Ali of Chandra Ghona	Ditto ditto	ditto	25th ditto ditto.
168	Krishna Charan De of Mariyamnagar ...	Ditto ditto	ditto	7th Bhadra ditto.
169	Ram Sevak of Dewanpur	Raj Chandra Sen of Kuepara	ditto	6th Falgun ditto.
170	Madhuya of Chandra Ghona	Giris Chandra of Nayapara	ditto	10th Bhadra ditto.
171	Becha Ram Naha of Ranganiya	Ditto ditto	ditto	28th Agrahayan ditto.
172	Pitambar De of Kodala	Kailas Chandra	ditto	1st Magh ditto.
173	Kailas Chandra...	Pitambar De of Kodala	Pottah	ditto ditto.
174	Kailas Chandra of Ranganiya	Giris Chandra of Nayapara	Kabuliyat ...	6th Bhadra 1223 M.E.
175	Ram Gati Saha of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	28th Sravan ditto.
176	Basi Mohan of ditto	Kanta Prasad Hazari	ditto	24th Magh ditto.
177	Ali Miyan of Chandra Ghona	Gris Chandra of Nayapara	ditto	23rd Sravan ditto.
178	Amir Ali of Sultanpur	Zahir Ullah of Sripur	ditto	5th Agrahayan ditto.
179	Munshiya of Gorchi	Kailas Chandra of Nayapara	ditto	11th Chaitra ditto.
180	Mati Ullah of Nayapara	Shamshan Nessa of ditto	ditto	16th ditto ditto.
181	Ram Prasad of Sultanpur	Zahir Ullah of Sripur	ditto	6th Agrahayan 1228 M.E.
182	Pela Ram of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	4th ditto ditto.
183	Pitambar Shaha of Ranganiya	Bisvambar of Guzara	ditto	23rd Paush ditto.
184	Jafar Ali of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
185	Radha Ram of Guzara	Isan Chandra Rai of Guzara	ditto	27th ditto ditto.
186	Hari Mistori of Nayapara	Akhil Chandra of Nayapara...	ditto	12th ditto ditto.
187	Manu Kulal of Sultanpur	Jahir Ullah of Sripur...	ditto	8th Agrahayan ditto.
188	Mancur Ali of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	2nd ditto ditto.
189	Muhammad Manu of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
190	Asad Ali of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	5th ditto ditto.
191	Muhsan Ali of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	8th ditto ditto
192	Acmat Ali of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	10th ditto ditto.
193	Isan Chandra of Sultanpur	Jahir Ullah of Sripur...	ditto	6th Agrahayan ditto.
194	Mushraf Bibi of Khilmaghal	Wazir Ali of Ranganiya	ditto	25th ditto ditto.
195	Ram Dayal of Sultanpur	Syama Sundari, &c.	ditto	15th Kartik ditto.
196	Jitram De of Dheyapara	Ram Joy Mahajan of Kanungoipara ...	ditto	15th Agrahayan ditto.
197	Ram Joy De of Meklial	Menaka Thakurani	ditto	28th Kartik ditto.
198	Bakhsh Ali of Sahamirpur	Zinnat Ali Khan of Barauthan	ditto	20th Ashar ditto.
199	Amsar Ali of Kadalpur	Chaitanya Charan of Kadalpur	ditto	14th Chaitra ditto.
200	Irshadullah of Gujara	Abdus Subhan of Harpara	ditto	13th Agrahayan ditto.
201	Chandi Charan Baruya of Binajuri ...	Akhil Chandra Nandi of Sultanpur ...	ditto	5th Chaitra ditto.
202	Bana Mali of Mariyamnagar	Pitambar Pariyal of Gujara...	ditto	29th Sravan ditto.
203	Kith Chandra of Keokdair	Nidhi Ram of Keokdair	ditto	13th Falgun ditto.
204	Mani Ram of Kcochiya	Mahomed Hamid Ullah of ...	ditto	19th Asvin ditto.
205	Ram Chandra De of Kuepara	Kailas Chandra and another, of ...	ditto	1st Falgun ditto.
206	Mancur Ali of Ranjan	Hamid Ullah of	ditto	21st ditto ditto.
207	Bachan Ali of Chandpur	Haidar Ali of Sultanpur	ditto	29th Sravan ditto.
208	Shamsher Ali of Hasanabad...	Mirza Uzir Ali of	ditto	4th Falgun ditto.
209	Trilak Chandra of Dalatpur...	Zinnat Ali of Barauthan	ditto	27th Ashar ditto.
210	Ashkar Ali of Ranjan	Ram Chandra Sen of Guzara	ditto	11th Bhadra ditto.
211	Kukur Chand Manjhi of Urkirchar ...	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
212	Baqar Ali of Bagawan...	Isan Chandra Sen	ditto	22nd Agrahayan ditto.
213	Becha Ram of Audarmanik	Peh Baidya of Guzara	ditto	11th Magh ditto.
214	Shamsher Ali of Guzara	Har Chandra Sen of Nayapara	ditto	4th Agrahayan ditto.
215	Acghar Ali of Kadalpur	Hosain Ali of Kadalpur	ditto	7th ditto ditto.
216	Meher Ali of Nayapara	Dina Bandhu Ghosh of Nayapara ...	Kabuliyat	13th Magh ditto.
217	Hara Das Ray	Ramjoy De of Mekhal	Pottah	28th Kartik ditto.
218	Chaitanya Charan, &c....	Asad Ali of Kagatiya	ditto	13th Agrahayan ditto.
219	Alim Uddin of Sikarpore	Daulat of Sikarpore	ditto	23th Magh ditto.
220	Fateh Ali Nazir	Mahes Chandra Ray of Sultanpore ...	ditto	30th Falgun ditto.
221	Ramjoy De of Kanungoepara	Qamar Ali of Khurusiya	ditto	10th ditto ditto.
222	Ditto ditto	Jitram of Dhenyapara	ditto	18th Agrahayan ditto.
223	Ahsan Ullah of Bakhtapore	Hasan Ali of Dharmapur	ditto	3rd Paush ditto.
224	Shasthi Charan	Hasan Ali of Nangalmara	ditto	23rd ditto. ditto.
225	Abdul Rasal of Saidpore	Ramzan Ali of Sarap Bhata...	ditto	10th Falgun ditto.
226	Abdul Rauf	Mati Ullah of Nayapara	ditto	16th Chaitra ditto.

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227	Ram Sundar of Gusara	Kamal Barelya of Gusara	Pottah	28th Kartik 1228 M.E.
228	Tarini Charan Rakhit	Mufiz Ullah of Gusara	ditto	21st Bhadra ditto.
229	Raj Chandra Sen	Akbar Ali of Dewanpur	ditto	6th Falgun ditto.
230	Girish Chandra	Kailas Chandra of Ranganiya	ditto	6th Bhadra ditto.
231	Isan Chandra De	Baqar Ali of Bagawan	ditto	22nd Agrahayan ditto.
232	Har Chandra De	Mahes Chandra Dutta of Dhalghat ...	ditto	13th Sravan ditto.
233	Isan Chandra, &c.	Ramdhan Sipai	ditto	11th Kartik ditto.
234	Fatch Ali of Alampore	Muharek Ali of Alampur	ditto	3rd ditto ditto.
235	Isan Chandra Sen	Srimati Ali of Pahartali	ditto	22nd ditto ditto.
236	Ditto	Mani Ram of Betagi	ditto	23rd Agrahayan ditto.
237	Ramjoy Chakravarty	Kali Das Saha of Sabek Ranganiya ...	ditto	4th Bhadra ditto.
238	Raj Chandra	Ram Sevak of Dewanpur	ditto	6th Falgun ditto.
239	Giris Chandra Rakhit	Madhu, &c., of Chandra Ghona	ditto	10th Bhadra ditto.
240	Navakrishna	Ram Gati of Ranganiya	ditto	28th Sravan ditto.
241	Ditto	Becha Ram Saha of Rangania	ditto	ditto ditto.
242	Giris Chandra Rakhit	Krishna Charan of Mariyam Nagar ...	ditto	7th Bhadra ditto.
243	Ditto	Safar Ali of Chandra Ghona	ditto	25th Sravan ditto.
244	Ditto	Ali Miyan of Chandra Ghona	ditto	23rd ditto ditto.
245	Kailas Chandra Rakhit	Munshiya of Garohi	ditto	11th Chaitra ditto.
246	Shamsa Nessa, &c.	Mati Ullah of Nayapara	ditto	16th ditto ditto.
247	Zahir Ullah	Mancur Ali of Sultanpur	ditto	20th Agrahayan ditto.
248	Ditto	Muhamud Munshi of Sultanpur	ditto	2nd ditto ditto.
249	Ditto	Muhsan Ali of Sultanpur	ditto	8th ditto ditto.
250	Zahir Ullah	Asadali of Sultanpur	ditto	5th Agrahayan ditto.
251	Giris Chandra Rakhit	Ramdhan of Mariyannagar	ditto	24th Sravan ditto.
252	Mahammad Sauchhi of Ranjan	Ram Sevak of Ranjan	ditto	9th Assin.

KRISTO HURRY BOSE, *Spl. Sub-Regr., for Registrar.*

CHITTAGONG, the 18th September 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following documents, which were neither registered nor accepted for registration, and which are at present lying unclaimed in the Chittagong Sudder Sub-Registry Office, will be destroyed under orders of the Inspector-General of Registration, unless their delivery is taken on or before the 22nd of the next month.

Number.	Name of executant.	Name of claimant.	Nature of document.	Date of execution.
1	Qasim Ali of Babunagar	Nurali Sarang of Hadar Kul	Kabuliyat ...	27th Asvin 1228 M.E.
2	Madan Mohan of Sahanagar	Tusaf Ali and others of Saha Nagar ...	ditto	25th Agrahayan ditto.
3	Gris Chandra Das of Nayapara	Kasisvari of Nayapara	Agreement ...	29th Kartik ditto.
4	Baqar Ali and others of Azimpur	Safar Ali of Azimpur	Kabuliyat ...	7th Agrahayan ditto.
5	Hamid Ali and others	Akbar Ali, &c., of ditto	Pottah	6th ditto ditto.
6	Fatch Ali and others of Paindang	Dewan Ali Choudhuri	Kabuliyat ...	25th Kartik ditto.
7	Sona Ram and others of ditto	ditto ditto	ditto	19th ditto ditto.
8	Trahi Ram and others of ditto	ditto ditto	ditto	20th ditto ditto.
9	Srimati Amir Jan and others of ditto ...	ditto ditto	ditto	19th ditto ditto.
10	Baqar Ali of Haroyal Chhari	Muhamud Wali of Haroyal Chhari ...	Pottah	21st ditto ditto.
11	Chinta Ram and others of Sayabil	Tusaf Ali of Sahanagar	Kabuliyat ...	22nd Magh ditto.
12	Sada Ram of Sadagnagar	Muhamud Nawaries of Rosangiri	ditto	23rd Kartik ditto.
13	Shamad Ali of ditto	ditto ditto	Pottah	24th ditto ditto.
14	Mancur Ali and others of ditto	ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
15	Shamad Ali and others	ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
16	Banu Manji of Haroyal Chari	Munshi Muhamud Qamil of Dhurung ...	Kabuliyat ...	9th Baisak ditto.
17	Muhamud Kamil of Dhurung	Banu Manji of Haruyal Chhari	Pottah	ditto ditto.
18	Tofer Ali and others of Mekhal	Khulan of Pahartali	ditto	11th Paush ditto.
19	Irshad Ullah of Mandagini	Zinnat Ali of Suyabil	ditto	23rd Kartik ditto.
20	Yusaf Ali of Sahanagar	Ram Hari Nan of Suyabil	ditto	11th Magh ditto.
21	Safer Ali of Ajimpur	Baqar Ali and others of Azimpur	ditto	7th Agranayan ditto.
22	Abdul Ghani	Amjad Ali of Bainjuri	ditto	16th Falgun ditto.
23	Muhamud Nawajish of Rosangiri	Samad Ali of Cadaknagar	Kabuliyat ...	24th Kartik ditto.
24	Muhamud Nawajish and others of ditto ...	Mancur Ali of ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
25	Ditto ditto ditto	Shamad Ali of ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
26	Ditto ditto ditto	Ram Das and others of ditto	Pottah	23rd ditto ditto.
27	Lalit Chandra Roy of Paraikora	Srimati Bisvesdari of Paraikara	Kabala	12th Falgun ditto.
28	Yusaf Ali and others of Sahanagar ...	Madan Mohun and others of Sahanagar ...	Agreement ...	25th Agrahayan ditto.
29	Wali Moyan	Safer Ali of Ajimpur	Pottah	1st ditto ditto.
30	Safer Ali and others of Sahanagar... ...	Madha Sudhan Sarma	Kabuliyat ...	26th Falgun ditto.
31	Yusaf Ali	Madan Mohun Pouder and others of Sahanagar.	Pottah	25th Agrahayan ditto.
32	Amjad Ali *alias* Faqir Muhamud of Panidang.	Dewan Ali Choudhuri	Kabuliyat ...	5th ditto ditto.
33	Amjad Ali of Banijuri...	Abdul Ghani	ditto	16th Falgun ditto.
34	Muhamud Manu	Bacir Muhamud of Sayadabad	Pottah	6th Sravan ditto.
35	Bakhash Ali Soudagar of Hablishahar ...	Shaikh Muhamud Hashmat Ali Choudhuri of Mawalanagar.	ditto	9th Chaitra ditto.
36	Ditto ditto ditto	Srimati Tamaliyat Khatun and others of Mawalanagar.	ditto	ditto ditto.
37	Yusaf Ali of Azimpur	Moulair Acghar Ali of Fatehnagar... ...	Kabuliyat ...	10th ditto ditto.
38	Acghar Ali	Yusaf Ali of Azimpur	Pottah	ditto ditto.
39	Sabal Ali and others of Jujkhala	Muhamud Hashmat Ali Choudhuri of Nawalanagar.	Kabuliyat ...	18th Paush ditto.
40	Muhamud Hashmat Ali Choudhuri of Mawalanagar.	Sobal Ali and others of Julkhala	Pottah	ditto ditto.
41	Sunati Binla Bibi of Doulatpur	Shaikh Anwar Ali Choudhuri of Doulatpur	Kabuliyat ...	31st Asvin ditto.
42	Shaikh Anwar Ali Choudhuri of Doulatpur.	Muhamud Rafi *alias* Ferangi of ditto ...	Pottah	ditto ditto.
43	Dullabh of ditto	Shaikh Anwar Ali Choudhuri of ditto ...	Kabuliyat ...	ditto ditto.
44	Abdul Qarim and others of Suyabil ...	Nur Ali Serang of Haerkul	ditto	26th ditto ditto.
45	Sisu Ram Poddar and others of Khiram...	Bacir Muhammad and others of Khiram...	ditto	29th Kartik ditto.
46	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto ...	ditto	ditto ditto.
47	Muhammad Wali of Haroalchhari ...	Baqar Ali of Haranachhari	ditto	31st Agrahayan ditto.
48	Joy Ram Jugi of Suyabil	Yusaf Ali Choudhuri of Sahanagar ...	ditto	13th Magh.
49	Yusaf Ali Choudhuri of Sahanagar ...	Umaid Ali of Suyabil	Pottah	22nd Paush.
50	Ditto ditto	Said Ali and others of Suyabil	ditto	1st Falgun.
51	Ramgati and others of Kaiya	Kailas Chandra Raha	Kabuliyat	16th Magh.
52	Kailas Chandra Raha	Ramgati Nan of Kaiya	Pottah	ditto.
53	Ram Ratna De of Dhurung	Kailas Chandra Choudhuri	Kabuliyat	11th Agrahayan.
54	Kailas Chandra Raha	Ram Ratna De of Dhurung	Pottah	ditto.
55	Yusaf Ali Choudhuri of Sahanagar. ...	Fatih Ali of Suyabil	ditto	11th Magh.
56	Yusaf Ali of Sahanagar	Chinta Ram and others of Suyabil... ...	ditto	ditto 1228 M. E.
57	Ditto	Shamsher Ali of Suyabil	ditto	ditto ditto.
58	Umaid Ali of Suyabil	Yusaf Ali of Sahanagar	Kabuliyat	22nd Paush ditto.
59	Shamsher Ali of Suyabil	ditto	ditto	11th Magh ditto.
60	Mato Ali of Suyabil	ditto	ditto	29th ditto ditto.
61	Baidyanath and others of Paindang ...	Murari Raha of Dhurung	ditto	12th Chaitra ditto.
62	Muraridhar Raha of Dhurung	Ramkanta and others of Paindang ..	Pottah	ditto ditto.
63	Malhu Sudan Upadhyary	Safar Ali and others of Sahanagar	ditto	28th Falgun ditto.
64	Acghar Ali	Codaq Ali of Pauch Pokhariya	Letter	6th ditto ditto.
65	Sayad Ali and others of Suyabil	Yusaf Ali Choudhuri of Sahanagar... ...	Kabuliyat	1st ditto ditto.

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66	Sayadul Haq of Haola	Fatih Ali and Zinnat Ali of Suyabil and Beura.	Pottah	3rd Chaitra 1228 M.E.
67	Fatih Ali and others	Sayadul Huq of Haola	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
68	Hamid Ali and others	Ahmad Ali and others of Rosangiri ...	Pottah	18th Agrahayan ditto.
69	Ahmad Ali and others of Rosangiri ...	Hamaid Ali and others	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
70	Fatih Ali of Suyabil	Nur Ali Sarang of Haderkul	Ditto	26th Asvin ditto.
71	Akbar Ali and others	Ahmad Ali of Bhingool	Pottah	9th Paush ditto.
72	Pran Krishna Sen	Khosal of Prempur	Ditto	29th Kartik ditto.
73	Khosal of Prempur	Pran Krishna Sen, zemindar	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
74	Amjad Ali	Suja Ali of Dhurung	Pottah	25th ditto ditto.
75	Suja Ali of Dhurung	Amjad Ali and others of Doulatpur ...	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
76	Jakiuddin of Harualchhari	Ramkant Choudhuri	Ditto	28th Sravan ditto.
77	Srimati Alaka of Dhalghat	Imam Uddin of Knaish	Pottah	15th Kartik ditto.
78	Guru Das Das	Gouri Sanker Choudhuri of Kattali ...	Ditto	2nd ditto ditto.
79	Gouri Sanker of Kattah	Guru Das Das	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
80	Data Ram Choudhuri...	Shashthi Charan De of Mirjapur	Pottah	13th Agrahayan ditto.
81	Thanda Miyan of Cadaqnagar	Banesvar Jugi of Guman Mardan	Ditto	12th Kartik ditto.
82	Shashthi Charan Sen and others	Petan and others of Nangal Mura	Ditto	23rd Paush ditto.
83	Ram Sundar and others of Rosangiri ...	Yusaf Ali of Knaish	Ditto	12th Agrahayan ditto.
84	Hasan Ali and others of Pahartali... ...	Anwar Ali of Mekhal	Kabuliyat	3rd Falgun ditto.
85	Ramzan Ali and others of Mekhal ...	Hasan Ali and others of Pahartali... ...	Pottah	ditto ditto.
86	Muhammad Wasil of Pahartali	Isan Chandra	Kabuliyat	22nd Agrahayan ditto.
87	Ditto ditto	Ditto	Ditto	ditto ditto.
88	Isan Chandra and others	Muhammad Wasil of Pahartali	Pottah	ditto ditto.
89	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto	ditto ditto.
90	Sonatan Das of Kelishahar	Shamsher Ali and others of Jangalmora ...	Ditto	30th ditto ditto.
91	Wazir Ali of Dhalai	Muhammad Khulan of Kattali	Pottah	15th Agrahayan 1228 M.E.
92	Minnatullah of Madarsaha	Salima Bibi of Mudarsha	Release	11th ditto ditto.
93	Kasi Ram of Fatehpur	Subal Chundra and others of Fateabad ...	Kabala	3rd ditto ditto.
94	Acghar Ali and others of Chekandandi ...	Muhammad Wasil of Chikandondi ...	Ditto	17th Falgun ditto.
95	Kasi Ram of Fatehpur	Subal Chundra and others of Fateabad ...	Agreement ...	30th Agrahayan ditto.
96	Ram Sundar of Kenkdair	Lakhmi Kanta of Dabuya	Pottah	4th Paush ditto.
97	Akbar Ali of Jallalabad	Muhsan Ali and others of Andargarchi ...	Ditto	2nd Falgun ditto.
98	Brindavan of Mekhal	Nitya Nanda Poddar of Mekhal	Ditto	28th Chaitra ditto.
99	Ditto ditto	Ram Dayal Poddar of Mekhal	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
100	Srimate Alaka of Dhalghat	Nur Muhammad of Madarsaha	Ditto	28th Bhadra ditto.
101	Kailas Chandra Chaudhuri of Dhuring ...	Ram Dhan Nath of Solashahar	Ditto	7th ditto ditto.
102	Durga Charan De and others of Dewannagar.	Magan Das of Charia	Ditto	8th Agrahayan ditto.
103	Ditto ditto ditto ...	Muhammad Taki of Charia	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
104	Ahmad Ali	Ram Sundar and others of Fateabad ...	Ditto	12th Magh ditto.
105	Rahmat Ali of Faradabad	Mancur Ali of Fatimagar	Ditto	14th Kartik ditto.
106	Isan Chandra of Faradabad	Data Ram Nandi of Dhalai	Ditto	20th Agrahayan ditto.
107	Jagach Chandra and others of Iswar Khan *alias* Dhalghat.	Acmat Ali and others of Madarshaha ...	Ditto	8th April 1867.
108	Jagach Chandra and others of Dhalghat ...	Ainuddin of Madarshaha	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
109	Data Ram	Shamsher Ali and others of Burirchar ...	Ditto	17th Agrahayan 1228 M.E.
110	Yar Ali	Golak Chandra and others of Kulgaon ...	Ditto	10th Kartik ditto.
111	Mubarak Ali	Shona Bibi of Burir Char	Ditto	24th Sravan ditto.
112	Jan Ali	Muhammad Naqi of Knaish	Ditto	30th Ashar ditto.
113	Faziluddin of Chariya	Jan Ali and others of Inayatpur	Ditto	13th Agrahayan ditto.
114	Mubarak Ali of Bahanagar	Abdul Ali and others of Faradabad ...	Ditto	29th Kartik ditto.
115	Patan Ali of Inayatpur	Sayad Abdul Hamid of Hashimnagar ...	Ditto	1st Paush ditto.
116	Duarika Nath	Shamad Ali of Pahartali *alias* Fateabad ...	Ditto	2nd Falgun ditto.
117	Srimati Khulajan and others of Jahapur	Dukhiram of Chikdair	Ditto	7th Agrahayan ditto.
118	Ram Dayal	Acmat Ali of Mir Khil	Ditto	1st Paush ditto.
119	Baqar Ali	Ditto ditto	Ditto	25th Agrahayan ditto.
120	Muhammad Hamedullah	Akbar Ali of Dhalainagar	Ditto	Paush ditto.
121	Ditto ditto	Abbas Ali and others of Dhalainagar ...	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
122	Ditto ditto	Muhsan Ali of Dhalainagar	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
123	Ditto ditto	Sama Ullah of Pantuga	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
124	Jan Ali and others of Sibatali	Muhammad Nasim of Guman Margal ...	Ditto	15th Agrahayan ditto.
125	Sarup Chandra Das of Kelishuhar ...	Baqar Ali of Nangalmora	Ditto	30th Ditto ditto.
126	Bhairar Chandra Sarma of Abdullahpur	Muhammad Muqim of Dabuya	Ditto	28th Magh ditto.
127	Akhil Chandra Nandi of Sultanpur ...	Cadaq Ali of Palong	Ditto	28th Agrahayan ditto.
128	Faziluddin of Chariya	Acghar Ali of Inayatpur	Ditto	12th ditto ditto.
129	Akhil Chandra Nandi of Sultanpur ...	Khatif Ali of Lelang	Ditto	26th ditto ditto.
130	Bhairar Chandra Choudhuri of Dewannagar.	Chand Miyan of Sarta, at present Muhammadpur.	Ditto	9th Magh ditto.
131	Murcha Ali	Acghar Ali of Nayapara	Ditto	19th Agrahayan ditto.
132	Akbar of Mekhal Pahartali	Bhairav Chandra and others of Dewanpur	Kabuliyat ...	20th Paush ditto.
133	Magan Das of Chariya	Ditto ditto	Ditto	8th Agrahayan ditto.
134	Ram Dayal Poddar of Mekhal	Brindavan of Mekhal	Ditto	28th Chaitra ditto.
135	Ram Sundar De of Kenkdair	Lakhmi Kanta of Dabuya	Ditto	4th Paush ditto.
136	Lakhmi Kant Dabuya	Ram Sundar of Kenkdair	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
137	Muhsan Ali of Audargaha	Akbar Ali of Jalalabad	Ditto	2nd Falgun ditto.
[illegible]	Nitya Nanda Poddar of Mekhal	Brindavan Poddar of Mekhal	Ditto	28th Chaitra ditto.
[illegible]	Muhammad Taqi and others of Chariya ...	Durga Charan of Dewannagar	Ditto	8th Agrahayan ditto.
[illegible]	Abdul Hamid and others of Hashimpur ...	Patam Ali of Inayatpur	Ditto ...	1st Paush ditto.
[illegible]	Khirod Chandra Sen of Sikarpur	Ramjoy Choudhuri of Sikarpore	Kabuliyat ...	2nd Paush 1228 M. E.
142	Hashmat Ali of Fatenagar	Rahmat Ali Sikdar of Fate Nagar	Ditto ...	14th Kartik ditto.
143	Khulan of Mekhal	Qamar Ali and others of Mekhal	Ditto ...	11th Paush ditto.
144	Petan and others of Nangalmora	Sashthi Charan and others	Ditto ...	13th ditto ditto.
145	Shamsher Ali and others of Mandagini ...	Isan Chandra of Fateabad	Ditto ...	28th Magh ditto.
146	Jan Ali and others of Inayatpur	Fazil-ud-din of Madarsha	Ditto ...	13th Agrahayan ditto.
147	Acmat Ali of Nurirkhil	Bagar Ali of Mirar Khil	Ditto ...	25th Agrahayan ditto.
148	Chand Miyan of Muhammedpur	Bharao Chandra of Dewan Nagar	Ditto ...	9th Magh ditto.
149	Shamsher Ali and others of Burirchar ...	Mancur Ali of Burir Char	Ditto ...	17th Agrahayan ditto.
150	Shashthe Charan De of Mirjapur	Data Ram Choudhuri	Ditto ...	13th ditto ditto.
151	Acmat Ali of Chilmir	Ram Dayal of Alampur	Ditto ...	1st Poesh ditto.
152	Abdul Kader of Fatepore	Bakhsh Ali of Mekhal	Ditto ...	9th Agrahayan ditto.
153	Cadaq Ali of Saplenga	Akhil Chandra Nandi of Sultanpur ...	Ditto ...	28th ditto ditto.
154	Acghar Ali of Inayatpur	Faziluddin of Cloreija	Ditto ...	12th ditto ditto.
155	Khatih Ali of Saplenga	Akhil Chandra Nandi of Sultanpur ...	Ditto ...	26th ditto ditto.
156	Ahmad Ali and others of Muhammedpur	Rakimun Nessa *alias* Dehari Mir Shara	Ditto ...	29th Magh ditto.
157	Kanu Miyanji of Dalainagar	Uma Charan Sen of Saruatali	Ditto ...	23rd Kartik ditto.
158	Ram Dayal and others of Daricoss	Banu Indra Narayan Choudhuri of Banigram.	Ditto ...	18th Paush ditto.
159	Kanta Prasad Hazari	Basi Mohan Raha and others of Rangania	Pottah ...	24th Magh ditto.
160	Sayad Abdul Rasul of Sayadpur	Ramzan Ali of Sarap Chota	Ditto ...	10th Falgun ditto.
161	Jubaraj and others	Doman Ali of Sat Bariya	Ditto ...	2nd Magh ditto.
162	Abdul Haqim and others of Dakhin Kesaya.	Ali Mahomed of Pokhoriya	Sale ...	2nd Choitra ditto.
163	Akmal Ali of Sigalbaha	Muborek Ali and others of Chhigalbaha ...	Pottah ...	29th Agrahayan.
164	Gouri Sanker Sen of Chhandandi	Hasan Ali of Chariya	Ditto ...	22nd Assin ditto.
165	Ramsundar Sen of Sarcatali	Trahi Ram Pal of Sripur	Ditto ...	21st Kartik ditto.
166	Alaka Thakurani of Dhalghat ...	Mohamed Asharof of Haid oan	Ditto ...	25th Assin ditto.
167	Taran Sinha Hatzari	Karamat Ali of Lakhmipur	Ditto ...	13th Agrahayan ditto.
168	Ditto	Dewan Ali of Jafarabad	Ditto ...	4th ditto ditto.
169	Ditto	Mahomed Bakhsu of Busaratnagar ...	Ditto ...	13th ditto ditto.
170	Hasan Ali	Alim Uddin of Bhabadal	Ditto ...	28th Paush ditto.
171	Mohamed Safi Bahardur of Battali ...	Abdul Nabi of Chupatali	Ditto ...	9th Magh ditto.
172	Said Alim Ullah of Barakara	Bisvanbhar Pal of Pairol	Ditto ...	4th Agrahayan ditto.
173	Cadaq Ali *alias* Bocha Gazi	Asghar Ali and others of Papadiya ...	Ditto ...	15th Magh ditto.
174	Muqbul Ali of Gourdandi	Asad Ali of Gourdandi	Ditto ...	21st ditto ditto.
175	Inna Amin of Gahira	Hasan Ali and others of Gahira	Ditto ...	23th Kartik ditto.

CHITTAGONG, the 18th Sept. 1878.

KRISTO HURRY BOSE, *Spl. Sub-Registrar, for Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the following documents, which were neither registered nor accepted for registration, and which are at present lying unclaimed at the Chittagong Sudder Sub-Registry Office, will be destroyed under orders of the Inspector-General of Registration, unless their delivery is taken on or before the 23rd of the next month :—

Number.	Name of executant.	Name of claimant.	Nature of document.	Date of execution.
1	Becha Ram De of Ratnapur	Jafar Ali, &c., of Ratnapur	Pottah	29th Sravan 1228 M.E.
2	Pitamvar De of ditto	Mancur Ali, &c., of ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
3	Prankrishna Datta of Sripur	Becha Ram De of Sripur	ditto	12th Kartik ditto.
4	Jafar Ali, &c., of Ratnapur	Becha Ram of Ratnapur	Kabuliyat	29th Sravan ditto.
5	Cabir Rahman	Magan Das Poddar, &c., of Kumira ...	Lease	28th Kartik ditto.
6	Akbar Ali Khan of Barauthan	Ali Husain of Binpur	Pottah	13th Asvin ditto.
7	Srimati Sampurna	Aemat Ali, &c., Naikhain	ditto	17th Kartik ditto.
8	Chaitanya Charan Datta of Kharandoip ...	Mahes Chandra Sen of Karankhain ...	ditto	6th Paush ditto.
9	Mahes Chandra Sen of Karankhain ...	Chaitanya Charan Datta of Kharanduip...	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
10	Haidar Ali of Gourdandi	Jainuddin of Gourdandi	Sale	28th Sravan ditto.
11	Baishnav Charan of Sonaichhari *alias* Kulkurmai.	Nitya Nanda of Kulkurmai	ditto	31st ditto ditto.
12	Ahmad Ali of Shujai Katgah...	Ranu of Char Lakhya	Pottah	23rd Asvin ditto.
13	Abdul Majid, &c., of Chunatparah	Nasarullah of Khonda Gahira	ditto	5th Bhadra ditto.
14	Ainuddin of Badanpurah	Zinnat Ali Khan of Barauthan	Kabuliyat	22nd Ashar ditto.
15	Miyan Jan of Perana	Bhavani Charan Ghosh	ditto	12th Kartik ditto.
16	Ananda Mohan Sen of Barasat	Magan Das Bal, &c., of Barasat	Pottah	26 h Sravan ditto.
17	Magan Das Bal, &c., of Barasat	Ananda Mohan Sen of ditto...	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
18	Abdur Rahman of Jaldi	Fato Ali, &c., of Kaharghona...	Sale	28th Agrahayan ditto.
19	Hamid Ali Khan of Barauthan	Ashkar Ali of Chatari	Pottah	18th Sravan ditto.
20	Ashkar Ali of Chatari	Hamid Ali Khan of Barauthan ...	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
21	Zinnat Ali of Maigata, *alias* Barama ...	Tarini Charan Majumdar, &c., of Maigata *alias* Barama.	ditto	1st Kartik ditto.
22	Nasarullah of Korda Gahira	Abdul Majid, &c., Chullaparah	ditto	5th Bhadra ditto.
23	Baidya Nath, &c., of Chhanara	Ram Dayal Poddar of Kolishahar	Pottah	28th Agrahayan ditto.
24	Imamuddin, &c., of Knaish	Alaka Thakurani of Dhalghat	Kabuliyat	15th Kartik ditto.
25	Haidar Ali Sarang of Feranqi Bazar ...	Akbar Ali Sadasar of Feranqi Bazar ...	ditto	25th Bhadra ditto.
26	Ruhi Das Pal, &c., of Patali Kota	Ram Dayal Choudhuri of Kanungoeparah	Pottah	19th Agrahayan ditto.
27	Abdul Ali, &c.	Shafer Ali, &c., of Jowarah, *alias* Haralah	ditto	28th ditto ditto.
28	Krishna Charan	Manirullah *alias* Quasim Ali, &c., of Sakpurah.	ditto	25th Kartik ditto.
29	Abdur Rahman, &c., of Kattali	Mushraf Ali of Daulatpur	ditto	2nd Ashar ditto.
30	Manirullah Doctor, *alias* Qasim Ali of Sakpurah.	Krishna Charan of Sakpurah	Kabuliyat	25th Kartik ditto.
31	Jabbar Ali of Sultanpur	Ram Sunder Sen of Sarwatali	ditto	29th Bhadra ditto.
32	Sarat Chandra Sen of Sarwatali	Abhaya Charan Sen of ditto	Sale	5th Agrahayan ditto.
33	... .	Ranu of Jafarabad	Pottah	16th Bhadra ditto.
34	Kailas Chandra Datta of Dengaparah ...	Govinda Chandra Sen, zamindar	Agreement ...	12th Agrahayan ditto.
35	Miyan Jan of Dvipchhigal Baha	Ahmad Ali Malum of Shujaikatgar ...	Kabuliyat	21st Bhadra ditto.
36	Ahmad Ali of Shujai Katgar	Miyan Jan of Doipchhigal Baha	Pottah	ditto ditto.
37	Sarat Chandra Datta, &c., of Sripur ..	Ghulam Ali of Kharala	ditto . .	30th ditto ditto.
38	Ghulam Ali of Kharalah	Sarat Chandra Datta, &c., of Sripur . .	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
39	Durga Charan Sen	Kirti Chandra Ghati of Maigata *alias* Barama.	Pottah ...	13th Kartik ditto.
40	Srishti Dhar Sarma of Sakpurah	Mohan Basi, &c., of Sakpurah	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
41	Muhamud Husain Matabar of ditto ...	Ram Sundar Mistari of Paschimchan ...	Pottah	12th Magh ditto.
42	Saiad Nur Bakhsh, &c., of Saiadpur ...	Meherjan of Saiadpur, at present of Utterdewang.	Kabuliyat ...	22nd Sravan ditto.
43	Ali Muddin of Mohabati	Aman Ali Choudhuri, &c., Hulain	ditto	6th Falgun ditto.
44	Aman Ali, &c.	Alimuddin of Mahabati	Pottah	ditto ditto.
45	Siv Charan Baruya of Bhandangaon ...	Cadaq Ali, &c., ...	Kabuliyat	8th Baisak 1229 M.E.
46	Cadaq Ali	Siv Charan Baruya of Bhandangaon ...	Pottah	ditto ditto.
47	Muhamud Hari of Kadhurkhil	Jura Mani Sarma of Kadhurkhil	Kabuliyat	22nd Magh 1228 M.E.
48	Kasi Sinha, &c., of Bidagram	Jagach Chandra Sen, &c., of Sarwatali ..	ditto	18th Falgun ditto.
49	Rahmat Ali of Kanai Mandari	Bagar Ali, &c., Kanai Mandari	Sale	26th Asvin ditto.
50	Gauri Sankar Sen of Chhandandi	Fazar Ali, &c., of Chariya	Pottah	24th ditto ditto.
51	Shaidar Ali of Karaindenga	Muhamud Ali of Kanaidenga	Kabuliyat	28th Kartik ditto.
52	Mir Husain of Kanai Mandari	Mushraf Bibi of Shahamirpur	Agreement ...	15th ditto ditto.
53	Golam Nabi	Zinnat Ali, &c., of Dvipchigal Baha ...	Pottah	2nd Paush 1228 M. E.
54	Trahi Ram Pathar of Panch Bariya ...	Jagach Chundra Chaudhuri of Barama ...	Kabuliyat	10th Falgun ditto.
55	Guru Das Sen of Khilapchur	Nitya Nanda Bhattacharjya of Kulaildenga.	ditto .. .	11th Magh ditto.
56	Golok Chundra Sarma of Kolishahar ...	Akbar Ali of Haidgaon	ditto	10th Paush ditto.
57	Sonatan Das, &c., of Kolishahar	Ashraf Ali of Manasa	Conditional sale ...	29th ditto ditto.
58	Mulluk Saha of . .	Raj Chandra Munshi of Bagkhali ..	Kabuliyat	12th Chaitra ditto.
59	Gotok Pathar of Kainpurah...	Kasi Chundra Ray of Purva Kanyara *alias* Paraikorah.	ditto	14th ditto ditto.
60	Taran Sinha Hazari of Dohazari	Amed Ali of Basharutnagar	Pottah	29th Kartic ditto.
61	Aradhan of Bariya	Sarach Chundra Sen of Paraikora... ...	Kabuliyat	24th Falgun ditto.
62	Sarach Chandra Sen of Paraikora	Aradhan of Bariya	Pottah	24th ditto ditto.
63	Kailas Chundra Datta, &c., of Dakhin-Bhurshi.	Baishnav Charan Das of Kalishahar ...	ditto . ..	11th Agrahayan ditto.
64	Baishnav Charan Das of Kelishahar ...	Kailas Chundra Datta of Dakhin Bhurshi	Kabuliyat	11th ditto ditto.
65	Kailas Chandra Datta, &c., of Bhurshi ...	Durga Churan Kulal of Kharala	Pottah	24th Kartik ditto.
66	Ditto ditto ditto ...	Bisvam Char of Karala	ditto . .	24th ditto ditto.
67	Rajkumar Roy of Kanungoeparah ...	Jit Ram of Dhenyarparah	ditto	19th Bhadra ditto.
68	Jit Ram De of Dhenyaparah	Raj Kumar Roy of Kanungoeparah ...	Kabuliyat	19th ditto ditto.
69	Nejamat Ali of Chatari	Ram Sunder Datta of Bamgram *alias* Dengaparah.	ditto	17th Falgun 1273 B. S.
70	Akbar Ali of Chatari	Ditto ditto ditto ...	ditto	4th Falgun 1228 M. E.
71	Abdullah of Chatari	Bisvambar Sen of Gairala	ditto	10th Paush ditto.
72	Aemat Ali, &c., of Gahira	Baidya Nath, &c., Gahira	ditto	5th Agrahayan ditto.
73	Baidya Nath, &c., of Gahira...	Aemat Ali of ditto	Pottah	5th ditto ditto.
74	Tari Charan Baruya of Fatenagar	Akamuddin of Gachhbari	Kabuliyat	22nd Paush ditto.
75	Akamuddin of Gachhbariya	Taricharan of Fatenagar	Pottah	22nd ditto ditto.
76	Deva Mistari, &c., of Chagachar	Ananda Kumari of Dohazari	Kabuliyat	10th Magh 1228.
77	Puniya of Maishamurah	Muhamed Shahi, &c., of Maishamurah ...	ditto	30th Agrahayan 1228 M. E.
78	Nil Kamal Das of Dhalghat	Krishna Charan, &c. of Bailtali	Pottah	16th Falgun ditto.
79	Jagach Chundra Sen, &c., of Sarwatali ...	Kasi Sinha, &c., of Bidagram	ditto	18th ditto ditto.
80	Abdul Wahid of Daulatpur	Mushraf Ali of Daulatpur	ditto	5th ditto ditto.
81	Quasim Ali of Jogarah	Husain Ali of Jogarah	Sale	20th Magh ditto.
82	Abdul Khaliq, &c., of Jiri	Sanaullah of Uttar Dewang	Pottah	29th Kartik ditto.
83	Kasi Chandra Roy	Golok Pathar of Kainpur	ditto	14th Agrahayan ditto.
84	Ramkanta Datta	Faqir Muhamed of Kadhurkhil	ditto	15th Asvin 1273 B. S.
85	Abdul Karim, &c.	Muhamed Hussain of Husimpur	ditto	16th Magh 1228 M. E.
86	Muhomed Husain of Hasimpur	Abdul Karim, &c., of Hasimpur... ...	Kabuliyat	16th ditto ditto.
87	Abdul Ali, &c., of Gosairdenga	Gaur Hari Bisvas of Chakrasala	ditto	23rd Falgun ditto.
88	Ahsanullah, &c., of Haidgaon	Alaka Thakurani of Dhalghat	ditto	20th Asvin ditto.
89	Alaka Thakurani of Dhalghat	Ahsanullah, &c., Haidgaon	Pottah	20th ditto ditto.
90	Gauri Charan, &c., of Sarwatali	Ram Sundar Sen of Sarwatali	Kabuliyat	8th Kartik ditto.
91	Jagach Chundra Sen of ditto	Shashthicharan of ditto	Pottah	10th Paush ditto.
92	Date Ram Maji of Gairala	Ram Das Bhattacharjya of Chhanarah ...	Kabuliyat	12th ditto ditto.
93	Lakhmi Chandra Sen of Maigata, *alias* Barama.	.....	Pottah	28th Agrahayan ditto.
94	Ananda of Purvakanyarah, *alias* Paraikorah.	Lakhmichandra Chaudhuri of Barama ...	Kabuliyat	28th ditto ditto.
95	Akbar Ali of Chatari	Ram Sundar Datta of Banipur *alias* Dengaparah.	ditto	20th Falgun 1273 B. S.
96	Minnat Ali of ditto	Ditto ditto ditto ...	ditto	20th ditto ditto.
97	Magan Das of Kanungoeparah	Govinda Chandra Sen of ditto	Agreement... ...	12th Agrahayan ditto.
98	Ram Bhadra, &c., &c., of Bailtali	Ishan Ali of Bailtali	Kabuliyat	17th Asvin 1228 M. E.

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99	Ihsan Ali	Rambhudra, &c., of Bailtali	Pottah	17th Asvin 1228 M. E.
100	Umar Ali of Gairala	Azizur Rahman of Saidpur	Kabuliyat	23rd Paush ditto.
101	Kailas Chandra Datta of Dakhin Bhurhi	Haidar Ali of Kharalah	Pottah	28th Kartik ditto.
102	Ram Sundar Sen of Sarwatali	Nana Ghazi of Jaishthapurah	ditto	12th ditto ditto.
103	Haidar Ali of Kuralah...	Kailas Chandra Datta, &c., of Dakhin Burshi.	Kabuliyat	28th ditto ditto.
104	Ram Das Bhattacharyya, &c., of Chhanara	Acmat Ali of Haidgaon	Pottah	3rd Chaitra ditto.
105	Acmat Ali of Haidgaon	Ramdas Bhattacharyya, &c., of Chhanarah	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
106	Juramani	Kula Chandra Sil of Kadhurkhil	Pottah	29th Magh ditto.
107	Magan Ali of Lamandenga	Abdul	Kabuliyat	Asvin ditto.
108	Mancur Ali of Gujarah and Sri Ram of Anwarah.	Alimuddin, &c., of Bagabili	Pottah	25th Chaitra ditto.
109	Alimuddin of Bagabili...	Mancur Ali of Gujarah and Sri Ram of Anwarah.	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
110	Taram Sinha Hazari of Dohazari	Nezamut Ali of Basharatnagar	Pottah	29th Agrahayan ditto.
111	Taran Sinha of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	12th Chaitra ditto.
112	Banesvar Bepari of Kelishahar	Chaitanya Charan Chakravarti of Keli shahar.	Sale...	21st Agrahayan ditto.
113	Nava Chandra Sen	Badiuddin, &c., of Saidpur	Lease	24th February 1867.
114	Saiad Azizur Rahman, &c., of Saidpur ...	Umad Ali of Arllah and Abbas Ali of Gairalah.	Pottah	23rd Baisak 1228 M. E.
115	Jagat Chandra Sen of Baramah	Trahi Ram Pathan of Gachh Bariya ...	ditto	10th Kartik ditto.
116	Budha Ram of Dripchhigal Baha	Mahomed Akmal of Dripchhigal Baha ..	Kabuliyat	13th Paush ditto.
117	Ajmot Ali of Boyaliya	Mancurali, &c. of Boyaliya	Izarah	28th ditto ditto.
118	Mahomed Akmal of Dripchhigal Baha ...	Budha Ram of Dripchhigal Baha ...	Pottah	13th ditto ditto.
119	Taran Sinha Hazari of Dohazari	Manu Myan of Basaratnagor	ditto	4th Agrahayan ditto.
120	Muhbbat Ali of Gomdandi	Fato Ali of Gomdandi	Kabuliyat	29th Magh ditto.
121	Chaitanya Charan Dastidar of Chhanarah	Savach Chundra Guha of Kathakachnai ...	Pottah	1st Agrahayan ditto.
122	Sarat Chandra Guha of Kathakachnai ...	Chaitanyacharan Dastidar	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
123	Sanaullah of Suluk Bahar	Pran Hari Lala of Popadiya	ditto	23rd Assin ditto.
124	Braja Mohan Biswas	Ram Lochan Dastidar of Sarwat Ali ...	Pottah	29th Agrahayan ditto.
125	Ram Das De of Haidgaon	Kasichandra Wadadar of Bhatikhain ...	Kabuliyat	10th Kartik ditto.
126	Taran Sinha Hazari of Dohazari	Hachim of Lakhmipurah	Pottah	13th Sravan ditto.
127	Ramjan Ali of Jowarah	Hamdar Ali of Jowanah	Sale	11th Chaitra ditto.
128	Gurani of Dharmapur	Amanullah Miyanji of Kaliaish	Pottah	4th ditto ditto.
129	Ramsundar Mistari of Paschimchal ...	Mahomed Husain Matban of Paschim Chal.	Kabuliyat	12th Magh ditto.
130	Rahmatullah, &c., of Satbanya	Aradhan of Bailtali	Pottah	28th Falgun 1228.
131	Pran Hari Lalla of Popadiya	Sanaullah of Suluk Bahar	ditto	23rd Asvin 1228 M. E.
132	Ram Sundar Sen of Sarwat Ali	Fitamvor Sarma of Dhalghat	ditto	21st Kartik ditto.
133	Mahomed Shafi, &c., of Murallabad ...	Rahmut Ali of Muradabad	Sale	4th Chaitra ditto.
134	Sanatan Das of Kelishahar	Bagar Ali of Lalangarah	Pottah	30th Agrahayan 1228.
135	Abdul Ali of Juldha	Ali Mahomed of Juldha	ditto	25th ditto.
136	Bisamvar Das of Patalinotha	Digamvar Sen	Kabuliyat	1228 M. E.
137	Svarup Chundra Das of Kelishahar .	Shamsher Ali, &c., of Nangalmorah ...	Pottah	30th Agrahayan 1228 M. E.
138	Jabbar Ali, &c., Goraukhain	Baishnav Charan Sen	Kabuliyat	27th ditto ditto.
139	Ram Lochan of Sarwat Ali	Braja Mohan Bisvas of Sarwatali	ditto	29th ditto ditto.
140	Magan Chandra Baruya of Naikhain ...	Haridas Bisvas of Gairala	ditto	8th Kartik ditto.
141	Nitya Nanda Bisvas, &c.	Magan Chand Baruya of Naikhain	Pottah	ditto ditto.
142	Bamacharan Kanungoe of Sakpurah ..	Ram Lochan of Sakpurah	ditto	16th Agrahayan ditto.
143	Shafar Ali, &c , of Shahamirpur	Zinnat Ali Khan of Barauthan	Kabuliyat	23rd Ashar ditto.
144	Juva Rajchaudhuri, &c., of Sat Bariya ...	Munshi Alimullah, &c.	Special power of Attorney.	18th January 1867.
145	Sanaullah of Utterdewany	Abdur Rashid, &c., of Jiri	Kabuliyat	29th Kartik 1228 M.E.
146	Ansar Ali, &c , of Shahmirpur	Zinnat Ali Khan of Barauthan	ditto	30th Ashar ditto.
147	Bishnu Priya of Kanchana	Trilok Chandra Datta of Dhalghat ...	ditto	9th Agrahayan ditto.
148	Tilak Chandra Datta, &c.. of Dhalghat ...	Bishna Priya of Kanchana	Pottah	....
149	Taran Sinha Hazari of Dohazari	Ali Askhar of Lakhmipura	ditto	9th Agrahayan 1228 M.E.
150	... ...	Potan Bepari of ditto	ditto ...	.. ..
151	Ram Das Bhattacharyya, &c., of Chhanarah.	Data Ram of	ditto ...	25th Bhadra ditto.
152	Ditto ditto ...	Srimati Ganga, &c., of	ditto	... .
153	Akbar Ali of Haidgaon	Shaikhamchari of Dhalghat	Pottah	10th Paush 1228 M.E.
154	Ramdhan Acharyya of Popadiya	Pran Hari Lala Popadiya	Kabuliyat	6th Asvin ditto.
155	Radha Krishna Biswas	Shamsher Ali, &c., of Haidgaon	Pottah	9th Chaitra ditto.
156	Shamsher Ali, &c., of Haidgaon	Radhakrishna Biswas of Kathakachnai ...	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
157	Taran Sinha Hazari of Dohazari	Gokul Mistri of Lakhmipurah	Pottah	7th Agrahayan 1228.
158	Inayatullah of Chatra	Lotfullah of Barkhal	ditto	18th Paush 1228 M.E.
159	Syan Sunder Sen, &c.	Aftauddin of Juldha	ditto	23rd Paush ditto.
160	Nurullah of Daulatpur	Srimati Karataya of Patanikotha	Izaranamah ...	12th Falgun ditto.
161	Mohamed Kamil of Dha-airdenga	Ajodhya Prasad Tewari of Hindustan, now of Bag Bhelu.	Kabuliyat	5th Magh ditto.
162	Mushan Ali of Shahamirpur	Shafar Ali of Shahamirpur	Agreement... ...	9th Paush ditto.
163	Sona Ram, &c., of Dripchhigal Baha ...	Zinnat Ali Khan of Barauthan	Kabuliyat	....
164	....	....	ditto	28th Ashar 1228 M.E
165	Radha Mohan of Chhigal Baha	....	ditto	....
166	Abul Hussain of Badalpurah .	....	ditto	1st Sravan 1228 M.E.
167	Ram Das Bhattacharyya of Chharanah ...	Aradhan Mandal of Khavanah	Pottah	27th Paush ditto.
168	Ram Jaha of Jafarabad	Gopinath Dichhit of Bag Bhelu	Kabuliyat	16th Bhaddra ditto.
169	Jit Ram of Dhenaparah	Ramjay Mahajan of Kanungoeparah ...	ditto	9th Falgun ditto.
170	Nur-ud-din of Kadhurkhil	Srimati Nurjan of Saiadpur	Kabin	6th ditto ditto.
171	Kasi Chandra of Sadhanpur	Ramkisir of Maigata	Pottah	20th Kartik ditto.
172	Bisvanvar Dhar of Kadhurkhil	Datta Ram Mahajan of Khatapchar ...	Kabuliyat	29th Magh ditto.
173	Matiullah, &c., of Khashkhamah	Anwarullah Khowdar of Khashkhamah ...	ditto	3rd Chaitra ditto.
174	Anwarullah	Matiullah, &c., of Khashkhamah	Pottah	ditto ditto.
175	Atma Ram, &c., of Kharushkul	Govinda Chandra Sen, zemindar	Kabuliyat	18th Magh 1273 B.S.
176	Bakhsh Ali of Shahamirpur	Zinnat Ali Khan of Barauthan	ditto	20th Ashar 1228 M.E.
177	Acmat Ali of Gomdandi	Govinda Chandra Datta of Gomdandi ..	ditto	11th Kartik ditto.
178	Ahsad Ali of ditto	Muqbul Ali of Gomdandi	ditto	21st Magh ditto.
179	Ram Das Sarma of Suchakradandi ...	Nitya Nanda Bisvas, &c., of Gairata ..	ditto	20th Paush ditto.
180	Tufzal Ali of Chandgaon	Munshi Muhamed Faizullah of Chandgaon.	ditto	9th Magh ditto.
181	Hasan Ali, &c., of Hinguli	Kasi Nath of Chittakana	ditto	16th Paush ditto.
182	Amjad Ali of ditto	Kasi Nath Karmakar, &c.	ditto	ditto ditto.
183	Hasan Ali, &c., of Gahira	Inya Amin of Gahira	Kabuliyat	25th Kartik 1228 M.E.
184	Ram Jan Ali of Saraphhata	Abdul Raoul Chowdhuri of Saiadpur ...	ditto	10th Falgun ditto.
185	Najmuddin, &c., of Dripchhigal Baha ...	Ghulam Nabi of Shahamirpur	ditto	2nd Paush ditto.
186	Gokul Chandra Sil of Kadhurkhil... ...	Jura Mani Sarma of Kadhurkhil	ditto	29th Magh ditto.
187	Ram Jan Ali of Saraphhata	Abdul Raoul of Saiadpur	ditto	10th Falgun ditto.
188	Nil Mani Das of Banigram and Shachi Ram of Burumcharah.	Magan Das Roy of Banigram	ditto	28th Asvin ditto.
189	Anwar Ali of Gunduip	Shaikh Mubaraq Ali of Sholashaher ...	ditto	29th Agrahayan 1228.
190	Kailas Chandra of Haidgaon	Ram Kinu, &c., of Haidgaon	ditto	6th Paush 1228 M.E.
191	Abdul Ali Sikdar of Bhaudargaon	Govindra Chandra Sen, zamindar	ditto	4th Falgun 1273 B. S.
192	Raj Krishna Sarma of Mirkhil	Jan Ali Chowdhuri, &c., of Alampur ..	ditto	7th Paush 1228 M. E.
193	Muhammud Ashaq of Haidgaon	Alaka Thakurani of Dhalghat	ditto	25th Asvin ditto.
194	Ram Jan Ali of Budura	Rames Charan Ray, zamindar	ditto	4th Falgun ditto.
195	Ali Muddin of Meherbati	Ashraf Ali of Manasa	ditto	15th Magh ditto.
196	Altafuddin, son of Mancur Ali of Juldha...	Syam Sundar Sen	ditto	23rd Paush ditto.
197	Lalifullah of Gomdandi	Ajmat Ali of Gomdandi	ditto	2nd Agrahayan ditto.
198	Qurban Ali of ditto	... .	ditto	ditto ditto.
199	Govindra Chandra Datta	.....	Pottah	11th Kartik ditto.
200	Nitya Nanda Bisvas, &c.	Ram Das Thakur of Suchakradandi ...	ditto	28th Paush ditto.
201	Tafzal Ali of Chandgaon	Muhamed Faizullah of Chandgaon ...	ditto	9th Magh ditto.
202	Raj Chandra Chowdhuri	Chand Miyan, &c., of Khetapchar	ditto	2nd Agrahayan ditto.
203	Ram Kinu Das, &c.	Kailas Chandra of Haidgaon	ditto	16th Paush ditto.
204	Mubaruq Ali, zamindar of Solashahar ...	Anwar Ali of Gunduip	ditto	29th Agrahayan ditto.
205	Taran Sinha Hazari	Baksh Ali, &c., of Lakhimpurah	ditto	16th ditto ditto.
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207	Mohan Basi De, &c., of Sakpurah	Sristi Dhar Purohit of Sakpurah	Pottah	13th Falgun 1228 M. E.
208	Taran Sinha Hazari	Karam Ali Maji of Jafarabad	ditto	7th Agrahayan ditto.
209	Ajmat Ali of Gomdandi	Qurban Ali of Gomdandi	ditto	2nd ditto ditto.
210	Ajmat Ali of ditto	Latifullah of ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
211	Anwar Ali of Sarwatati	Meher Ali of Sarwatati	Agreement ...	27th Magh ditto.
212	Ajmat Ali of Lakhimpurah	Peta Ghazi, &c., of Jafarabad	Sale	7th Asvin ditto.
213	Ram Ratna De of Haidgaon...	Kasi Chandra of Bhatigain	Kabuliyat	18th Kartik ditto.
214	Matiullah of Dulpchhigal Baha	Kan Sona of Dulpchhigal Baha	Sale	8th Baisak 1229 M.E.
215	Hamid Baksh of Sripur	Lala Miyan of Azimpur	Release	12th Magh 1228 M.E.

KRISTO HURRY BOSE, *Spl. Sub-Registrar, for Registrar.*

CHITTAGONG, the 18th September 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following documents, which were neither registered nor accepted for registration, and which are at present lying unclaimed at the Chittagong Sudder Sub-Registry Office, will be destroyed under orders of the Inspector-General of Registration, unless their delivery is taken on or before the 24th of the next month:—

Name of executant.	Name of claimant.	Nature of document.	Date of execution.
Ali Subhani of Kalabariya	Isan Chandra Kar, &c., of Khanya Nagar	Kabuliyat .	2nd Jaista 1229 M.E.
Ram Sundar Baras of Mahadevpur	Ditto ditto ditto ...	ditto .	30th Baisak ditto.
Acmat Ali of Juhidandi	Hasan Ali, &c., of Juhidandi	Lease .	22nd Jaista ditto.
	Nil Kamal Chowdhuri of Allah *alias* Dhalghat.	ditto .	8th ditto ditto.
Acghar Ali of Gahira	Nur Ali of Gahira	Sale .	7th ditto ditto.
Sana Ullah of Madarshaha ...	Qurban Ali of Chikandi	Kabuliyat .	22nd Ashar ditto.
Jafar Ali, &c., of Sripur ...	Hara Das Roy of Kanongaopara	ditto	14th Jaista ditto.
Ramzan Ali of Jayara... ...	Mati Ullah, &c., of Kanchan Nagar ...	ditto	12th Ashar ditto.
Waiz-ud Din, &c., of Gahira ...	Hasan Ali of Rampur...	ditto	27th Jaista ditto.
Jafar Ali of Khandakiya ...	Basanta Ram, &c., of Khandakiya... ...	Lease	27th Magh ditto.
Kailas Chandra Nandi... ...	Abul Husain of Fatah Nagar	ditto	7th Ashar ditto.
Safar Mutuk, &c., of Kokdandi	Akbar Ali of Chambal	Sale	21st ditto ditto.
Uma Charan Chowdhuri, &c., of Bhursi .	Haidar Ali, &c., of Joyara	ditto	21st Bhadra ditto.
Dewan Ali of Keochiya	Jabbar Ali, &c., of Keochiya...	Lease	29th ditto ditto.
Mangal Chand of Hatishahar	Isan Chandra Barma of Chandanpora ...	Sale	23rd Karthik ditto.
Tafazzah Ali, &c., of Sadhanpur	Colonel Edward Money	Kabuliyat	13th August 1867.
Wahid Ali of Raychhata	Ram Tanu Ray, &c., of Paraikora .	ditto	28th Sravan 1229 M.E.
Ranshan Ali, &c., of Raychhata	Ram Tanu Ray, &c., of Paraikora . .	ditto	28th Sravan ditto.
Magan Ali, &c., of ditto ...	Ditto ditto	ditto	29th ditto ditto.
Mrityun Jaya, &c., of Juhidandi	Ditto ditto .	ditto	ditto ditto.
Hari of ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
Tarini Charan Poddar, &c.	Banu Baruya, &c., of Rupnagar	Lease	28th Magh 1228 M.E.
Sita Nath Baruya	Ismut Ullah of Bailgaon ...	ditto	30th Sravan 1229 M.E.
Ditto ditto	Magan Ali of ditto	ditto	16th Bhadra ditto.
Abdullah of Katalganj... ...	Muhammad Bashir Ullah, &c., of Paragalpur.	Mortgage .	17th Falgun 1228 M.E.
Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto ditto ...	ditto .	ditto ditto.
Mubarak Ali of Babu Nagar	Bacir Muhammad of Rosangiri	Lease .	7th Chaitra 1229 M.E.
Ram Gati Nadi of Baharpur...	Ram Sundar Baraj of Rahmut Nagar ...	Sale .	2nd Magh ditto.
Wazir Ali, &c., of Panchlais	Muhammad Hamid Ullah of Panchlais ...	Kabuliyat .	10th Chaitra ditto.
Nur-ud Din	Anyad Ali of Bandar	Lease	29th Paush ditto.
Raj Chandra Das, &c.	Qamar Ali of Bakahya	ditto	13th Chaitra ditto.
Nil Kamal Das, &c.	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
Sadaq Ali, &c., of Jahanabad	Golok Chandra Datta, &c., of Banipur *alias* Dengapara.	Kabuliyat	22nd Jaista 1273 B.E.
Ram Kanta De, &c., of Dewanpur	Kailasi of Dewanpur	Lease ..	17th Jaista 1228 M E.
Ahsan Ali of Haruyalchhari	Ram Jaya Chowdhuri of Sikarpur... ...	Kabuliyat ..	13th Chaitra ditto.
Pitambar Datta	Budha Ghazi, &c., of Pomara	Lease .	3rd Falgun ditto.
Khatun-un Nessa, &c., of Muhammadabad	Mahomed Asham, &c., of Muhammadabad	ditto .	18th Asvin ditto.
Nil Kamal Das, &c., of Dhalghat	Hamid Ullah of Bakaliya	ditto .	15th Chaitra ditto.
Yusuf Ali, &c., of Shaha Nagar	Madhu Sudhan Updhya of Battali... ...	Kabuliyat .	19th Magh ditto.
Nanda Kishor Sen of Sivpur	Muhsan Ali of Said Ganipur	Lease .	30th Ashar ditto.
Krisna Kinkar, &c., of Attar Samura ...	Dukhi Ram, &c., of Sakpura	ditto .	22th Magh ditto.
Abdul Ali	Magan Ali of Bamandenga	ditto .	29th Agrahayan ditto.
Karam Ali, &c., of Sulukbahar	Jan Ali, &c., of Solashahar ...	ditto	11th Ashar ditto.
Acghar Ali of Rahmat Nagar	Cadar Ali, &c., of Maha Nanda	Kabuliyat ...	23rd Asvin ditto.
Jan Muhammad of Nanaknagar	Miyan Jan of Nanak Nagar ...	ditto ...	19th ditto ditto.
Miyan Jan of ditto	Jan Muhammad of ditto ...	Lease ...	ditto ditto.
Ditto ditto	Qamar Ali, &c., of ditto ...	ditto ...	20th ditto ditto.
Mubarak Ali, &c., of Kesadpore	Nil Kamal Datta of Bidagram	Kabuliyat ...	21st ditto ditto.
Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
Wazir Ali of Yakup Nagar	Jamal Bibi of Yakup Nagar...	Gift ...	29th ditto ditto.
Ram Kanta De, &c., of Nehalpur .	Akam-uddin, &c., of Pomara	Lease ...	13th Chaitra ditto.
Acmat Ali, &c., of Babu Nagar .	Tahi Ram Pal, &c., of Dhurung	Kabuliyat ...	28th Ashar ditto.
Siv Charan De of Mirzapur ...	Ram Gati De, &c., of Mirzapur	Lease ...	5th Sravan ditto.
Lakhmi Kanta, &c.	Ram Das, &c., of Kacuyai ...	ditto ...	6th Bhadra ditto.
Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	ditto . .	ditto ditto.
Udaya Tara	Ram Das, &c., of ditto	ditto ..	19th Sravan ditto.
Safar Ali of Panchlais...	Muhammad Hamid Ullah of Panchlais	Kabuliyat ...	24th Ashar ditto.
Ram Lochan of Kata	Akbar Ali of Burumchara	Lease ...	21st Jaista ditto.
Ditto ditto	Ain-uddin of Paschimchal	Ditto	27th ditto ditto.
Bhairav Chandra Sarma of Abdullahpur	Shamshar Ali, &c., of Fateh Nagar	Ditto	11th Chaitra ditto.
Fateh Ali of Burirchur	Ahmad Ali of Ranjan	Kabuliyat	1st Ashar ditto.
Zinnat Ali, &c.	Acmat Ali of Gamdandi	Lease	26th Bhadra ditto.
Muhammad Sana, &c., of Silimpur ...	Ram Dhan of Silimpur	ditto	23rd Asvin ditto.
Malek-un Nessa, &c., of Chandgaon ..	Cadar Ali of Kodala	ditto	16th Jaista 1229 M.E.
Acghar Ali	Haidar Ali of Madarsa	ditto	29th Magh 1228 M.E.
Patan, &c.	Kasim Ali of Silak	ditto	6th Bhadra ditto.
Aziz Ullah, &c.	Karam Ali, &c., of Paschimchal ...	ditto	13th Sravan ditto.
Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto ...	ditto .	ditto ditto.
Waiz-uddin	Ram Sundar of	ditto .	6th Falgun ditto.
Budha Ghazi, &c., of Pomara	Pitambar Datta	Kabuliyat .	3rd ditto ditto.
Chandi Charan of Fateh Nagar	Safar Ali of Madarsa	Mortgage .	9th ditto ditto.
Data Ram Dhar, &c.	Haidar Ali of Kutubnagar	Lease .	15th Bhadra ditto.
Ditto ditto	Jamal Khan of ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
Kula Chandra De of Kadhurkhil	Jura Mani Sen of Kadhurkhil	Sale	28th Kartik ditto.
Isan Chandra, &c. ...	Ahmad Ali of Andarkilla	Lease	25th Sravan ditto.
Mahamod Azim of Maghadiya	Daun Ghazi, &c., of Maghadiya ...	ditto	23rd Agrahayan ditto.
Karam Ali of Solchandandi ...	Izahat Ullah of Muhammadpur ...	Kabuliyat	19th Ashar 1229 M.E.
Acghar Ali, &c., of Alampur...	Pran Kishor, &c., of Saroyatali ...	ditto	28th Chaitra 1228 M.E.
Haidar Ali of Mohammadpur	Ditto ditto ...	ditto .	21st ditto ditto.
Alim Ullah of Kharandip ...	Jan Ali, &c., of Baraipara	Lease .	15th ditto ditto.
Tamiz-uddin Ahmad... ...	Nur Ali of Raja Nagar	ditto .	12th Baisak 1229 M.E.
Purna of Mirarkhil	Pran Kishori of Saroyatali	Kabuliyat	19th Chaitra 1228 M.E.
Har Chandra Sen, &c., of Nayapara	Ram Dayal of Nayapara	Mortgage	28th ditto ditto.
Kamar Ali of Bakaliya	Wazir Ali of Dhalai	Lease	27th Ashar 1229 M.E.
Muhammad Akmat of Fateyabad ...	Kailas Chandra, &c., of Fateyabad	Kabuliyat .	4th Agrahayan 1228 M.E.

CHITTAGONG, *the 18th September* 1878.

KRISTO HURRY BOSE, *Spl. Sub-Registrar, for Registrar.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the following documents, which were neither registered nor accepted for registration, and which are at present lying unclaimed at the Chittagong Sudder Sub-Registry Office, will be destroyed under orders of the Inspector-General of Registration, unless their delivery is taken on or before the 28th of the next month.

Serial number.	Name of executant.	Name of claimant.	Nature of document.	Date of execution.
1	Ramkinkar De of Charti	Lal Chand Chowdhuri of	Kabuliyat	22nd Baisack 1228 M. E.
2	Ramdoyal Surma and others, of Suryabil and Kanchan Nagar.	Chandi Charan and others of Botagi ...	Pottah	23rd Jaista ditto.
3	Dhurjoti Roy of Guzora *alias* Noyapara ...	Bisvamvar Purohit and others of Guzora...	ditto	17th Chaitra ditto.
4	Ditto ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto ditto ...	ditto	ditto ditto.
5	Abdool Hamid Chowdhri of Bil	Amzad Ali of Ichakhali	ditto	13th Falgun ditto.
6	Har Chandra Chowdhri of Noyapara ...	Ramdoyal Chackravarti of Noyapara ...	Kabuliyat ...	28th Chaitra ditto.
7	Fiza Ghazi and others of Jahanabad ...	Ram Sundar Datta of Banipur *alias* Dengapara.	ditto	22nd Joista ditto.
8	Alimuddin of Hinguli	Fattah Ali Chowdhuri of Khaiyachhara ...	ditto	5th Falgun ditto.
9	Fateh Ali of Khaiya Chara	Alimuddin of Hinguli	Pottah	ditto ditto.
10	Ahmad Ali of Bariya Khali	Camad Ali and others of	Agreement ...	20th January 1867.
11	Ditto ditto	Kala Ghazi and others of	ditto	ditto ditto.
12	Dinadayal Aich of	Ramdayal Mazumdar of Bidurabad ...	Pottah	3rd Baisack 1274B.
13	Ramdoyal Majumadar of Bidurabad ...	Dinadayal Aich of	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
14	Mutinuyan of Whaidpur	Amjad Ali and others of Wahidpur ...	Pottah	2nd Asvin 1228 M. E.
15	Mahomed Azim of Khaiyachhara	Cadar Ali of Maghaddiya	ditto	3rd Agrahayan ditto.
16	Mahomed Wacil of Kattachhara	Akram Ali of Kattachhara	ditto	25th Paush ditto.
17	Mahomed Yasin of ditto	Abas Ali of ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
18	Afazuddin and others of Amilais	Chandi Charan Chowdhuri of Amilais ...	Mortgage	16th Magh ditto.
19	Padma Lochun of Mabarak Ghona ...	Ramdulal of Mabarak Ghona	Pottah	Not ditto.
20	Ramdulal of ditto	Padma Lochan of ditto	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
21	Bhairav Chandra Karmakar and others of Dhum.	Mahomed Wasi and others of Dhum ...	Pottah	29th Agrahayan ditto.
22	Mahomed Waci of Dhum	Bhairav Chundra and others of Dhum ...	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
23	Anti Ghazi of Dhum	.....	ditto	2nd Falgun 1228.
24	Bhairav Chandra Karmakar of Dhum ...	Anti Ghazi of	Pottah	ditto ditto.
25	Mahomed Wali of Durgapur	Mahomed Saiad of Durgapur	ditto	11th Falgun 1228 M. E.
26	Ziyabad Ali of Ichakhali	Chowdhuri Gazi and others of Ichakhali ..	Kabuliyat	29th Magh ditto.
27	Chowdhri Gazi and others of Ichakhali ...	Ziyabad Ali of Ichakhali	Pottah	ditto ditto.
28	Rajkrishna Saha of Shahebpur	Munshi Dhan Gazi of Baskhali	ditto	12th Asvin ditto.
29	Munshi Dhan Ghazi of Baskhali ...	Rajkrishna Shaha of Sahebpur	Kabuliyat ...	ditto ditto.
30	Amud Ali of	Ramkanta Roy of	ditto	27th Paush ditto.
31	Ramkanta Chowdhuri of	Amud Ali of	Pottah	ditto ditto.
32	Doulat of Sikarpur	Alimuddin of Sikarpur	Kabuliyat	29th Magh ditto.
33	Mahomed Fela Mirzi and others of Baman Sundar.	Shaikh Wazir Ali Bhiniyan Bamun Sundar.	ditto	20th Asar ditto.
34	Mahomed Nagi of Knais	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
	Ditto ditto	Jan Ali of Mohara	ditto	30th ditto.
35	Kali Das Mandal of Ichakhali	Ziyabat Ali Bhinya of Ichakhali	ditto	26th Falgun ditto.
36	Ziyabat Ali of Ichakhali	Kali Das Mandal of Ichakhali	Pottah	ditto ditto.
37	Ramdoyal Acharyya of Durgapur	Dharma Das Chackravarti of Gariais ...	Kabuliyat	3rd Chaitra ditto.
38	Noyan Sardar and others of Sikarpur ...	Alimuddin and others of Sikarpur... ...	Pottah	24th Paush ditto.
39	Amzad Ali of Hinguli	Hasan Ali and others of	Kabuliyat	17th ditto ditto.
40	Hasan Ali and others of	Amjad Ali of Hinguli	Pottah	ditto ditto.
41	Haidar Ali of Town Patharghata ...	Srimati Ghul Jan of Mahira	Talaknama ...	30th Agrahayan ditto.
42	Nayan Sardar of Sikarpur	Ahmud of Sikarpur	Pottah	24th Paush ditto.
43	Muhammad Husain and others of Sikarpur	Sambhu Ram Sardar of Sikarpur	Kabuliyat	29th Magh ditto.
44	Zinnat Ali and others of Mithanala ...	Jan Miyan and others of Mithanala ...	ditto	5th Paush ditto.
45	Jan Ali and others of ditto	Zinnat Ali and others of ditto ...	Pottah	ditto ditto.
46	Alimuddin and others of Sikarpur ...	Nayan Sardar and others of Sikarpur ...	Kabuliyat	24th ditto ditto.
47	Ditto ditto ditto	Ditto ditto ditto ...	ditto	ditto ditto.
48	Manahar Ali of Patakota	Radha Kanta of Sahebpur	Pottah	17th Asvin ditto.
49	Faizaluddin of	Muhammad Sona Mohari and others of Taiyamanloya.	Mortgage	15th Kartik ditto.
50	Ram Jan Ali of Bamansondar	Tinu Ram Sil and others of Bariyakhali...	Pottah	12th Falgun ditto.
51	Sambhu Ram of Sikarpur	Muhammad Husain and others of Sikarpur.	ditto	29th Magh ditto.
52	Gour Chandra of Mochhajidya	Yusuf Ali of Baliyadi	ditto	23rd Paush ditto.
53	Aptabuddin of Patakota	Jan Ali of Patakota	ditto	7th ditto ditto.
54	Zinnat Ali of Baskhali	Cadar Ali of Ichakhali...	ditto	26th Agrahayan ditto.
55	Kalidas De of Khaiyachhara	Golak Chandra Dhupi of Khaiyachhra ...	ditto	21st Kartik ditto.
56	Qamar Ali of Baskhali	Miyan Jan of Baskhali	ditto	5th Chaitra ditto.
57	Ramijuddin of Ichakhali	Tamizuddin of Ichakhali	ditto	27th Sravan ditto.
58	Muhammad Qasif Mubarik Ghona ...	Nazumuddin and others of Mubarik Ghona.	ditto	10th Chaitra ditto.
59	Alim Unnessa of Azamnaggar	Munshi Minnat Ali of Kata Mubarik Ghona.	ditto	26th Kartik ditto.
60	Abdul Satar of Kattachhara	Mancur Ali of Mayani	ditto	16th Chaitra ditto.
61	Ramratan Sarma of Mayani	Mubarak Ali of ditto	ditto	2nd Paush ditto.
62	Padma Lochan of Mubarik Ghona ...	Miyan Jan Bhuniya of Mubarik Ghona ...	ditto	16th Chaitra ditto.
63	Ditto ditto	Muhammad Alim of Muharik Ghona ...	ditto ...	9th ditto ditto.
64	Padma Lochan of Mubarik Ghona ..	Amjad Ali of Mubarik Ghona	ditto	10th ditto ditto.
65	Munshi and others of	Amad Ali and others of Charkeli	ditto	19th ditto ditto.
66	Dharma Das Sarma of Goriais	Ram Dayal Acharyya of Durgapur ...	ditto	3rd ditto ditto.
67	Kala Chand Chowdhuri of Sarta	Abdul Ali and others of Kala Bariya and Lalaknagar.	ditto	24th Agrahayan ditto.
68	Naziruddin of Mahamadabad	Raj Kisor Mandal of Muhamadabad ...	ditto	28th Paush ditto.
69	Khatunnessa Chowdhurani and others of Muhamadabad.	Wazuddin of Basbariya	ditto	19th Magh ditto.
70	Shaik Muhammad Bhelu of Mahadebpur	Camad Ali of Khilkedar	ditto	28th ditto ditto.
71	Badiur Rahman of	ditto ditto	ditto	7th Paush ditto.
72	Tamizuddin and others of Ichakhali ...	Muhamud Hanip of Ichakhali ...	ditto	21st Falgun ditto.
73	Anwar Ali of	Amad Ali and others of Bariyakhali	ditto	8th ditto ditto.
74	Kala Chand Chowdhuri of Sarta	Abdul Ali of Lalaknagar	ditto	24th Agrahayan ditto.
75	Shaikh Bhelu of Mahadebpur	Alimuddin and others of Khilkedar	ditto	23rd ditto ditto.
76	Kula Chandra Sardar of Sikarpur ...	Ahmuddin and others of Sikarpur ...	ditto	24th Paush ditto.
77	Ditto ditto ditto	ditto ditto ditto	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
78	Nayansa of Sikarpur	ditto ditto ditto	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
79	Abdul Nabi and others of Duara ...	Asad Majhi of Mayani	ditto ...	19th Agrahayan ditto.
80	Ditto ditto ditto	ditto ditto	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
81	Aptabuddin of Patakota	Radha Kanto Chakravarti of Sahebpur ...	ditto ...	16th Asvin ditto.
82	Tinu Ram Sil of Bariyakhali	Ramzan Ali of Bamansondar	Kabuliyat ...	12th Falgun ditto.
83	Tufan Ali and others of Baskhali	Munshi Qamar Ali and others of Baskhali	ditto .	13th Magh ditto.
84	Alimuddin and others of Sikarpur ..	Kula Chandra Sardar of Sikarpur	ditto ...	24th Paush ditto.
85	Ditto ditto ditto	Naya Sardar and others of ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
86	Ditto ditto ditto	Ram Sundar Sardar of ditto ...	ditto	ditto ditto.
87	Ditto ditto ditto	Kula Chandra of ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
88	Cadar Ali of Ichakhali	Zinnat Ali of Baskhali	ditto .	26th Agrahayan ditto.
89	Alimuddin of	Ram Hari Mandal of Baskali ...	Kabuliyat .	20th Sravan ditto.
90	Mohamed Hanif of Idkhali	Tomizuddin and others of Ichakhali	ditto .	21st Kartik ditto.
91	Golok Chundra and others of Khaiyachhara	Kali Das De of Khaiyachhara ...	ditto .	ditto ditto.
92	Miyan Jan of Baskhali	Qamar Ali of Baskhali	ditto .	5th Jaista ditto.
93	Naimuddin and others of Mubarik Ghona	Mahamed Wasi of Mubarik Ghona .	ditto .	19th Chaitra ditto.
94	Minnatullah of Kalamubarik Ghona ...	Srimati Alimunissa of Azamnagar ..	ditto .	26th Kartik ditto.
95	Muhammad Saiad of Durgapur	Muhammad Wali of Durgapur	ditto	11th Falgun ditto.
96	Mancur Ali of Maiyani	Abdul Satar of Katachhara	ditto	16th Chaitra ditto.
97	Mubarik Ali of Mayani	Ramratna Chakravarti of Mayani ..	ditto	2nd Paush ditto.
	Miyan Jan of Mubarik Ghona	Padma Lochan of Mubarik Ghona..	ditto	16th Chaitra ditto.
	Muhammad Azim of ditto	ditto ditto ..	ditto	9th ditto ditto.
100	Amjad Ali of Mubarik Ghona	ditto ditto ..	ditto	10th ditto ditto.

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101	Hashmat Ali and others of Fatehnagar *alias* Nadimpur.	Muhammad Wali and others of Dalainagar.	Pottah	30th Falgun 1228 M.E.
102	Muhammad Wali and others of Dalainagar	Mancuf Ali and others of Fatehnagar ...	Kabuliyat	ditto ditto.
103	Wazuddin of Muhammadabad *alias* Basbariya.	Latifa Khatun and others Muhammadabad	ditto	10th Magh ditto.
104	Ahmad Ali and others of Bariakhali ...	Anwar Ali Chowdhuri of	ditto	8th Falgun ditto.
105	Abdul Ali and others of Lalaknagar and Kalabariya.	Kala Chand Chowdhuri of Sarta	ditto	24th Agrahayan ditto.
106	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
107	Chand Miyan of Suyabil	Yusuf Ali Chowdhuri of Sahabnagar ...	ditto	13th Magh ditto.
108	Bakhtor Ali and others of Hinguli... ...	Afazuddin of	ditto	21st Paush ditto.
109	Asad Maghi of Mayani	Abdul Nabi of Duyaru	ditto	19th Agrahayan ditto.
110	Ditto ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
111	Radhakanta of Shahebpur	Aptabuddin of Patakota	ditto	10th Asvin ditto.
112	Tamizuddin of Ichakali	Ramizuddin and others of Ichakhali ...	ditto	27th Agrahayan ditto.
113	Ramkinkar Das of Chhatakamaldoha ...	Ram Gati Baras of Chikandandi	Sale	24th Magh 1273 B.
114	Kasi Nath Karmakar and others of ...	Amjad Ali of Hinguli	Pottah	16th Paus 1228 M.E.
115	Kasi Nath of Satakara	Hasan Ali and others of Hinguli	ditto	ditto ditto.
116	Juramani Sarma of	Muhammad Hari of Kadhurkhil	ditto	22nd Magh ditto.
117	Baqar Ali and others of Sonaichhari ...	Darbesh Ali of Sonaichari	Kabuliyat	3rd Paush ditto.
118	Qasim of Gasbariya	Niyamat Ullah of Gasbaria	ditto	2nd Agrahayan ditto.
119	Aman Ali of Gasbariya	ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto
120	Cadaq Ali of ditto	ditto ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
121	Badaruzzama Chowdhuri of Silimpur ...	Muqbul Ali and others of Kathali... ...	Pottah	23rd Paush ditto.
122	Shamad Ali of	Munaf Ali of Bailtali	ditto	28th Bhadra ditto.
123	Chandi Charan *alias* Chandi Sondar and others of Silimpur.	Tapasya Ram and others of Silimpur ...	Agreement ...	23rd Paush ditto.
124	Muhammad Munshi of Idilpur	Uma Charan Chowdhuri of Basbariya ...	Kabuliyat	2nd Falgun ditto.
125	Cafar Ali and others of Bhatiyari	Ghulam Satar of Bhatiyari	Pottah	21st ditto ditto.
126	Munshi Ghazi *alias* Mohamed Munshi of Idilpur.	Uma Charan Chowdhuri of Basbariya ...	Kabuliyat	2nd ditto ditto.
127	Ram Gati Kulal of Idilpur	ditto ditto ...	ditto	ditto ditto.
128	Arban Ali and others of Sonaichhari ...	Darbesh Ali and others of Sonaichhari ...	ditto	3rd Paush ditto.
129	Shaik Darbesh Ali and others of ditto ...	Arman Ali and others of ditto	Pottah	ditto ditto.
130	Ditto ditto	Acmat Ali and others of Ghoramara ...	ditto	19th Asvin ditto
131	Acmat Ali and others of Ghoramara ..	Darbesh Ali and others of Sonaichhari ...	Kabuliyat	19th Asvin 1228 M.E
132	Darbesh Ali and others of Sonaichhari ...	Baqar Ali and others of ditto ...	Pottah	3rd Paush ditto.
133	Badiurzzamah of Basbariya	Abdul and others of Akilpur	ditto	8th Kartik ditto.
134	Abdul and others of Akilpur	Badiurzzamah and others of Basbariya ...	Kabuliyat	ditto. ditto.
135	Miyan Jan and others of Sonaichhari ...	Darbesh Ali and others of Sonaichhari ..	ditto	3rd Paush ditto.
136	Darbesh Ali and others of Sonaichhari ...	Miyan Jan and others of Sonaichhari ...	Pottah	ditto ditto.
137	Mufizullah Choudhuri of Silimpur ...	Jagobandhu Ghosh of Silimpur	ditto	18th Bhadra ditto.
138	Muhammad Azim and others of Basbariya.	Cabedar Rahman of Kumira	Kabuliyat	25th Falgun ditto.
139	Camad Ali of Bhatiyari	Yusaf Ali and others of Bhatiyari .. .	ditto	19th Paush ditto.
140	Yusaf Ali and others of	Camad Ali of Bhatiyari	ditto	ditto ditto.
141	Dhananjoy and others of	Khrishna Charan De of Kathali	Pottah	18th Sravan ditto.
142	Muhammad Nasarullah of	Masu Zamadar of Silimpur	Kabuliyat	3rd ditto ditto.
143	Ditto	Muhammad Masu of Silimpur	Pottah . .	ditto ditto.
144	Ludha and others of Sadhanpur	Not mentioned	ditto	13th August 1867.
145	Shamsher Ali Sarang of Tulatoli	Dewan Ali Maghi and others of Bhatiyari	Sale	13th Paush 1228 M.E.
146	Muhabbat Ali of Kattali	Munshi Mangal Khan of Rampur	Kabuliyat	6th Bhadra ditto.
147	Dataram Sardar of Barkhain	Ramdas Bhattacharrya and others of Chhanara.	ditto	25th ditto ditto.
148	Srimati Ganga of Barkhain	ditto ditto ...	ditto	ditto ditto.
149	Ramkanta and others of Safinagar ...	Alakathakurani of	ditto	29th Agrahayan ditto.
150	Cadaq Ali and others of Dholi	ditto	ditto	5th Paush ditto.
151	Wasimuddin of	Ram Kanai De of Jasmanpur	Pottah	6th Falgun ditto.
152	Minnat Ali and others of Satbariya ...	Abdul Jabbar and others of Satkariya ...	Release	4th Agrahayan ditto.
153	Cadaq Ali and others of Satbariya ...	ditto ditto ...	ditto	15th Asvin ditto.
154	Maghi, signature Chhatao *alias* Madhu Choudhuri of Kanchannagar.	Ancar Ali of Kanchannagar	Pottah	19th Chaitra ditto.
155	Bhairav Chandra and others of Abdullapur.	Krishna Magal of Dobuya	Kabuliyat	22nd Sravan ditto.
156	Chhatao *alias* Madhu of Kanchannagar.	Ancar Ali of Kanchannagar	Pottah	19th Chaitra ditto.
157	Fateh Ali of Alampur	Tufan Ali and others of Alampur	ditto	13th Kartik ditto.
158	Jan Ali of Allampur	Chand Miyan of Alampur	Sale	11th Agrahayan ditto.
159	Ram Sundar and others of Sarayatoli ...	Ram Kanta Mahajan of Saroyatoli.	Agreement ...	9th Falgun ditto.
160	Rasik Chandra De and others of Dewannagar.	Muhammad Hashin of Chandrapur ...	Pottah	16th Kartik ditto.
161	Abdul Wahib of Baktapur	Muhammad Jabbar and others of Baktapur.	Kabuliyat	19th Falgun ditto.
162	Ram Lochan and others of Gohira	Magan Das of Gohira	Pottah	21st Kartik ditto.
163	Gour Sundar and others of Sakpura ...	Fateh Ali and others of Kadhurkhil ...	ditto	9th Asvin ditto.
164	Ram Sevok Choudhuri of Mekhal	Mir Husain of Mekhal	ditto	16th ditto ditto.
165	Sarach Chandra De of ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
166	Arbon Ali of Silimpur	Abduc Camad of Pothantuli...	ditto	16th Agrahayan ditto.
167	Baidya Nath of Dewannagar	Waci Miyan of Jafarabad	Kabuliyat	24th Asvin ditto.
168	Ahmad Ali and others of Gomdandi ...	Shaik Amir Muhammad Subadar and others of Gomdandi.	ditto	16th Baisak ditto.
169	Ram Kanai of Sivpur	Ram Kisor Nath and others of Said Ganipur.	Sale	19th Kartik 1283 M.E.
170	Kali Kinkar of Guyatoli	Jagatjibon Guha and others of Mirzapur.	Release	22nd August 1866.
171	Ainullah Shodagar and others of Saraipara and Magatuli.	Siv Prasad of	Kabuliyat	4th Agrahayan 1228 M.E.
172	Bhavani Charan Ghose of ...	Miyan Jan Sarip of Perala	Pottah	12th Kartik 1228 M. E.
173	Shaikh Gullu Miyan and others of ...	Gopi Mohan Mujumdar of Kallali	ditto	22nd ditto ditto.
174	Ram Sundar Poddar of Ranjan	Hamidullah of	Kabuliyat	19th Asvin ditto.
175	Kasi Chandra Das of Sadhanpur	Ahmad Ali and others of Dongra	Pottah	19th Kartik ditto.
176	Molokannissa of Chandgaon and Panchlais	Bande Ali of Sholashahar	ditto	22nd Magh ditto.
177	Srimati Tripura Sundari of Sripur	Nityananda Basu and others of Sripur ...	Sale	24th Agrahayan ditto.
178	Ramjan Ali and others of Suyabil	Yusuf Ali Chowdhuri of Shahanagar ...	Kabuliyat	23rd Poush ditto.
179	Alimuddin of Akupdandi	Sital Charan Chowdhuri of ...	ditto	22nd ditto ditto.
180	Samad Ali and others of	Yusuf Ali and others of Ghatiyadenga ...	Pottah	3rd Agrahayan ditto.
181	Meher Ali of Sarayatali	Nilkamal Datta and others of Bidagram...	Kabuliyat	22nd Kartik ditto.
182	Muhabbat Ali and others of Dewang ...	Jafar Ali of Uttar Dewang	Pottah	18th Falgun ditto.
183	Hashmat Ali and others of Dewannagar ..	Ram Kanta Mandal and others of Dewanagar.	ditto	4th ditto ditto.
184	Ban Ghazi of	Ram Kanta and others of ...	ditto	19th Sravan ditto.
185	Ditto	Ramdhan and others of Mariyamnagar ...	ditto	12th ditto ditto.
186	Barkat Ali and others of Illahabad ...	Zinnat Ali of Illahabad	Mortgage	15th Paush ditto.
187	Mananda Nandi and others of ...	Hasan Ali of Rahallapur	Pottah	15th Kartik ditto.
188	Giris Chandra Nandi of Sultanpur ...	Muhammad Ali of Sahanagar	ditto	15th ditto ditto.
189	Golok Chandra Baras and others of Kulgaon.	Yar Ali Chowdhuri of	Kabuliyat	10th ditto ditto.
190	Durga Ram Kanungoi of Kharana ...	Kailas Chandra and others of Bhursi . .	ditto	24th ditto ditto.
191	Ram Dayal Kulal of ditto	Ditto ditto ...	ditto	24th ditto ditto.
192	Bisvambhar Kulal of ditto	Kailas Chandra Datta and others of Bhursi	ditto	24th ditto ditto.
193	Bande Ali and others of ditto	Ditto ditto ...	ditto	26th ditto ditto.
194	Mubarik Ali of Babunagar	Bacir Muhammad of Roshangiri	Pottah	7th Chaitra ditto.
195	Mutlur Rahman and others of Baktapur	Acghar Ali and others of Baktapur ...	ditto	24th Paush ditto.
196	Muqbul Ali and others of Kattali	Badaizzama and others of Silimpur ...	Kabuliyat	23rd ditto ditto.
197	Ram Saran and others of	Haidar Ali of Alinagar	Pottah	5th Magh ditto.
198	Sarach Chandra De of Mekhal	Mulovi Mir Husain of Mekhal	ditto	12th Chaitra ditto.

CHITTAGONG, the 18th September 1878.

KRISTO HURRY BOSE, *Special Sub-Registrar, for Registrar.*

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Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
222	L 92—84209	50	Goorumook Roy Soonder Mull.
225	L 93—61048	50	Messrs. C. Lazarus & Co.
226	O 34—28313	100	Ramkristo Raj Chunder Shaha.
	—28315	100	
	„ —28316	100	
228	O 34—55671	100	Gobindo Chunder Mukerjee.
	L 93—52007	50	
229	O 33—95910	100	Issur Chunder Ghose.
	O 5—87282	10	
	L 76—34319	10	
	O 17—32454	10	
	O 16—62580	10	
	L 98—71503	10	
	O 11—49361	10	
	„ —95954	10	
231	O 23—32333	20	Surbessur Dutt.
	L 31—02785	5	
232	L 93—66140	50	D. F. Mackenzie.
	—66141	50	
	—65384	50	
	—65385	50	
	—65386	50	
233	O 15—20735	10	The Deputy Post Master General, Behar.
234	O 33—57219	100	Major-Genl. J. A. Angus.
236	L 24—41455	5	The Assistant Inspector-General, Government Railway Police, L. P., Howrah.
	L 30—10885	5	
	„ —23561	5	
	O 13—77367	10	
	O 21—05570	20	
237	O 22—69837	20	The Post-Master General, N.-W. Provinces.
238	O 33—49654	100	The Deputy Commissioner, Shillong.
	O 34—15206	100	
	L 94—75417	100	
	„ —17781	100	
	O 33—89176	100	
	L 84—57392	100	
	O 33—45287	100	
	„ —89178	100	
	L 83—55572	100	
239	L 93—55104	50	Rev. W. Nowack.
	„ —55105	50	
241	O 23—71351	20	Rajendra Nath Biswas.
	O 16—50675	10	
244	O 40—02204 to —02213	10 each	Tarapada Bhattacharjee.
246	L 93—64930	50	Shaik Goorad.
247	L 93—59796	50	The Sub-Inspector of Shanuggur, Azimgunge.
250	O 29—50807	1000	Messrs. Schroder, Smidt and Co.
252	O 27—23295	500	Sreedhur Narain.
253	O 15—45902	10	The Officiating Post-Master General, Bengal.
	O 17—76531	10	
	L 42—92615	10	
	O 12—01394	10	
	O 11—36412	10	
	L 31—19937	5	
	—22485	5	
254	L 93—61743	50	Bhagoban Chunder Das.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
245	L 82—55736	100	Moonshee Shah Laharee.
246	L 46—13231	20	G. Thompson.
247	L 94—89996	100	Srimuti Surnomoye Dabee.
	„ —51719	100	
	„ —79784	100	
	„ —87982	100	
	„ —79948	100	
248	O 17—61813	10	The Sooba of Towaighar.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
249	L 93—28173	50	Revd. F. Krüger.
	O 23—64465	20	
	O 7—60217 to „ —60236	10 each.	
250	O 4—78739	20	J. H. Prinsep, C.S.
	O 18—36742	10	
251	O 1—58435	10	Modhu Sudan Neyogi.
252	L 30—21076	5	Pran Kissen Dey.
253	O 24—08163	20	Messrs. Sree Nauth Paun & Co.
	O 11—34718	10	
254	L 16—27527	5	Preo Nath Mitter.
	„ —27524	5	
255	O 13—18067	10	Hury Das Bysack.
256	O 15—19357	10	J. Burgh.
	O 19—45012	10	
257	O 33—76994	100	Lt.-Col. F. E. A. Chamier.
258	O 17—61832	10	The Post-Master General, N.-W. Provinces.
	„ —61833	10	
	„ —61834	10	
259	L 17—83834	5	Haris Chunder Sarma.
260	L 72—20948	10	Rev. F. Krüger.
261	O 16—65176	10	Amore Chand Das.
262	O 22—24434	20	Head Constable Banee Nath Bose.
263	L 30—90823	5	Allah Rakha Mollah.
264	O 2—96315	20	Kali Shankur Singha
	O 3—27247	20	
	O 6—45566	10	Sergeant J. Quinn.
266	L 78—18192	20	Baney Madhub Mullick.
	O 6—80243	10	
267	L 30—27888	5	T. T. Sowminada Pellai.
268	O 33—31425	100	Ram Chunder Shaha.
269	L 80—71338	20	Moonshi Abdool Kadir.
270	L 97—67272	10	Poorna Chandra Chakravarti.
271	L 76—72374	10	E. P. Allnutt.
272	O 34—44662	100	Messrs Nathonee Lal and Gopaul Chand.
75	L 11—73803	5	Roop Lal Roghoonath Das.
	„ —73804		
146	L 27—17676	5	Baney Pershad.
	„ —17675		
149	L 27—65778	5	Messrs. Aubinash Chunder Dey & Co.
	D 12—06138		
150	L 39—29333	10	Grish Chunder Chatterjée.
	„ —29332		
	L 11—24135	5	
	„ —24129		
151	L 31—14247	5	The Post Master, Dacca.
	„ —14248		
152	O 10—87246	10	Jadub Chunder Mitter.
	„ —87249		
153	L 88—70754	10	Shaik Hajeetoolah.
	„ —70749		
154	L 17—78986	5	Hurro Mohan Bhurjoo.
	„ —78985		
155	L 26—36297	5	Chundi Churn Halder.
	—36295		
156	O 10—53683	10	Lt.-Col. Winson, S.C.
	„ —53682		
157	O 16—85468	10	Gobind Chunder Banerjee.
	O 13—86968		
159	L 25—75056	5	Jogodis Chunder Bysack.
	„ —75055		
160	L 62—10389	10	Hridoya Krisna Ghose.
	„ —10391		
161	L 46—72393	20	Mathoora Nath Roy Chowdhury.
	„ —36947		
162	L 9—88026	5	J. A. Thompson.
	„ —61912		

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 28th September 1878.

Notice.

THE Public are hereby informed that the well known Kartick Baruni Mela, which is held on the banks of the Dhaleshwari, near Munshigunge, in the Dacca district, will commence on the 9th November 1878 A.D., corresponding with the 24th Kartick 1285 B.S., and continue to the 8th December, corresponding with the 23rd Ugrahayan. Tradesmen, dealers, and others may, during this month, buy and sell there with advantage.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Government Cinchona Febrifuge.

AN EFFICIENT SUBSTITUTE FOR QUININE.

PRICE to the general public rupees twenty per pound tin. To Government Officers for Government purposes, and to wholesale purchasers of not less than twenty pounds, rupees sixteen and annas eight per pound. Postage of each tin annas twelve extra. Cash to accompany all orders.

Apply to Superintendent, Botanical Garden, Howrah, near Calcutta.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

The 1st June 1877.

WANTED a Peshkar for the Taherpore and Puthea Estates under the Court of Wards in this district. Experience of the Zemindary Sherista and good knowledge of English are essential. Salary Rs. 80 per mensem. Security in Rs. 500 will be required.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th proximo.

C. VOWELL, *Offg. Collector.*

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE,
The 28th September 1878. (603—1)

Notice.

WANTED four temporary Surveyors from 1st November 1878 to 1st July 1879, on a salary of Rs. 50 each per mensem including travelling. Applications will be received by the undersigned on or before the 20th October 1878. Preference will be given to the candidates who have passed in surveying and possess practical knowledge.

J. KELLEHER, *Chairman,*
Road Cess Committee, Backergunge.

BURISAL, the 28th September 1878. (602—2)

WANTED a District Engineer for the District Road Cess Committee, Julpigoree, on a salary of Rs. 250 per mensem, rising by biennial increment of Rs. 25 to Rs. 300, with travelling allowance of Rs. 3 per diem, for every 24 hours during which the District Engineer is absent from head-quarters at a greater distance than 5 miles from the station on duty. The applicants to have the qualifications of an Assistant Engineer of the Public Works Department. Applications will be received by the Chairman till the 31st proximo, to be accompanied with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned.

A security of Rs. 1,000 only is required.

(597—2) E. G. LILLINGSTON, *Chairman.*

Wanted

BY the District Road Cess Committee of Purneah a District Engineer on a salary of Rs. 500 per mensem. Travelling allowances in accordance with the rules of the Department of Public Works will also be paid. None need apply who do not possess the necessary qualifications of an Executive Engineer of the Public Works Department. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th October 1878.

J. A. HOPKINS, *Chairman,*
District Road Cess Committee.

PURNEAH, the 27th September 1878. (595—3)

THE undermentioned currency notes and gold ornaments, supposed to be stolen property, are lying at the Sub-Divisional Office, Raneegunge, for identification, viz.—

Currency Note No.	L-92—94011	... Rs. 50
	L-91—96614	20
	O-20—80052	20
	O-6— 33417	10
	L-30—69086	5
	L-29—62574	5
	L-30—63113	

One bracelet.
One necklace.

H. SAVAGE,
(599—3) *Joint-Magistrate, Raneegunge.*

Notice

IS hereby given that Government currency notes as follows were stolen from the Residency, Shillong. Any persons to whom the same or any of them may be presented will oblige by communicating with the Deputy Commissioner, Shillong:—

L-94—17781, 8th January 1875	... Rs.	100
O-33—45287, 8th April „	... „	100
O-34—15206, 8th July „	... „	100
O-33—89176, 8th April „	... „	100
O-33—89178, 8th „ „	... „	100
O-94—75417, 8th January „	... „	100
L-84—57392, 4th April 1874	... „	100
L-83—55572, 8th October „	... „	100

JERBON ROY, *Offg. Extra Asst. Commr. in charge*
DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, SHILLONG, the 21st Sept. 1878.

Execution case No. 51 of 1878.

Baboo Nobin Kissen Banerjee, Manager, Court of Wards, for the estate of Ranees Jamuna Kumari and Shubhadra Kumari, decree-holders, *versus* Kuwar Harendra Narayan Singh, judgment-debtor.

IN the above case, the properties mentioned below will be put up to sale, on the 1st day of November 1878, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 5,095-10-6 due to decree-holders. Particulars may be known at the Office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Turruff Narayanpore mai madafath, mouzah Ekpara mai madafath, Koteshall, turruff Shaishabgram mai madafath, these four mehals mai madafath, situate in Pergunnah Kumarprotap, Division Ramporehât, under the Sub-Registrar of the same, entered in the sherista of the decree-holder in the name of Nobokumar Singh as putnidar on an annual jumma of Rs. 3,058-8, at present in possession of the judgment-debtor.

MENU LALL CHATTERJEE, *Subordinate Judge.*

The 23rd September 1878. (605—1)

Execution case No. 46 of 1878.

Messrs. Robert Watson & Co., decree-holders, *versus* Rajkissen Chatterjee, judgment-debtor.

IN the above case, the properties mentioned below will be put up to sale, on the 1st day of November 1878, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 1,970-13-7 due to the decree-holders. Particulars may be known at the Office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Seventeen and a half gundas share of mouzahs Salamathpore, Nowdahpara, Naranarayanpore, Aviramporc, Kalinuggur, Durganuggur, included in turruff Salamathpore; 18 gundas and 3 kurras share of turruff Nowpara; and 17½ gundas share of turruff Begpore, situate in Pergunnah Koolberiah, Division Hareerpara, under the Sub-Registrar of Berhampore, entered in Moorshedabad Collectorate, towjih No. 21, in the name of Naranarayan Chowdhry and others on a sadar jumma of Rs. 1,182-14-11 for the whole share.

Lot No. 2.—One anna 2 gundas 3 kurras 3 deep of mourassi ijara mehal Gouripore Romna, included in the zemindari of the Nawab Nazim of Moorshedabad, and bearing an annual jumma of Rs. 2,525 in the name of Gunga Vishnu Chatterjee.

MENU LALL CHATTERJEE, *Subordinate Judge.*

The 18th September 1878. (606—1)

Execution case No. 89 of 1878.

Benode Behary Trebedi, decree-holder, *versus* Ram Gopal Ghose Sircar, judgment-debtor.

IN the above case, the properties mentioned below will be put up to sale, on the 1st day of November 1878, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 6,735-14-11 due to decree-holder. Particulars may be known at the Office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Turruff Gopalpore, *alias* Tenwa, situate in Division Bhuruthpore, under the Sub-Registrar of Kandee, entered in the zemindari sherista of Janakinath Mukerjee and others in the name of judgment-debtor as putnidar on an annual jumma of Rs. 2,100.

Lot No. 2.—Nayanbatty, situate in Division Bhuruthpore, under the Sub-Registrar of Kandee, entered in the putni sherista of Golam Russool and others in the name of judgment-debtor as durputnidar on an annual jumma of Rs. 215.

Lot No. 3.—Fourteen annas share of Chouk Gupra, situate in Division Bhuruthpore, under the Sub-Registrar of Kandee, entered in the putni sherista of Shibnath Chatterjee in the name of deceased Fakeer Chandra Roy and others as durputnidars in the benamee of judgment-debtor on an annual jumma of Rs. 590.

MENU LALL CHATTERJEE, *Subordinate Judge.*

The 23rd September 1878. (607—1)

Execution case No. 137 of 1878.

Manick Chunder Chakravarty, decree-holder, *versus* Rajbulluv Chowdhoory, judgment-debtor.

IN the above case, the property described below will be put up to sale at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, on the 18th November 1878, for the realization of Rs. 2,459-2-11 due to decree-holder. Particulars may be known at the Office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Eight annas share of Mouzah Nijmoheshpore, situate in Pergunnah Guash, Division Guash, under the Sub-Registrar of Islampore, entered in Moorshedabad Collectorate, towjih No. 389, in the name of Narayani Debya, on a sadar jumma of Rs. 301-7-4.

MENU LALL CHATTERJEE, *Subordinate Judge.*

The 24th September 1878. (608—1)

THE undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as a Vakeel of the Calcutta High Court.

(566—4) APARNA CHARAN DUTT, B.L.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Note No. 086119, of the 4 per cent. of 1st May 1865, for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Toylakha Mohiny Dassy, the proprietress, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above note and the interest thereupon has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietress.

TOYLAKHA MOHINY DASSY,

(585—3) *Amerpore, Zillah Hooghly.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of DWARMANAUTH DEB, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 28th day of September instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 19th day of November next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

M. M. Zorab, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 28th day of September 1878.

IN the matter of GREES CHUNDER ROY, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 28th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 19th day of November next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Norendronauth Sen, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of GREES CHUNDER ROY, of No. 5, in Juggobundoo Burral's Lane, formerly known as No. 6, Machooa Bazar, Paratooly Lane, in Calcutta, and also known as of Gopteeparrah, in the district of Hooghly, who carried on business as a Merchant, Commission Agent, Ship Captains' Banian, Broker and order supplier for some time at No. 170, Radha Bazar, in Calcutta, afterwards at No. 6, Bonfield's Lane, in Calcutta, then of No. 15, China Bazar Lane, in Calcutta, again at No. 14, China Bazar Lane aforesaid, and who has lately been carrying on the said business as aforesaid at No. 10, Jackson's Ghaut Street, in Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic. Chap. XXI was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the twenty-eight day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Norendronauth Sen, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 2nd day of October 1878.

POSTAL NOTICES.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 ,,	5 ,,	
	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
	2-30 P.M.	2 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,,	7-15 ,,	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maidah districts	4 ,,	3-15 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Pubna, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
Ooloobariah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays..	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected.			
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	11-20	3	
Allipore	A.	6-30	11-15	2-50	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	11	2-30	5
Bow Bazar	C.	7	11-40	3-10	5-40
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	11	2-45	5-15
Garden Reach	W.	6	10-50	2-20	5-45
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	11-10	2-40	5-10
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	11-30	3	5-30
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	11-35		
Park Street	P.	6-30	11-25		
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	8-32		
Simla	N. E.	6-30	11-20	2-55	5-25
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	11-20	3-7	5-30
Balinghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.		First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	REMARKS.
		A. M.	P. M.		
* General Post Office		8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. and 2nd.
Baug Bazar	N.	9-	1-15	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla	N. E.	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla	N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Balliaghatta	E.	8-52	1-22	4-12	
Wellesley	S. C.	8-40	1-	4-27	
Park Street	P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Bhowanipore	S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
Kidderpore	S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
Allipore	A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
Garden Reach	W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Sept. 1878.

No. 6499.

CONSEQUENT upon the admission of Peru into the General Postal Union with effect from the 1st October 1878, the rates of postage and conditions appertaining to correspondence with Union Countries served through the United Kingdom will be applicable from the date abovementioned to correspondence with Peru.

The following entry will be substituted for the present entry relating to Peru in the Foreign Post Schedule of the Postal Guide:—

CORRESPONDENCE FOR.	EACH LETTER C. DENOTES COMPULSORY PRE-PAYMENT.		EACH NEWSPAPER.	EACH PACKET.
	Per ½ oz	Registration	Per 4 ozs.	Per 2 ozs.
PERU (SOUTH AMERICA.)	Annas.	Annas	Annas	Annas.
Viâ Brindisi *through United Kingdom*	c 6	4		2½
Viâ Brindisi *through French Office Modane* ...	5	4		1½
Additional route from Aden only by French packet through *Agent on board*				1½

A. M. MONTEATH,

Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

SIMLA, the 26th September 1878.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P.M.	9th Oct.	*Madura.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 „	11th	*Asia.*
Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, and the United States of America.	6 „	12th	From Bombay.
Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo.	6 „	13th	*Madras.*
Persian Gulf	6 „	14th	From Bombay.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 11th October 1878.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 10th October 1878.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 7th October 1878.

FROM Sunday, the 6th October 1878, Mails for Akyab will, until further notice, be closed at the Calcutta General Post Office on every Sunday.

The fortnightly mails for Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Sandaway will, until further notice, be closed at the Calcutta General Post Office on Sunday.

The first Sunday mail will be on Sunday, the 13th October 1878.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*

The 4th October 1878.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post-Office on the 8th October 1878.

Anderson, R. Z. J.
Andrews, H.
Barch, L. S. T.
Bateman, Mrs. C.
Bailey, Henry.
Brodrick, L. St. J.
Briddan, Mrs. H. R.
Burke, Mrs. E. C.
Carvalho, Ignatius.
Durio, J.
D'Cruz, Miss B.
DeSilva, E J.
Doyle, Mrs.
Dunnet, Mrs. E.
Estoap, J.
Fabien, Mrs.
Fisher, W. R.
Fleury, G. H.
Forth, F. H. D.
Gallordi, Miss A.
Gomes, Mrs. Georgiana.
Green, Mrs.
Grierson, W. S.
Guiden, Miss A.
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Entrance	17	6	
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2. General Hospital ...	3,234	9,544	12,778	3,909	16,293	20,292	5,144	20,248	25,392
3. Mayo Hospital and Dispensaries.	2,006	191,759	193,765	2,029	187,661	189,690	2,127	187,903	190,030
4. Campbell Hospital ...	7,782	.....	7,782	6,640	.....	6,640	6,953	.....	6,953
5. Municipal Police Hospital.	2,880	.....	2,880	2,261	.....	2,261	2,859	.....	2,859
Total Calcutta Hospitals ...	20,358	246,677	267,035	19,281	248,633	267,914	22,050	255,657	277,707
6. North Suburban Hospital.	625	.....	625	635	.....	635	732	4,059	4,791
7. Sumbhoonath Pundit Dispensary.	.....	9,907	9,907	.....	6,475	6,475	.....	7,465	7,465
8. Alipore Dispensary ...	119	5,968	6,087	110	4,495	4,605	113	4,188	4,301
9. Aratoon Apcar Dispensary.	.....	9,539	9,539	.....	9,559	9,559	.....	9,508	9,508
10. Howrah General Hospital.	2,245	18,024	20,269	2,340	18,488	20,828	2,463	19,327	21,790
Total Suburban Hospitals ...	2,989	43,438	46,427	3,085	39,017	42,102	3,308	44,547	47,855
Grand Total ...	23,347	290,115	313,462	22,366	287,650	310,016	25,358	300,204	325,562

2. From the increase in the number of patients among the police force, the Surgeon-General infers that the past year was more unhealthy than 1876. There are special reasons for the increased attendance at the General and North Suburban Hospitals. The former is the chief resort for sick sailors, and during the greater part of the year the number of sailors in port was far above the average. The number of European seamen treated in the General Hospital as house patients was nearly a thousand in excess of the number in 1876. The large attendance at the North Suburban Hospital is due to the opening of the out-door department on the 9th March 1877. No explanation is offered of the great increase in the number of patients at the Medical College Hospital as compared with previous years, and the fluctuations at the other hospitals are slight and do not call for special notice.

3. The following statement shows the race and sex of all the persons treated during the past two years :—

Race.	Males.		Females.		Children.		Total.	
	1876.	1877.	1876.	1877.	1876.	1877.	1876.	1877.
Europeans	6,415	8,638	1,414	1,665	1,351	1,739	9,180	12,042
Eurasians	11,044	10,801	7,741	8,211	15,343	15,419	34,128	34,431
Mahomedans	60,112	62,306	14,252	13,799	28,345	31,823	102,709	107,928
Hindoos	106,168	110,596	22,750	23,685	23,914	27,489	152,832	161,770
Other castes	3,465	2,795	2,919	2,438	4,783	4,158	11,167	9,391
Total ...	187,204	195,136	49,076	49,798	73,736	80,628	310,016	325,562

4. It appears from this statement that the general increase in the number of patients noticed above extended to those of every race, except the small body of persons classified under the head 'Other castes.' Of the total number treated, 59·94 per cent. were males, 15·29 per cent. females, and 24·76 per cent. children. The low proportion of females to males among Hindoo and Mahomedan patients noticed and explained in last year's Resolution was this year particularly marked. Although, as compared with 1876, there was an increase of 2,194 in the number of Mahomedan males treated, there was a decrease of 453 in the number of Mahomedan females; the Hindoo adult male patients increased by 4,428, and the children by 3,575; while the Hindoo female patients increased by only 935. From a comparative statement given in the report, it appears that the total proportion of adult female patients to males and children was lower in 1877 than in any of the previous four years.

5. The following table shows the health of the town and suburbs during the past ten years, as exhibited in the hospital returns:—

Years.	All Diseases.			Cholera.			Death-rate, excluding cholera.	Number of deaths registered by the municipality.	Rate per mille of population.
	Treated.	Died.	Died per mille.	Treated.	Died.	Died per mille.			
1868	16,996	3,386	199	1,224	563	461	179	13,736	32
1869	18,035	3,043	169	1,144	558	487	147	12,795	29·8
1870	15,816	2,250	142	605	258	426	131	10,462	24·4
1871	17,325	2,288	132	255	112	439	127	10,299	24
1872	20,805	2,761	132	488	217	484	125	11,923	27·8
1873	18,896	2,706	143	492	264	536	132	11,558	26·9
1874	20,331	3,197	157	666	339	509	145	12,641	29·4
1875	22,806	3,815	167	787	405	515	154	15,069	35
1876*	21,832	3,226	147	740	399	539	134	12,964	30·2
1877*	24,822	3,308	133	574	294	512	124	13,704	31·9

* Exclusive of cases treated in the Eye Infirmary.

6. The death-rate per thousand among those treated was 133, the lowest rate during the past ten years if the exceptionally healthy period, 1871-72, is excluded. Omitting cholera cases, the mortality among the patients was 124 per thousand, a lower rate than in any of the preceding nine years. The number of, and mortality among, patients cannot however, in ordinary years, be regarded as tests of the amount of sickness and the virulence of disease. The popularity of the medical institutions of Calcutta and the suburbs is undoubtedly increasing, and is shown by persons resorting to them at the earlier stages of disease and for less serious ailments. As a necessary consequence, while the number of patients rises the death-rate falls.

7. Dr. Irving calls attention to the facts that the sewage of about 2,500 natives living in the Fort is still discharged into the river, and that cholera far more frequently attacks sailors on ships moored near to and below the place of discharge than those on ships moored higher up the river. The necessity of putting a stop to the existing practice is fully recognised, but difficulties have arisen with regard to the proposal to connect the Fort drains with the municipal sewers, and the question is still under consideration by the Government of India.

8. The statement of the principal diseases from which in-door patients suffered shows a large increase in malarious fevers. There were 6,706 admissions and 483 deaths due to fever of various types as compared with 4,730 admissions and 351 deaths in 1876. In all, 916 important surgical operations were performed during the year against 669 in 1876. The total mortality in 1877 was only 77 or 8·4 per cent. of those operated on, against 74 deaths or 11·06 per cent. in the previous year. The operations on the eye were even more successful in 1877 than in 1876. In each year only one operation ended fatally, but the number of operations was 318 in 1877, against 223 in the previous year. The results of the operations performed by the surgeons of the Calcutta Medical Institutions appear to be most satisfactory.

9. A statement of the income and expenditure of the different institutions is given in the report, but the Surgeon-General explains that it is neither accurate nor complete. The items of expenditure entered appear, however, generally to correspond with those given last year, and the statements for the two years can therefore be compared, although, except for the purpose of comparison, they are at present of little value. The whole subject of the expenditure and management of the Calcutta hospitals has been exhaustively examined by a Committee which has been sitting in Calcutta during the present year. Their report will enable the Government to carry out many reforms and to check the lavish waste which has characterized the expenditure of several of the hospitals in late years. The total amount entered as disbursed during the year was Rs. 5,09,804, against Rs. 5,07,473 in 1876; but in the statement of expenditure for 1877 the cost of European medicines used in the Medical College Hospital has been omitted, although included in the statement for 1876, while an entry under this head is made against the Campbell Hospital in the statement for 1877, though not made in the statement for 1876. In the expenditure of the General Hospital there was an increase of Rs. 37,709 above that of the previous year, and Rs. 33,366 of this increase is classed under the head 'Miscellaneous charges.' Some explanation should have been submitted of the increase in the expenditure under this head which is entirely out of

proportion to the increase in the number of patients treated. The Municipal Police Hospital showed an increase in expenditure approximately proportional to the increase in the number of patients treated, while there was a decrease of expenditure in the Medical College, Campbell, North Suburban and Howrah Hospitals, notwithstanding that the number of patients treated at each of them was greater in 1877 than in 1876. It is a remarkable fact that, though in the Medical College Hospital there were 615 more in-door patients treated than in the previous year, the expenditure on diet and wines was less by Rs. 1,506. The increased expenditure of the Mayo Hospital is almost entirely under the head 'Repairs and construction of buildings,' and the large amount entered in 1876 under the same head against the Sumbhoonath Pundit's Dispensary accounts for the decrease in the expenditure on that institution in the past year. Considering the increase in the number of patients treated at the several institutions, the expenditure of the past year compares on the whole favourably with that of 1876. The Lieutenant-Governor is much surprised at finding that the accounts of the income and expenditure of the different medical institutions have hitherto been furnished in such an extremely incomplete and inaccurate form, as to render any comparison of the expenditure of the different hospitals under each head impossible. The question of the preparation of uniform returns and forms of account for all hospitals is under the consideration of the Committee on medical expenditure, and need not be further referred to here.

10. The subscriptions to the various medical institutions amounted during the year to Rs. 35,075, against Rs. 11,201 in 1876. Subscriptions to the amount of Rs. 26,093 were received for the Howrah Hospital alone in 1877. The only institution that invested any surplus income during the year was the Aratoon Apcar Dispensary.

11. *Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution.*—The Lieutenant-Governor notices with much pleasure the high testimony again borne to the usefulness of the services rendered by the lady nurses of the Canning Home and by the nurses employed under the Calcutta Hospital Nurses' Institution. The Lieutenant-Governor has every hope that the amalgamation of both institutions under one Committee, which has recently taken place, will be conducive of advantage to all classes of the community. The patients in hospital will receive the benefit of more skilful nursing, whilst the establishment of a body of trained out-nurses will supply a want which has long been felt in Calcutta. It seems possible, however, that the medical officers might make greater use of the nurses than they do. If, instead of leaving to them the superintendence of the wards and the administering of the medicines, they placed in their hands the dressing, poulticing, and other duties now performed by native coolies, the savings which it would be possible to effect by the abolition of hospital coolies might be given to the Nurses' Institution.

12. *Medical College Hospital.*—Exclusive of 536 house-patients in the Opthalmic Hospital, there were 4,431 in-door patients treated during the year. Of these 2,189 were christians and 2,242 were natives. The death-rate was 10·83 per cent. as compared with 12·9, the average of the seven previous years; excluding moribund cases, the death-rate was only 9·1 per cent of the total number treated. Of both christians and natives there were fewer admissions from cholera than in any of the previous ten years. There were 184 important surgical operations performed during the year, and in 32 cases the patients died. The deaths from septicæmia were eight, or 25 per cent. of the total deaths from operations. It is, however, by no means clear that even most of these deaths were due to hospitalism, and it appears to be conclusively shown that in many cases in which deaths have hitherto been attributed to hospitalism, mortification had set in and blood-poisoning declared itself some days before the patients were admitted to the hospital. Dr. MacConnell, the resident physician, has traced out the 30 septicœmic *post mortem* surgical cases which were dissected in 1873 and found that 14 of them were admitted into hospital actually suffering from the disease to which they succumbed. As Dr. Coates observes, the septicœmia was imported and not bred in the hospital. There can, the Lieutenant-Governor believes, be no doubt that a considerable portion of the mortality at this hospital which has been ascribed to hospitalism has been due to causes external to the hospital and not debitable to

it. The question of the defective construction of the Surgical Wards is one which has been fully and exhaustively treated by the Committee on medical expenditure. Their opinion, which was generally concurred in by the surgical staff of the hospital, is entirely opposed to the extreme view expressed by Dr. W. Palmer regarding the defective construction of these wards. Dr. Palmer's views, moreover, appear to be entirely unsupported by the figures upon which he founds them, and they are also opposed to the views of his colleagues. The Principal, in noticing the fact that though there were isolated cases of erysipelas the disease did not spread or infect other patients, says that this is a very strong proof of the healthy quality of our hospital air, notwithstanding all that has been said about faulty construction. The whole subject has, however, been fully discussed in a separate correspondence with the Government of India, and there is no doubt whatever that the Surgeons have from time to time attributed ill-success in surgery to hospitalism. The Lieutenant-Governor must here repeat the opinion which he has already recorded in submitting the memorandum of the Committee to the Government of India that, after the improvements recommended by the Committee have been carried out, the hospital, though not perfect, will be to all intents and purposes a practically good and efficient hospital, as well adapted for the treatment of surgical cases as the great majority of European hospitals. The number of out-door patients who attended the dispensaries was higher than in any of the preceding five years, there being 47,506 cases treated against 44,679 in 1876. Dr. Irving gives the latter number as 44,556, but he appears to have compared the number of persons treated in 1877, as shown in the general statement in paragraph 2 of the report, with the number of new cases in the previous year. The erection of a new out-door dispensary, which is much wanted, has been ordered from the funds bequeathed for the purpose by the late Baboo Choonee Lall Seal. The dispensary is to be erected on a plot of land adjoining the Medical College grounds, and will be called 'Choonee Lall Seal's Charitable Dispensary.' Some of the minor improvements suggested in the 14th paragraph of the report, both at this and other hospitals, have already been sanctioned. Such recommendations should, however, form the subject of special reports, as they cannot be conveniently dealt with in a review of the administration for the past year.

13. *General Hospital.*—The in-door patients treated during the year were 5,144, including 531 natives; the numbers in 1876 being 3,569 christians and 430 natives. The death-rate of the christians was 4·05, and that of the natives 7·72 per cent. The great increase in the number of patients has been already explained as mainly due to the large number of sailors in port. During August, September and October a severe type of malarious fever prevailed, resembling dengue in many of its symptoms, and frequently accompanied by an eruption. The attack lasted for a few days and was often followed by one or more relapses. There were altogether 410 more cases of malarious fever in 1877 than in 1876, and an excellent opportunity was thus afforded for testing the value of the mixed cinchona alkaloids manufactured at the Government Plantation at Rungbee. It is satisfactory to find that Dr. Raye considers that the experience of the year justifies the conclusion that the cinchona febrifuge may be confidently administered instead of quinine in the great majority of ordinary malarious affections. In the low forms of intermittent fever, Dr. Pilcher of the Howrah Hospital maintains that the cinchona alkaloids given with ether have yielded better results than were formerly obtained with quinine. Nearly one-fourth of the deaths in the European wards of the General Hospital resulted from cholera; 43 out of 73 cases ending fatally. Of the 73 cases 65 were received direct from the shipping. Of 18 cases of typhoid fever, 16 were from the shipping. The number of cases of sunstroke was nearly double the average of the past ten years, and of the 20 cases admitted there were six deaths. Many of the cases were of a very severe type, the sufferers being almost moribund on admission. During the year an operating theatre and a lying-in-room were added to the hospital building and both are now in use. The Lieutenant-Governor also sanctioned the erection of new quarters for the nurses and the work was begun before the close of the year. The department of the Sumbhoonath Pundit's Ward for [illegible] the 31st December, and as the cost of the ward

was found to be out of all proportion to its usefulness, the Lieutenant-Governor has recently ordered it to be altogether closed.

14. *Campbell Hospital.*—During the year under review the continually increasing expenditure of this pauper hospital attracted the attention of Government, and induced the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a special committee to institute a searching enquiry into its administration. The result of the committee's enquiry was to show that under lax supervision the expenditure had increased in a way that left little doubt that peculation and dishonesty were rife amongst the subordinate establishment. A complete change in the administrative staff has been made. The Lieutenant-Governor has every reason to hope that under Dr. Mackenzie's careful and energetic supervision the expenditure will be reduced within proper limits. The number of admissions was 6,600 against 6,279 in the previous year, but the daily average number of patients was 22 less than in 1876. The death-rate was 24·8 per cent. against 25 per cent. in 1876 and 28 per cent. in 1875. Excluding the moribund cases, the mortality was somewhat greater than in 1876, being 23·2 against 22·4 per cent. The very high rate of mortality in this hospital is due to the fact that it has been the practice to transfer to this institution many patients in a low or dying condition. From a statement given in the report, it appears that, in the years 1876 and 1877, 63 and 52 per cent. respectively of those who died in the hospital succumbed within a week of their admission. The Superintendent invites attention to the fact that a large number of pauper patients belonging to the suburbs of Calcutta, as well as all the small-pox cases from the suburbs of Calcutta and from Howrah, are admitted to this hospital; and he suggests that the municipalities of the Suburbs and of Howrah be each invited to give an annual donation to the hospital. The Commissioners of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be requested to bring Dr. Mackenzie's suggestion before the Suburban and Howrah Municipal Commissioners.

15. *Mayo and Chandney Hospitals.*—In all 190,030 persons received treatment in these hospitals during the year as compared with 189,690 in 1876, and the death-rate among the in-door patients was 12·04 per cent. against 12·72 per cent. in 1876. The divergences in the death-rate from the same diseases among the house patients at the Mayo and the Chandney Hospitals was noticed in the last year's Resolution, and similar divergences are noticeable in the report for the past year. The mortality at the Mayo Hospital was 13·12 per cent., or about two and a half times that of the Chandney Hospital.

16 *Howrah Hospital.*—There was a further increase this year as compared with 1876 in the number of both in-door and out-door patients. The number of European and Eurasian in-door patients rose from 868 to 953, but there was a fall of more than a thousand in the number of christian out-door patients. The number of native in-door and out-door patients rose from 1,472 and 12,422 respectively in 1876 to 1,510 and 14,329 respectively in 1877. The mortality both among christian and native in-door patients was considerably higher than in 1876, being 3·99 per cent. among the former and 25·23 among the latter. Of the 419 deaths during the year, 276 occurred within ten days of the admission of the patients. This hospital receives a large proportion of the neglected sick and the ill-fed poor of the town, and very many of those brought to the hospital are in the very last stage of disease. The Surgeon-General calls attention to the use of the Ixora in cases of dysentery. This remedy was introduced by Assistant-Surgeon Umrito Lall Deb, in charge of the native department of the Howrah Hospital, and both Dr. Bird and Dr. Pilcher consider it of very great value. The Lieutenant-Governor understands that a separate report on the subject will shortly be submitted for the information of Government. Dr. Pilcher also writes in high terms of the Assistant-Surgeon's diligence and attention to his hospital duties. It is mainly owing to his zeal and kindliness of manner that the number of out-patients has so largely increased during the last two years.

17. *Other Institutions.*—The number of admissions to the Police Hospital exceeded the admissions of the previous year by nearly one-fifth of the total strength of the Municipal, Suburban, and River Police, and there were 11 more deaths than in 1876. The increase was, however, not due to any epidemic, and the death-rate to admissions was 2·3 per cent. against 2·46 in the previous year. The deaths compared with the total police force were 1·99 per cent. against 1·66 per cent. in

from 635 in 1876 to 732, while the number of deaths fell from 147 to 118. The out-door department was, as already stated, opened in March 1877, and from that date to the end of the year 4,059 cases were treated, giving an average daily attendance of 41. The average daily attendance at the Bhowanipore Dispensary was 67·4 against 52·8 in 1876 and 93·02 in 1875. The attendance at both the Bhowanipore and Alipore Dispensaries may be expected to increase considerably during the present year as there is now no out-door department at the General Hospital. The number of out-door patients who availed themselves of the Aratoon Apcar Dispensary was 9,508, a rather less number than in either of the previous two years, and the average daily attendance was also less than in either of those years, being 96 in 1877 against 103 and 110 in 1876 and 1875 respectively. Dr. Irving states in his report (page 40) that the number of out-door patients was greater than in either of the two previous years; he has, however, it appears compared the number of patients of 1877 with the new admissions of 1876 and 1875, instead of with the numbers treated during those years, as shown in the general statement at the beginning of the report. The report on the Lock-hospitals has been separately considered.

18. During the year the medical staff of Calcutta sustained a severe loss by the death from cholera of Dr. Elliott, the popular Surgeon Superintendent of the General Hospital. Since the close of the year the death of Dr. Gayer, also from cholera, has deprived Calcutta of another of its medical staff, whose services were highly appreciated by the Medical College Hospital at which he for some time officiated as 1st Surgeon and by the public of Calcutta.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution, and of the Report, be submitted for the information of the Government of India in the Home Department.

Ordered also that extract paragraph 7 of the Resolution, together with extract paragraph 7 of the Report, be submitted to the Government of India in the Military Department for information.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Surgeon-General for Bengal for information and guidance.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution, and of the Report, be forwarded to the Chairman of the Corporation of the Town of Calcutta, and to the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, for information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

HORACE A. COCKERELL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT DURING THE YEAR 1877-78.

REGISTRATION.

Dated Calcutta, the 27th September 1878.

READ—

The Report on the administration of the Registration Department during the year 1877-78.

Read again—

The Report for the previous year, with the orders of the Government passed thereon.

The new Registration Act III of 1877 came into force on the first day of the year under report. The principal changes in the law were the introduction of a separate index for wills and authorities to adopt; the re-casting of the chapter relating to the refusal of registration; the legalization of fines both when documents are presented for registration after the expiration of the time allowed by law, and when the persons executing them appear after the expiration of the time allowed for presentation; and the assertion of the power of the local Government to establish sub-registry offices having concurrent jurisdiction. Revised rules framed in accordance with the provisions of the new Act were sanctioned by Government in July 1877.

2 The year 1877-78 was one of unexampled prosperity to the Registration Department. There was a general and well distributed increase in the registration

of deeds of all classes, a considerable increase in receipts, and a larger surplus than in any previous year. The effects of the storm-wave and cyclone of 1876 are still shown in the returns of Noakholly and Chittagong, in which neither the registrations nor the receipts of the past year amounted to those of 1875-76. Backergunge appears, however, to have almost recovered its former prosperity, for the registrations of the district were nearly as numerous as, and the receipts greater than, before the cyclone.

3. The following table exhibits the leading statistical data connected with registration during the past thirteen years :—

Years.	Number of registrations				Total receipts.	Total expenditure.	Surplus.	Number of registration offices.
	Affecting immovable property.		Other Registrations.	Total.				
	Compulsory.	Optional.						
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1865-66	49,910	20,590	27,683	98,183	3,25,089	2,25,966	99,123	178
1866-67	101,422	49,346	31,391	182,159	3,19,754	2,25,951	93,803	182
1867-68	110,700	41,335	26,815	187,850	3,34,956	2,50,181	84,775	187
1868-69	125,438	42,794	45,739	213,968	3,67,271	2,99,099	68,172	172
1869-70	160,920	52,034	39,239	252,193	4,13,707	3,14,834	99,873	173
1870-71	159,963	49,862	31,888	341,713	3,88,688	3,11,825	76,863	180
1871-72	158,077	55,431	31,762	245,270	3,73,136	2,80,961	92,175	156
1872-73	174,788	67,150	37,162	279,080	4,35,319	3,04,782	1,30,537	168
1873-74	203,519	79,409	45,441	328,369	4,82,509	3,29,431	1,53,078	221
1874-75	250,340	98,970	74,563	423,873	5,52,325	3,86,953	1,65,372	246
1875-76	265,265	106,629	85,757	457,651	5,56,505	4,17,402	1,39,103	290
1876-77	268,125	104,436	93,013	465,574	5,66,882	4,30,168	1,36,714	310
1877-78	312,022	121,842	116,405	550,269	6,64,236	4,57,355	2,06,881	309
Increase over previous year...	43,897	17,406	23,392	84,695	97,354	27,187	70,167	.....
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1

4. Classified according as they refer to movable or immovable prop and according as their registration is compulsory or optional, the number of documents registered in each of the past two years was as follows :—

		1876-77.	1877-78.
Registrations affecting immovable property	*Compulsory.*		
	Instruments of sale, &c., of immovable property of value Rs. 100 and upwards	31,330	35,737
	Instruments of mortgage of immovable property of value Rs. 100 and upwards	34,647	37,589
	Perpetual leases	102,747	108,678
	Other leases under section 17 ...	95,616	125,211
	Other compulsory registrations ...	3,785	4,807
	Total compulsory registrations affecting immovable property	268,125	312,022
	Optional.		
	Instruments of sale, &c., of immovable property of value less than Rs. 100 ...	67,765	77,181
	Instruments of mortgage of immovable property of value less than Rs. 100 ...	29,604	36,645
	Leases for one year and less ...	2,140	2,926
	Miscellaneous documents	4,927	5,090
	Total optional registrations affecting immovable property	104,436	121,842
	Total registrations affecting immovable property	372,561	433,864

		1876-77.	1877-78.
Registrations other than those affecting immovable property.	Obligations for payment of money ...	69,047	89,818
	All other registrations	22,234	24,598
	Total of above ..	91,281	114,416
	Number of wills registered ...	1,681	1,954
	Number of written authorities ...	51	35
	Total Registrations ...	465,574	550,269

5. It appears from this table that there was an increase of 16·4 per cent. in registrations affecting immovable property, and of 25·3 per cent. in the registration of documents not relating to immovable property. In compulsory registration the increase was 16·3 and in optional registration 20·6. The total increase compared with 1876-77 was 84,695 or 18·1 per cent. The only deeds of which the number registered fell short of the number in the previous year are authorities to adopt, and in these there was a falling off of 16. Every other class of deed contributed to the general increase in registration. The increase is most noticeable in the returns of the districts of Jessore, Chumparun, 24-Pergunnahs, Nuddea, Backergunge, Mymensingh, Burdwan, Midnapore, Howrah, and Monghyr, while the only districts that show any decrease as compared with the previous year are Bhagulpore, Maldah, Purneah, Rungpore, Hazareebagh, Singbhoom, and Darjeeling. The total decrease in the last-named seven districts was 1,735, while the total increase in the remaining districts was 86,430. The different provinces under this Government contributed to the total operations of the department in the following proportions:—Bengal proper 76·4, Behar 19·7, Chota Nagpore 2, and Orissa 1·9 per cent. The percentage of Behar in 1876-77 was 17·8, and the increase in the past year was mainly due to the great increase in the number of agricultural leases registered in Chumparun. The total registrations in this district were 27,299 or 126·4 per cent. above those of the previous year. Each of the other districts of Behar, except Bhagulpore, Purneah, and Maldah, showed an increase in the number of registrations, and the returns seem to show that registration in the hitherto backward province of Behar has at last received a considerable impetus. In Shahabad and Durbhunga the registrations advanced more than 31 per cent., in Sarun the advance was 28·2, and in Monghyr and Mozufferpore more than 26 per cent., while in the Sonthal Pergunnahs it was 38·8 per cent.

6. The great falling off in the number of perpetual leases in 1876-77 as compared with the number in the previous year was noticed in last year's resolution; but owing to the great disturbance of registration operations in Eastern Bengal caused by the cyclone, the Lieutenant-Governor was not prepared to accept the returns as shewing that the limit of perpetual leases had been reached in the districts of Chittagong, Noakholly, and Backergunge. In the past year there was an increase of 5,931 or 5·7 per cent. in the number of perpetual leases registered, though the total was still slightly below that of 1875-76. From the tabular statements given in the appendix to the report, it seems to be now clearly established that, while the registration of perpetual leases is spreading in Central and Western Bengal, it is steadily decreasing in the Eastern Districts. This result was to be expected, for the custom of registering perpetual leases has hitherto prevailed within extremely narrow local limits, and it is obvious that the execution and registration of perpetual leases must decrease when most of the land which it is convenient to alienate in perpetuity has been so alienated. Taking the complete returns of these leases as given in Statement II in the appendix instead of the figures quoted by the Inspector-General from Statement VII, it appears that in 1875-76 the three districts of Backergunge, Chittagong, and Noakhally supplied 50,562 perpetual leases out of 109,399 registered; in 1876-77 they gave 37,318 out of 102,747; and in 1877-78 the number fell to 31,952 out of 108,678. In Dacca the number has been steadily falling, having been 1,504, 1,413, and 922 respectively during the three years 1875-78, while in Tipperah the numbers for the same three years were 1,878, 1,704, and 1,296. In fact in every district of the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions, except Furreedpore, the falling off for the last three

years in the number of perpetual leases has been continuous and considerable. The registrars of Chittagong and Tipperah explain the decrease by the fact that there is now little land left in the districts to be let out on perpetual leases. The registrar of Noakholly ascribes the decrease in part to the distress caused by the cyclone, and partly to the practice of sub-infeudation having fallen into disfavour; there is no apparent reason, however, why the practice should have fallen into disfavour, except that all the land which it was convenient to sublet in perpetuity has been so sublet. The explanation of the registrar of Backergunge that the fall in the number of perpetual leases is due to the impoverishment of the people does not commend itself to the Lieutenant-Governor. The increase in the number of registrations of perpetual leases elsewhere than in the Eastern Districts is very marked, and is especially noticeable in the returns of the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions. There was an increase in each district of the former division and in each district of the latter division except Moorshedabad. Jessore has been steadily progressing with 24,735, 28,012, and 32,272 registrations of perpetual leases during the past three years, while for the 24-Pergunnahs the numbers were 3,541, 4,278, and 5,958, and for Nuddea 2,492, 2,982, and 4,400. The registrar of Jessore attributes the increase in his district to the extension of cultivation and to the unwillingness of the ryot to reclaim marshy tracts without first obtaining a lease in perpetuity securing to him a reward for his labour and expense. The Lieutenant-Governor has no doubt that this reason is correct, and that the general increase in the number of perpetual leases in Central and Western Bengal is due to the struggle of the ryots for a more permanent interest in the soil they cultivate. The progress shown by the returns is very satisfactory.

7. The number of term-leases registered rose from 95,616 in 1876-77 to 125,211 in the past year, the increase being almost entirely in the number of leases not exceeding Rs. 50 in value. There was a rise of 26,944 in the registrations of leases not exceeding Rs. 25 in value, and of 2,160 in those between Rs. 25 and Rs. 50. More than half the total increase in the number of registrations of term-leases is due to the Chumparun district, where the registrations were 24,767, against 8,410 in the previous year. Of the 85,183 leases not exceeding Rs. 25 in value, 23,087, or more than one-fourth of the whole, were registered in Chumparun. The great rise in the number of registrations of term-leases in this district was noticed in last year's Resolution, and appears to be solely due to the registration of a large number of indigo leases, in consequence of the ryots who held unregistered deeds refusing to sow indigo. Next to Chumparun, Mymensingh shows the largest number of registrations of term-leases, there having been 11,571 such registrations in 1877-78, against 8,877 in the previous year. In this district the proportion of counterparts to leases was very large, and the want of confidence between landlord and tenant is the only cause assigned for the large number of presentations. The fluctuations in the other districts were slight. The district registrars are almost unanimous that very few agreements to let are formally reduced to writing, and that even then in the vast majority of cases the counterpart only is registered, so that the ryot's interest is not secured. The Lieutenant-Governor would wish to have in future reports some more detailed information as to the proportion of leases registered to counterparts.

8. In 27 out of 42 districts there was an increase in the optional registrations of bonds, and no district shows any serious falling off. The total number of bonds registered in the province was 89,818, against 69,047 in 1876-77. More than one-half of the bonds registered, and far more than half the year's increase are, however, due to the district of Jessore, where 49,176 obligations for the payment of money were registered, against 35,694 in the previous year. From a statement given by the Inspector-General, it appears that 311,029 bonds were registered in the 42 districts of Bengal during the last five years, and of these 144,888 were registered in Jessore; in the past two years, out of 158,865 bonds, 84,870 were registered in the latter district. The immense difference between the operations of the Registration Department in Jessore and other districts is ascribed to the distrust of the people of one another, to their extreme litigiousness, and to the fact that the civil courts of the district regard with suspicion all bonds or contracts which have not been registered, whether their registration is optional or compulsory. These causes no doubt operate

largely in promoting registrations, but they do not appear to the Lieutenant-Governor to afford a sufficient explanation of the extraordinary popularity of registration operations in Jessore.

9. In the minor operations of the department there has been again this year a general increase. The number of wills registered was 273 in excess of the number in the previous year, and there were 16,575 applications for search and copies of documents, against 13,362 applications in 1876-77. These searches are usually made by intending purchasers or lessees, who wish to ascertain if there are any incumbrances on the land for which they are negociating, and the Lieutenant-Governor agrees with Mr. Bourdillon that the increase in the number of these applications is one of the best proofs of the growing usefulness of the department.

10. The number of registered documents discredited and rejected by civil courts during the past year was 25, or 12 more than in 1876-77; but the Inspector-General is still not satisfied that all cases of the kind are reported. The prosecutions instituted during the year were 67 against 38 in 1876-77, and the result of the prosecutions was very satisfactory. In the 67 cases, 63 persons were convicted, 41 being punished with imprisonment and 22 with fine.

11. The financial position of the department is more prosperous now than at any previous time. The following statement shows the actual cash receipts and expenditure of the past five years:—

	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Surplus.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1873-74	4,82,509	3,29,431	1,53,078
1874-75	5,52,325	3 86,953	1,65,372
1875-76	5,56,505	4,17,402	1,39 103
1876-77	5,66,882	4,30,168	1,36,714
1877-78	6,64,236	4,57,355	2,06,881

To the cash expenditure of Rs. 4,57,355 there should, however, be added all public works charges, and the cost of stationery supplied to registration offices by the Superintendent of Stationery, the cost of printing paper, and of printing and binding done for the department. From a letter received from the Inspector-General, correcting the figures given in the report, it appears that the public works charges amounted to Rs. 32,204. The stationery and printing charges, including the printing of the annual report, were Rs. 44,426; so that the gross expenditure of the year was Rs. 5,33,985, leaving a net surplus of Rs. 1,30,251 as compared with Rs. 78,974 in 1876-77. The increase in the receipts of the year is due partly to more numerous registrations, and partly to the enhanced table of *ad valorem* fees. The new schedule should have had effect from the 1st February 1878, but it appears to have been only in partial operation during the months of February and March. The increase in expenditure is under the heads "Percentage paid to registering officers," "Temporary establishments," and "Paper and printing." The increased percentage is, of course, due to the increased work of the department, and the same cause explains the higher charges for temporary establishments. The present scale of permanent establishment was fixed in 1871, when the total number of registrations was less than half the number in the year under report; and although much of the increased work is done in rural offices, where the establishments are paid by the rural sub-registrars, still there has been great additional work thrown upon sudder and sub-divisional offices. To overtake this work temporary establishments have been employed as they were required, and the Inspector-General is now, under the orders of Government, preparing a revised scheme of establishments in the offices of sudder and sub-divisional sub-registrars. A proposal for the revision of the salaries and appointments of special sub-registrars has already been submitted, and is now under the consideration of Government.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor expressed his opinion last year that the system of rural sub-registrars should not at present be further extended, and the changes during the year were very few. The work at two sudder offices was taken away from special sub-registrars and entrusted to Deputy Magistrates; two new canal offices were opened and four rural offices were abolished. In all, there were 309 offices open at the close, against 310 at the beginning of the year.

13. Mr. Bourdillon discusses the qualifications of the different classes of men who seek employment as rural sub-registrars, and he arrives at the conclusion that a respectable resident of the locality, where the office is situated, makes the best sub-registrar. "His local influence insures for his proceedings the public confidence, and he is little exposed to the danger of being victimized, as others are who have no knowledge of the neighbourhood and its inhabitants." In this opinion the Lieutenant-Governor concurs. There can be no doubt that false personation and false identification are the principal dangers that the Registration Department has to meet, and the Lieutenant-Governor trusts to the Inspector-General to see that a thorough inquiry is made in every case in which there is any suspicion of these offences having been committed.

14. The scheme for the use of printed forms of agricultural leases and their counterparts, and of bonds for small amounts, was abandoned during the year. This experiment was first made in 1874-75 in nine selected districts, and was extended in 1876 to the whole of Lower Bengal. It was found, however, that it was not possible to introduce any one form of document, whether lease, counterpart or bond, equally suitable to the circumstances of all districts and generally acceptable to the people. In five out of the nine districts in which the forms were first introduced, not a single bond-form was either sold or registered in the year 1876-77, and in the large and important districts of Dacca and the 24-Pergunnahs only five bonds in the printed form were presented for registration. Even in those districts where, after the attention of officers had been specially called to the subject, considerable sales were effected, the returns showed that a very small proportion of the forms sold were presented for registration. The Lieutenant-Governor did not therefore consider that he was justified in incurring any further expenditure on the general experiment, but he has authorized Collectors to indent specially for any particular forms for which there is likely to be a demand in their districts.

15. The Muhammadan Marriage Registration Act I (B.C.) of 1876 has now been in force for more than two and a half years. By the beginning of the year under report, 77 offices had been opened in 14 districts, and by the end of the year there were 103 offices, though the Act was not extended to any fresh district during the year. The following statement shows the number of ceremonies registered in the last two years; but the total returns of the years cannot be compared, as the Act was only extended to six districts before the commencement of the year 1876-77:—

	Marriages.	Khula divorces.	Other divorces.	Total ceremonies.	Muhammadan population in the thanas in which the Act is in force.
1876-77	2,555	161	402	3,118	6,000,850
1877-78	7,391	595	1,404	9,390	10,326,575

16. The only districts in which the Act appears to be at all popular are Chittagong and Rungpore. In these districts, with fourteen and fifteen offices respectively, there were registered during the past year 2,973 and 2,206 ceremonies, or more than half the total for the 14 districts in which the Act was in force. In Backergunge only 211 ceremonies were registered among a Muhammadan population of 1,255,427, and in Furreedpore and Jessore only 105 and 46 ceremonies among populations of 863,053 and 312,974 respectively. From the reports received on the working of the Act in the districts to which it has been extended, it appears to be the general opinion of the district registrars that, unless registration of marriages and divorces is made compulsory, the provisions of the Act will only be made use of to a very limited extent. The Lieutenant-Governor is not, however, prepared to accept the recommendation of the district registrars. The success attained in two districts, which are in no way specially circumstanced, seems to the Lieutenant-Governor to show that the provisions of the Act are not ill-adapted to meet the requirements of the Muhammadan population of Bengal. Prejudice and ignorance prevail widely amongst the lower classes of the Muhammadan population of the Eastern Districts, and, together with the opposition of local Mollahs interested in the

maintenance of the present state of things, militate, no doubt, against the rapid extension of registration, and it may possibly be some years before the provisions of the Act are generally made use of; but the Lieutenant-Governor prefers waiting until such time as the people voluntarily avail themselves of them, to exciting the widespread opposition which he believes would be the result at present of making the Act compulsory.

17. The propriety of continuing to ex-officio sub-registrars the special allowance consisting of percentages of the fees realized was considered last year by the Lieutenant-Governor, and His Honor decided that the grant of the allowance should, in future, be contingent on a zealous performance of the duties of sub-registrar; and that any ex-officio sub-registrar who is reported to have been lax and indifferent in the superintendence of his office, or in the supervision of the offices subordinate to him, will be held to have forfeited his claim to this special remuneration. To enforce these orders, it was directed that commission should be drawn in half-yearly bills, and that the bills should not be passed unless both the Registrar and Inspector-General were satisfied that the work during the previous six months had been properly done. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to find that the Inspector-General has not yet had occasion to reject the bill of any ex-officio sub-registrar, and that the general standard of work in all offices of the department has much improved during the past year. The attention of the Board of Revenue will be drawn to the remark made by the Inspector-General in paragraph 43 of his report.

18. The duties of inspection appear to have been zealously carried out by the two Inspectors, Mr. Harrison and Baboo Pratapa Chundra Ghose, and an explanation should be submitted why only 23 inspections were made during the year by the Inspector-General himself. The Lieutenant-Governor's acknowledgments are due to Mr. Bourdillon for his able administration of the department.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

HORACE A. COCKERELL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE TRIBUTARY STATES OF ORISSA FOR 1877-78.

POLITICAL.

Dated Darjeeling, the 27th September 1878.

READ—

The Annual Report on the Administration of the Tributary States of Orissa for 1877-78.

Read also—

The Annual Report for the year 1876-77, and the orders of Government thereon.

MR. BEAMES officiated as Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals from the commencement of the year to the 10th December 1877, when Mr. Ravenshaw reverted to the appointment. The latter officer held charge till the end of the year, when he was succeeded by Mr. A. Smith as Officiating Superintendent. Mr. Smith's report was necessarily compiled solely from the office records and the notes of his predecessor, but it is nevertheless complete and interesting.

2. The total demand of the Government estates of Banki and Ungool, Rs. 45,184, was collected in full, and a considerable portion of the demand for the current year was paid in advance. The revenues of these two estates are steadily improving, and the demand and collections for the past year were Rs. 1,431 above those of the previous year. Until the year 1876 it was the practice to pay into the treasury only the net revenue of these estates after deducting from the gross revenue all sanctioned and proposed charges on account of collection of revenue, maintenance of the estates, pensions, &c. This practice has now been discontinued, the gross revenues of the estates being credited, and the receipts and expenditure dealt with, under the ordinary system of audit and account for Government estates. The memorandum of each estate's account with the Collector need not therefore in future be

submitted. From the collections and surplus in deposit on account of the Bamunghatty estate, a sum of Rs. 40,000 was handed over to the Maharajah of Mohurbhunj, leaving still a surplus of nearly Rs. 20,000. The pergunnah of Bamunghatty, which was taken under Government management and placed in charge of the Deputy Commissioner of Singbhoom after the disturbances of 1866, has since been completely settled. The Maharajah's administration of the remainder of his territory has been most satisfactory, and the Lieutenant-Governor has therefore, since the close of the year under report, gladly restored to him the pergunnah of Bamunghatty, subject to the conditions that the Maharajah's eldest brother shall live in Bamunghatty as his representative, that the sirdars of *peers*, and the headmen of villages shall continue to be vested with police powers, that the present settlement of the estate shall continue without change for the existing term of ten years, that all the schools now open shall be maintained, and that all the roads that have been constructed shall be kept open.

3. The total collections of the Dhenkenal state, which is under khas management owing to the minority of the young Rajah, were Rs. 55,846, and the balance at the beginning of the year was Rs. 28,438. After deducting the expenditure of the year, there remained a balance of Rs. 8,079. The payments of tribute by all the states not under direct management have been punctually made, and the amount of Rs. 6,710-1-3 entered against Keonjhur was not actually due at the close of the year, as the tribute of the state was reduced to Rs. 1,976-11-11 as soon as the debt was paid off. The amount really due has since been paid.

4. There were 3,548 civil, revenue, and miscellaneous cases disposed of during the year, and 317 remained pending. The increase, as compared with 1876-77, is mainly due to the inclusion in the year's returns of all cases instituted in Dhenkenal, and partly also to a number of cases of disputed possession in the Runpore state. Of 3,650 cases instituted during the year, Dhenkenal contributed 1,730, and Ungool, Banki, the Khondmals, and Bamunghatty together 1,399. The remaining cases entered in the returns include only those in which complaints were made to the Superintendent owing to the parties being dissatisfied with the Rajah's decisions. Of 521 such cases, 302 were from the Runpore state. Nearly half the whole number of suits instituted were for debt.

5. The criminal cases were generally of a petty nature. Out of 1,252 cases tried, 453 were of assault and 258 of petty theft. There were four murders, nine cases of culpable homicide, and one dacoity during the year. One of the murders was reported by the police to be a case of human sacrifice, but, on investigation by the Superintendent, the report was proved to be incorrect. Three of the cases of culpable homicide were in the Khondmals, and all three arose out of drunken quarrels. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to find that in the only case of dacoity that occurred the offenders were detected and punished, and that a portion of the stolen property was recovered.

6. The total number of schools in the Orissa Tributary Mehals is 115 and the number of pupils 3,048. In Ungool and Banki the schools are supported entirely from the revenues of the estates; in Bamunghatty half the expenditure on education was defrayed from the estate. In the Khondmals, 16 schools with 582 pupils were maintained from the fund voluntarily raised by the people by taxing the grogshops at Rs. 5 each. The balance at the credit of the fund at the close of the year was Rs. 4,362. The Lieutenant-Governor regrets to find that no portion of the large balance has yet been utilized in opening new schools. Both the Maharajahs of Keonjhur and Mohurbhunj take much interest in education, and the latter has, as already stated, agreed to maintain the 17 schools now open in Bamunghatty.

7. Mr. Ravenshaw was on tour in the Tributary Mehals for a little more than a month during the cold weather. Nearly half this time was spent in killah Runpore, where great confusion and disorganization prevailed, owing to the gross oppression and misconduct of the Rajah and his agents. A reconciliation was effected between the people and the Rajah, and the latter entered into a formal agreement for the proper government in future of his state and people. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to learn that the terms of the agreement have not yet been

in any way infringed, that the state is quiet, that a summary settlement has been concluded, and that arrangements for a detailed settlement are being made. The Rajah has been distinctly warned that unless the terms of the agreement are carried out, and a loyal support given to the new Dewan, it will be necessary to remove him from the management of the killah. In the course of his tour, Mr. Ravenshaw passed through the states of Nayagurh, Duspulla, Boad, Ungool, Hindole, Dhenkenal and Atgurh. The affairs of the Rajah of Duspulla were found to be in great disorder, and much discontent existed among the people. Detailed arrangements for the management of the state and for carrying out the pending settlement were made by the Superintendent during his visit; and the Lieutenant-Governor trusts that the Rajah has now been brought to take an intelligent interest in the management of his affairs.

8. The administration of all the estates under khas management was very creditable. The offices at Ungool and Banki were inspected by the Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent respectively, and the work of the tehsildars is favourably reported upon. Separate orders will be passed as to the continuance to her son of the pension granted to Ghusa Bewa, the widow of one of the illegitimate sons of the former Rajah of Ungool. During the minority of the Rajah of Dhenkenal, the state is under the management of the Dewan of the late Maharajah, Baboo Banamali Sing, who has also been appointed guardian of the minor Rajah. The Baboo is an able officer, of great local experience, and his administration of the killah during the year was satisfactory. The young Rajah's education is being conducted by an experienced native Deputy Inspector of Schools. The Khondmals were quietly and well managed by the tehsildar, Baboo Dinobundho Patnaik, who is reported to be very popular among the Khonds. A meeting was held at Bisipara on the 1st January 1878, under the presidency of the tehsildar, when about 8,000 Khond men and women assembled and resolved to commemorate the assumption by the Queen of the Imperial title, by holding an annual fair at Bisipara. The only other estate under khas management during the year was Bamunghatty, and that, as already stated, has since been made over to the Maharajah of Mohurbhunj.

9. The administration of the Maharajahs of Keonjhur and Mohurbhunj was in all respects satisfactory. Keonjhur is now the best managed, most peaceable, prosperous, and contented of all the Tributary States. The debt due by the Maharajah to Government on account of the expenditure incurred in quelling the rebellion at the time of his accession to the guddee has been repaid in full, and the limited supervision previously exercised over the Maharajah's affairs has now been withdrawn. The Collector of Balasore, who is *ex-officio* Assistant Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals, visited Mohurbhunj in January, and during his stay in the killah not a single complaint was made to him. The Maharajah is entitled to much credit both for his general administration and for the public works that he has carried out since his accession. The reports as to the conduct of the Rajah of Talchere are still unfavourable. The Superintendent was last year requested to visit the state and report upon its condition and the temper of the people, and the Lieutenant-Governor desires that the visit may be made and the report submitted at an early date. The conduct of the Rajah of Baramba was not altogether satisfactory, but he is reported to be generally amenable to advice, and the appointment of a punchayet of headmen to assist the Rajah in the management of the killah has worked well. The other estates not under direct management do not call for any special notice. The conduct of the Chiefs was generally good, and the Rajahs of Atgurh, Nursingpore, Nayagurh, and Pal Lehara appear to have administered their killahs with considerable ability and success.

10. The Rajah of Hindole died on the 18th July 1877, while on a pilgrimage to the temple of Juggernath. He left no son, and, according to the custom prevalent in the Cuttack Tributary Mehals, the succession of his younger brother was sanctioned by the Government of India. The present Rajah, who is now about 23 years of age, has not been well educated, and his half-brother, who is a good man of business and ppular in the state, does all the work of administration. The people are reported to be happy and contented.

11. The remarks of the Superintendent on the conduct of the officers subordinate to him will be communicated to the Appointment Department.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals, Cuttack, for information and guidance.

Ordered also that a copy of the above Resolution, with a copy of the Annual Report on the Administration of the Tributary States of Orissa for 1877-78 be submitted to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, for information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE GENERAL ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE ORISSA DIVISION FOR 1877-78.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

Calcutta, the 8th October 1878.

READ—

The General Administration Report of the Orissa Division for 1877-78.

FOR the greater part of 1877-78 Mr. Beames was acting as Commissioner of Orissa, being relieved in December 1878 by Mr. Ravenshaw. The report is submitted by Mr. Smith, who took charge of the division from Mr. Ravenshaw after the close of the year. Although the present Commissioner had no personal experience of the division during the past year, the report is very complete, showing that full materials were left on record by the officers actually in charge. Tour duty was well attended to by the district officers of Pooree and Balasore. The Collector of Cuttack did not pay sufficient attention to this, and most of the sub-divisional officers were also remiss. The Lieutenant-Governor has sufficiently indicated his views on this point in reviewing the reports of other divisions.

2. *Weather and Crops.*—The following statement shows the rainfall registered at the head-quarters of each district during the year as compared with the average fall in previous years:—

MONTHS.	CUTTACK.		POOREE.		BALASORE.	
	Rainfall of 1877-78.	Average rainfall.	Rainfall of 1877-78.	Average rainfall.	Rainfall of 1877-78.	Average rainfall.
April 1877	3·85	1·66	1·91	1·56	2·30	2·94
May "	5·69	1·87	3·44	2·27	5·03	4·39
June "	5·91	9·89	4·91	8·85	11·65	12·09
July "	9·22	11·21	6·46	9·25	21·73	9·46
August "	4·47	10·54	3·15	11·93	12·61	12·03
September "	6·25	9·01	6·70	9·42	5·51	13·76
October "	3·05	6·31	4·51	7·82	3·32	7·61
November "	.....	1·97	·22	1·66	.....	0·89
December "	.....	0·61	.....	0·74	.....	0·11
January 1878	·12	0·45	.....	0·09	0·50	1·01
February "	·14	0·61	.....	1·30	0·31	1·22
March "	·98	1·02	·12	0·66	1·33	1·79
Total	39·68	54·25	31·42	55·55	64·29	67·30

In Cuttack the rainfall was considerably below the average, but it was opportunely distributed, and a fair crop was reaped on the whole. In Pooree the supply of rain was deficient throughout the district, the recorded fall at head-quarters being twenty-four inches less than the average. The Collector reports that the crops were good in the interior of the district except in Khoorda, but this statement is at variance with the detailed estimate furnished by him of the outturn of each of the standard crops, which shows a very heavy proportion of loss. The Commissioner, however, thinks the general verbal statement more reliable than the figures, for had the district crops failed to the extent estimated, it must have imported instead of exporting food throughout the year. The rainfall of Balasore was nearly up to the average, but was very unevenly distributed. Ploughing was seriously retarded by the heavy rains of

April and May, while in July the young crop suffered seriously from an excessive fall of twelve inches of rain in one day, which caused all the rivers to rise rapidly in flood, immense damage being done by the overflow of the Byturnee. Later on prospects were good, but the rain held off in August and September, and the fall during October sufficed only to produce rather less than an average crop. On the whole the agricultural year was by no means prosperous in Orissa owing to the damage done by floods in the middle of the year and by deficient rainfall later on.

3. The Collector of Balasore, in reporting on the agricultural results of the year, draws attention to the fact that in the case of all the Balasore rivers, except the Byturnee, the inundation drained off without damaging the crop. He ascribes the loss arising from the floods on the Byturnee to the embankments recently erected to protect the third range of the High Level Canal, and argues that, if these embankments had not broken when they did, a larger mass of water would have accumulated, and the ultimate loss would have been even more severe. This view, however, is disputed by the Superintending Engineer, who considers that the tendency to overflow in destructive floods is natural to this river, and was observed long before the canal was commenced. So far from the protective embankments having augmented the violence of the flood, they have, he considers, deadened the force of the current in places, and their summits have afforded the people a refuge in places where no elevated ground was formerly available. In some respects the circumstances of the Byturnee river in regard to liability to floods appear to be not dissimilar to those of the Cossye river in Midnapore; but the question raised by the Collector of Balasore will be specially considered in the Irrigation Department.

4. *Public Health.*—In Cuttack the general health is reported to have been good; but in the other districts the intermittent rainfall produced injurious effects. Cholera and fever prevailed in Pooree throughout the year, while in Balasore a severe epidemic fever broke out on the banks of the Soobarnrekha, and caused considerable alarm by its resemblance to the form of malaria known as Burdwan fever. Inquiry, however, showed that, although of a malarious character, it was of a far milder type than the Burdwan epidemic. Medical attendance was provided on the spot, and by the end of the cold weather the health of the people had considerably improved.

5. Important sanitary reforms have been effected in the town of Pooree. A system of surface drainage has been introduced, public lodging-houses are kept clean, and the removal of all kinds of nuisances has been provided for. With the same object, that of promoting the health of pilgrims to Juggernath, the Collector of Balasore has induced the keepers of roadside shops along the Trunk Road in Balasore to maintain sweepers at their own expense to look after the rest-houses of the pilgrims. These measures have the Lieutenant-Governor's entire approval. It can hardly be hoped that any precautions that can be taken will entirely save Orissa from the outbreaks of disease which invariably accompany the movement of large bodies of pilgrims, but much may still be done by enforcing regulations which tend to lessen the chances of an outbreak or to mitigate its severity.

6. *Emigration.*—Emigration to Assam, as has often been pointed out, appears to present no attractions to Ooriyas, for only fifty-two labourers were registered in Cuttack, five in Balasore, and none in Pooree. This reluctance to emigrate, however, does not proceed from an unwillingness to travel or to leave their native country, for it is notorious that large numbers of people quit Orissa every year and take service in Bengal. During the past year there was a slight decline in the passenger traffic between Chandbally and Calcutta, as will appear from the following statement, which shows the arrivals and departures at the port for the last three years :—

	Arrived.	Departed
1875-76	30,606	30,017
1876-77	33,762	33,118
1877-78	30,285	27,681

It is explained that the passenger steamers were frequently used as tugs to tow rice-ships to sea, and that one steamer was under repairs. At the same time it is suggested that the Govind Dwadasi festival, which occurred in February 1877, prevented many pious Ooriyas from leaving home.

7. *Prices of Food and Labour.*—Prices ruled high throughout the year, varying in Cuttack from 11 seers 13 chittacks for the rupee to 19 seers 11 chittacks; in Pooree from 12 seers 13 chittacks to 18 seers 6 chittacks, and in Balasore from 11 seers to 32 seers. In each case the rise of price was almost continuous, the rate being lowest in April 1877 and highest in March 1878. Enormous profits were made by the cultivating classes, among whom the standard of living was raised, and an unusually large number of marriages were celebrated. But there can be no doubt that considerable pressure was felt by the poorer artizans, day labourers, and persons who neither own nor have any interest in land. The wages of skilled labourers are said to have remained stationary, but the wages of unskilled labour have risen partly in consequence of the high prices, and partly from the demand for coolies to assist in the carriage and shipment of grain.

8. *Salt manufacture.*—It was observed in the resolution on last year's report that the salt manufacture of Orissa was rapidly declining in consequence of the competition of salt manufactured under more favourable conditions in Ganjam. During 1877-78, although there was a marked decrease in the amount of salt manufactured, the salt revenue rose from Rs. 8,78,132 to Rs. 9,37,961 in consequence of the sale of the large stocks of sun-dried salt which had accumulated in Pooree. As soon as it was made known that the duty on Ganjam salt had been raised, and that the Pooree manufacturers were to be relieved of the cost of the preventive establishments, licenses were applied for to manufacture a large quantity of excise salt. This is a hopeful sign of the revival of an important native industry in Orissa.

9. *Trade and Commerce.*—The remarkable expansion of the Orissa trade which occurred in 1876-77 continued during the past year, and will be discussed at length in connection with the report on Customs Administration. It will be sufficient to reproduce here the following table:—

District.	Year.	Entered.		Cleared.		Value of imports.	Value of exports.	Customs revenue.	Port dues.
		Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.				
						Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Cuttack	1869-70	71	41,741	59	39,363	3,10,705	1,86,730	926	.....
	1870-71	105	59,744	110	61,322	10,32,355	6,69,756	5,068	.....
	1871-72	86	72,525	86	70,023	9,00,133	4,75,700	3,030	.....
	1872-73	75	69,999	80	70,325	8,49,547	8,21,429	1,833	.....
	1873-74	106	86,597	101	84,585	11,42,893	10,60,432	12,378	.....
	1874-75	110	118,375	108	120,041	9,11,659	17,00,471	43,008	.....
	1875-76	133	157,468	127	155,366	13,80,653	12,71,575	27,402	3,649
	1876-77	167	149,603	163	147,110	11,88,059	20,17,394	45,808	11,258
	1877-78	202	140,952	187	141,838	36,23,812	36,74,817	20,635	11,913
Pooree	1869-70	37	6,576	34	6,100	48,310	2,25,244	.....	.....
	1870-71	21	5,426	24	5,902	22,947	2,23,922	7,051	.....
	1871-72	33	4,553	32	4,354	73,540	1,88,469	.....	.....
	1872-73	31	5,316	29	4,767	74,959	1,95,533	.....	.....
	1873-74	33	10,371	33	9,200	35,237	3,15,034	30,531	.....
	1874-75	32	10,553	31	11,618	54,361	5,52,259	25,534	.....
	1875-76	28	16,763	30	17,257	20,259	2,99,184	14,219	278
	1876-77	34	15,377	31	13,022	1,01,274	7,32,570	8,315	752
	1877-78	20	8,019½	21	10,130½	62,629	5,62,895	.....	492
Balasore	1869-70	232	15,456	200	14,379	3,56,557	3,65,060	2,083	1,515
	1870-71	277	23,332	272	18,668	3,00,785	4,43,070	5,208	1,433
	1871-72	276	26,932½	293	26,395½	6,14,327	5,47,242	4,567	2,014
	1872-73	340	37,936	348	36,509	2,50,488	3,99,208	6,712	2,772
	1873-74	407	51,215½	487	53,002½	17,13,159	16,31,709	8,274	3,567
	1874-75	387	51,689	456	59,877	26,26,837	21,38,305	3,533	3,002
	1875-76	404	43,370	466	44,900	20,72,862	16,99,956	9,099	3,189
	1876-77	374	57,013	397	57,740	34,35,784	40,21,296	18,224	2,994
	1877-78	535	73,635	513	68,495	53,08,743	58,63,579	15,709	3,940

Pooree had no import or export trade with foreign ports during the past year, and consequently no customs revenue was realized.

One great obstacle to the rapid development of trade in Orissa is the difficulty of navigating the channels leading to Chandbally. Several cases of grounding occurred during the past year, and there was one total wreck. Pilots have now been appointed, and measures are being taken for a rough practical survey by the Port Officer. A floating jetty will also be provided to facilitate the shipment of cargo at Chandbally.

10. *State of Public feeling.*—The main topic of public interest during the year, and the chief grievance among the classes whose incomes are fixed, was the high price of rice. The effect of high prices upon the labour-

ing classes depends very much upon the system of payment which local custom renders current. If it is usual to pay field labourers a certain proportion of the crop, a heavy outturn may raise their remuneration sufficiently to save them from being seriously affected by the prices ruling at the time, and they may even participate to some extent in the general profits of agriculture. But if custom prescribes a money wage, the rigidity of local usage is not relaxed by one or two seasons of high prices, and in such seasons the mere day labourer suffers serious privations and is driven to reduce his standard of living by taking fewer meals, or resorting to cheaper and inferior kinds of food.

11. Considerable excitement was caused in Orissa by the barbarous murder of a priest of the temple of Juggernath by the Rajah of Pooree. It is satisfactory to find that there was universal indignation felt against the murderer, and that the sentence passed upon the Rajah was accepted by the people as the righteous judgment of the deity upon the misdeeds of his servant. This contrasts most favourably with the tone adopted by the native press in Bengal, which in many instances, so far from condemning the peculiar atrocity of the crime, seemed to find in the Rajah's position a sort of justification for his act, and was disposed to urge that his personal sanctity was a ground for mitigation of the sentence.

12. *Vernacular Press.*—There are only three vernacular newspapers in Orissa—one in Cuttack and two in Balasore. The Cuttack paper is said to be loyal, well conducted; while the two in Balasore are inferior productions exercising no public influence. During the year the publisher of one of these was prosecuted for a defamatory article and was fined Rs. 100.

13. *Administrative Changes.*—No trouble has been found in collecting the Public Works cess. The employment of a State steamer to run weekly between Chandbally and Cuttack is popular with the people, who appreciate any measure which tends to improve the means of communication with Pooree. Gradual progress is being made in the registration of possessory titles to land, although the work has been retarded in Orissa by the exceptional number of revenue-free holdings.

14. *Police and Justice.*—The returns of cognizable crime for 1877 show an increase in the number of reported cases, which was 7,640, the average for the preceding five years being 5,151. This is attributed to the growing familiarity of the people with the machinery of the criminal courts, the decline of the authority of the zemindars who formerly settled many cases out of court, the improvement of chowkeedars as a reporting agency, and the greater facility for making complaints which is afforded by improved communications. The bulk of the increase is in petty cases, and there are no signs of the growth of serious or professional crime. It is natural that an advance in civilization should be followed by a general tendency to assert personal rights through the medium of the criminal courts, and in this view the mere increase in the number of petty cases instituted is perhaps not greatly to be wondered at.

15. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to find that the village police, who are remunerated by grants of land under various tenures, are working well. These service tenures are among the oldest institutions of Orissa. Their holders have a substantial interest in retaining their appointments by rendering efficient service, while their local knowledge and the fact that their authority is generally understood and recognized by the people render them most valuable auxiliaries to the regular police. The regular police, too, are said to be improving, but the low pay of the subordinate grades makes it difficult to secure trustworthy men for employment on outpost work where the supervision which can be exercised over them is necessarily somewhat inefficient.

16. *Land Revenue.*—The land revenue was punctually paid, and there were only six sales in the whole of Orissa for arrears of the Government demand. In four of these cases the sale was intentionally brought on by the proprietors in order to clear off debt, and in every case the price realized was at least sixteen times the amount of the revenue for which the estate was sold.

17. The Government estate of Khoorda in Pooree was under survey and settlement during the year. The survey is cadastral, and, owing to the smallness of the fields and other difficulties, has made comparatively slow progress,

and cost more than was anticipated. The cadastral survey has been shown by results to have been necessary for such an estate as Khoorda. Measures for improving and expediting its operations are under consideration.

18. The operations under the Land Registration Act of 1876 have been attended with special difficulty, and 123,000 cases were pending at the close of 1877-78. This is due to the enormous number of revenue-free tenures, and the Lieutenant-Governor has no reason to believe that the work has been seriously dealt with by the local officers. The question of exempting some of the smaller rent-free tenures is still under the consideration of the Board.

19. *Excise.*—The excise revenue of Orissa rose from Rs. 3,10,469 in 1876-77 to Rs. 3,62,020 in the past year, while the charges fell from Rs. 10,619 to Rs. 10,097. There was therefore an increase in net revenue of Rs. 52,073. The consumption of country spirit fell by 2,820 gallons, while that of spirit manufactured after the English method rose by 3,031 gallons. But the bulk of the increased revenue was due to the enhanced consumption of ganja and opium. The consumption of the former drug rose from 342 maunds in 1875-76 to 386 maunds in 1877-78, and that of opium from 264 maunds to 290 maunds. In the opinion of the local officers nearly the whole of this increase arose from a genuine demand for the drug, and it is even asserted that the consumption of opium rises and falls in a direct ratio to the activity of the rice trade. The habit of using opium has become so inveterate in Orissa that the more prosperous the people are the more opium do they consume, and a rise in the price of the drug appears to have little or no effect in checking its consumption.

20. *Stamps.*—The stamp revenue shows an increase of Rs. 95,561, which is due for the most part to the effect of the Land Registration Act.

21. *Monetary arrangements.*—The complaint of the insufficient supply of currency notes at the treasuries of Cuttack and Balasore, which was noticed in the resolution on the report for 1876-77, was renewed in the past year. In Balasore it appears that the large exports of rice, which are made in the cold weather, are paid for by remitting currency notes through the post. As the local demand for notes is small, most of these notes are presented for encashment at the Balasore treasury, which is thus denuded of coin to such an extent that the encashment of notes has to be refused. With the hot weather the season for importing begins, and the Balasore merchants require notes to send to Calcutta in payment for goods. Cash pours into the treasury, and the supply of notes is soon exhausted, while the Accountant-General refuses to replenish the stock. In Balasore the issues and payments of money-orders fell during the past year, but in Cuttack the difficulty of obtaining notes for purposes of remittance caused a large increase in the demand for money-orders.

22. *Irrigation.*—The following statement illustrates the progress of irrigation in Cuttack during the last two years :—

Year.	Areas leased.	Receipts.			Cost of collection.	Net receipts.	Percentage of charges on receipts.	Remarks.
		Water-rates.	Miscellaneous.	Total.				
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1876-77	30,382	40,378	6,089	46,467	21,967	24,470	46·6	
1877-78	98,495	1,17,818	5,044	1,22,862	27,987	94,875	22·7	

It will be seen that the area leased was more than trebled and the receipts nearly trebled during the year, while the cost of collection was only slightly increased and the percentage of charges to receipts was reduced by half. The bulk of the increased charges was due to the grant of commission to village headmen, whose influence is found very useful in realizing dues from cultivators who have derived benefit from the canal water without making any formal application for permission to use it. On the whole, the results now reported are thoroughly satisfactory. All prejudices against the canal water have disappeared under the influence of two seasons of somewhat deficient rainfall, and irrigation is now eagerly sought for. The system

of granting five-year leases appears likely to have a good effect, and since the close of the year nearly all the land irrigated last year has been put under five-year leases, an arrangement which makes compulsory cesses unnecessary. It will teach the people to look upon irrigation as an insurance against seasons of short rainfall, and will cure them of the bad habit of waiting till their crop is actually threatened, and then crowding in with applications for water which it is difficult to comply with effectually.

23. *Roads and Communications.*—It is satisfactory to find that the road connecting Mohurbhunj with the Trunk Road running through Balasore has been completed in spite of the difficulties arising from the floods of the Burrabullung river. No mention, however, is made of the important road between Chandbally and Bhuddruck, to which the attention of the local officers was directed in the resolution on the report for 1876-77. Next to the ports themselves, the most important requirements of the trade of Orissa, are good roads connecting the ports with the interior of the country from which supplies must be drawn. The Lieutenant-Governor would wish to know what has actually been done to this road. Village roads should also be attended to, as this is one of the measures which especially brings home to the people the benefits they derive from the road cess.

24. *Education.*—The number of schools in Orissa rose from 2,170 to 4,546 during the year, and the number of pupils from 36,399 to 58,985. This increase is due to the introduction into Cuttack of the Midnapore system of managing primary schools, in consequence of which a large number of existing indigenous schools were enrolled as Government schools. In Cuttack alone the number of primary schools rose from 270 to 2,613, and the number of pupils from 5,282 to 28,491. It is satisfactory to find that primary education was already so well provided for in Cuttack. In Balasore, where the system of payment by results was introduced in 1876-77, the number of pupils in primary schools declined from 19,045 to 18,709, while the increase in the number of schools was only nominal. It is suggested that this may be due to the fact that in Cuttack the returns of schools are collected by the educational officers and are more complete than in Balasore where this is entrusted to the police. Except for this slight decline in Balasore, the progress of primary education in Orissa during the past year is most encouraging. Efforts should now be made to raise the standard moderately and to improve the system of teaching by introducing printed books. Judging from the zeal which the gurus are said to have displayed, there should be no difficulty in gradually carrying out these reforms. Care, however, should be taken not to raise the standard of the schools beyond the requirements of the classes by whom they are attended.

25. In higher education the results show a slight falling off during the year. In 1876-77 the Cuttack collegiate school sent up 20 candidates for the Entrance examination, of whom 15 passed. During the past year 16 candidates went up, but only eight passed. The zillah school of Balasore sent up eight pupils in 1875-76, of whom none passed, while only three passed out of nine sent up during 1877-78. This is far from creditable to the school.

26. *Local Committees.*—The working of the local committees is favourably reported on by all the district officers. The Collector of Balasore complains that attendance at committees is beginning to make serious demands upon the time of officials who have heavy work of other kinds to do. There is much truth in this remark; but it should be remembered that these committees are a chief means of educating the leading members of the native community in practical administration, and in this view form an important element in the work of a district officer.

27. *Post Office and Telegraph.*—The operations of the Postal Department during the year are stated to show considerable reductions in the cost of working, resulting in some cases in impaired efficiency. In particular the Commissioner complains of the delay caused by despatching banghy parcels to Orissa by sea, and suggests that such packets should be sent by the weekly steamer from Calcutta to Chandbally, and thence by the Government steamer *Pioneer* to Cuttack. This proposal will be communicated to the Postmaster-General for consideration and report. The Telegraph Department is said to have worked satisfactorily during the year. A new line from Cuttack to Jumboo

was opened, but it stops five miles short of False Point, and is therefore not sufficiently accessible to the traders for whose use it is intended.

28. *Conduct of Zemindars.*—The Commissioner reports favourably on the conduct of the zemindars in Orissa, and mentions Rajah Shamanund De, the Rajah of Parikood, and Baboo Kasinath Das, as deserving of special commendation.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE STOCKS OF RICE IN AND AROUND CALCUTTA.

Names of Marts.	Stocks in hand as compiled on—						
	1st week of April 1878.	1st week of May 1878.	1st week of June 1878.	1st week of July 1878.	1st week of August 1878.	1st week of September 1878.	1st week of October 1878.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Bahaghatta	7,31,700	5,90,200	4,69,200	4,36,100	3,28,700	2,76,000	3,20,600
Ooltadanga	52,600	47,700	42,000	36,500	32,500	33,750	29,500
Chitpore, Golabaree, Coomertooly, Hatkhola, and Culpy Ghât.	4,47,200	4,35,400	4,48,100	3,64,200	4,02,100	4,65,650	4,64,100
Pathuriaghatta, Posta, and Jorabagan.	15,500	16,400	11,500	14,300	12,700	8,950	13,600
Tollygunge, Chitlah, Kidderpore, and Moonshigunge.	1,60,000	1,79,200	1,62,100	96,500	1,05,000	97,700	79,000
21 Minor Bazars (estimated) ...	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000
Other retail shops, 3,129 in number (estimated).	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000
Boidyabatty, Nowabgunge, Bhuddressur, and Chandernagore.	29,294	46,402	66,329	74,611	1,57,074	58,698	1,12,986
Total ...	19,26,294	17,95,302	16,89,229	15,12,211	15,28,974	14,30,748	15,09,786
On Railway premises both sides the river.	26,716 (on 1st April.)	9,910 (on 3rd May.)	6,558 (on 3rd June.)	9,414 (on 1st July.)	3,716 (on 5th August.)	1,174 (on 2nd Sep.)	4,380 (on 1st Oct.)
On boats unloaded as by ... Port Commissioners' returns	65,149 (30th March to 1st April)	22,328 (1st to 3rd May.)	36,067 (1st to 3rd May.)	56,575 (1st to 3rd July.)	32,277 (2nd to 4th August.)	27,328 (30th Aug. to 1st September.)	18,220 (28th to 30th September.)
On boats unloaded as by ... Canal returns ...	19,538 (30th March to 1st April)	18,949 (1st to 3rd May.)	23,608 (1st to 3rd May.)	20,799 (1st to 3rd July.)	26,116 (2nd to 4th August.)	25,900 (30th Aug. to 1st September.)	13,177 (28th to 30th September.)
Grand Total of Stocks ...	20,37,697	18,46,489	17,55,462	15,98,909	15,91,083	14,85,150	15,45,563
Probable stocks available for exportation by sea.	9¾ lakhs.	8 lakhs.	7 lakhs.	5½ lakhs.	5½ lakhs.	4½ lakhs.	5 lakhs.

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT,
The 3rd October 1878.

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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 5th October 1878.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.		
	Western Districts.		
BURDWAN DIVN. 1	Burdwan, Oct. 5 '78	1·47	Weather—bright and warm, with occasional showers. The rice crop throughout the district continues to promise very well.
	Culna ...	Nil	
	Cutwa ...	0·4	
	Bood-Bood ...	0·14	
	Raneegunge ...	0·61	
2	Bankoora, „ 5 „	0·30	During the early part of the week the sky was cloudy, but without rain; during the latter part the weather was warm and sunny. The state of the crops is good, and the prospects are still favourable Epidemic fever has broken out a couple of miles west of Ajudhia.
3	Beerbhoom, „ 6* „	0·43	There has been a break in the rains, which is rather good than otherwise. The state and prospect of the corps continue very good
4	Midnapore, „ 5 „	1·01	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
5	Hooghly, „ 5 „	3·06	Weather—generally sultry; heavy rain on the 2nd instant The *aus* crop is generally harvested. The prospects of the *amun* rice and other crops are good. Fever is very prevalent.
	Howrah, „ 7† „	1·48	Showers rather more frequent than usual at this time of year. Prospects continue good over most of the district. In Doomjoor and Jugutbullubpore there has been some loss from flood. Prices are still very high.
	Central Districts		
PRESIDENCY DIVN. 6	24-Pergunnahs ...	.....	Return not received.
7	Nuddea, Oct. 5 '78	0·82	Weather—cooler in the morning and evening; hot and sunny during the day, with occasional rain. The *amun* crop is doing favourably. Jute is being steeped. Some of the high lands are being prepared for the winter crops.
	Meherpore ...	2·41	
	Chooadanga ...	2·40	
	Bongong ...	0·73	
8	Jessore, „ 5 „	0·86	Weather—fine, with the exception of a few heavy showers. The reports from Narail and Khoolna have not been received. The prospect of the crops in the other sub-divisions is so far hopeful and good.
	Jhenida ...	1·33	
	Magoora ...	2·91	
	Bagirhat ...	1·75	
9	Moorshedabad „ 5 „	0·45	Weather—sultry. The *amun* continues to do well, and the prospects are generally good, although prices are still high.
	Lalbagh ...	1·44	
	Rampore Hât ...	0·80	
10	Dinagepore, „ 4 „	0·64	Weather—hot and dry with slight rain. There was slight rain, but the succeeding dry weather has partly dried up the fifth flood in the station. No change in the prospect of the *kaimanta*, jute, and sugarcane crops. Rice is selling from 10 to 14 seers per rupee.
11	Rajshahye, „ 5 „	1·02	There has been heavy rain during the week throughout the district. The prospects of the *dhan* crop continue to be favourable, and have been much benefited by the rain. *Kalai* is being sown. Fever is reported from almost all parts of the district.
12	Rungpore, „ 4 „	0·47	Strong sun. Weather very favourable for the *amun* crop, the state and prospects of which are generally good. Public health is very good for the season of the year.
	Bagdogra ...	0·91	
	Kurigram ...	0·04	
13	Bogra, „ 5 „	1·59	Weather—good and seasonable. There was some rain during the early part of the week. *Aus* and jute have been harvested. *Amun* is doing well. The district is fairly healthy.
14	Pubna, „ 5 „	1·66	Weather—showery. The prospects of the crops continue good. Public health is good.
15	Darjeeling, „ 4 „	1·08	The rainfall has been greater this year than for many years past, but the rains seem to be pretty nearly over now. The *bhadoi dhan* has been gathered in with fair results. The *kaimanta dhan* (the principal crop) is in the ear and promises a good outturn.
16	Julpigoree, „ 5 „	0·53	The little rain which has fallen was very seasonable. Hot sun; cloudy towards evening, giving promise of more rain. No change to report in the prospects of the corps, which are very promising.
	Cooch Behar, „ 2 „	Nil	Weather—fair, hot and close. The prospects of *kaimanta dhan* continue satisfactory. The people are actively engaged in sowing tobacco seeds. The price of *bitri* rice has come down to Rs. 3·2. Public health is generally good.
	Mecklignnge ...	12·7	
	Mathabhanga ...	0·55	
	Dinhatta ...	30·25	

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)			
	Eastern Districts.		
DACCA DIVN.			
17	Dacca, Oct. 5 '78 Manickgunge ... Moonsheegunge (for week ending 2nd).	2·23 0·14 1·60	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are fair.
18	Furreedpore, „ 5 „ Goalundo ... Madaripore ...	2·58 1·95 0·61	Weather—showery, but of the rainfall noted in the Sudder, 2·10 inches fell on the 4th in about two hours. The *amun* crop promises exceedingly well.
19	Backergunge, „ 3 „	1·39	Weather—sultry, with occasional showers. The prospects of the *amun* crop are excellent. The damage caused by insects in the south of the district appears to have been slight. There is a tendency to a fall in prices. Health is good.
20	Mymensingh, „ 4 „	1·51	Weather—seasonably hot, with occasional showers. The prospects of the rice crop on the high lands are very fine, but the crops on the low lands have been much injured by inundation. The late floods have caused a panic in the bazars, and rice is not brought for sale. Rs. 8 per maund are demanded in places.
21	Tipperah, „ 4 „ Brahmunbaria ... Chandpore ...	2·75 0·42 2·26	Rain on three days of the week; on the other days weather very sultry and oppressive. Owing to excessive inundation, the transplantation of rice has been interfered with in the north of the district. Generally speaking, however, the prospects of the *amun dhan* are good in most parts of the district.
CHITTAGONG DIVN.			
22	Chittagong, „ 3 „	1·61	Weather—warm, with seasonable showers. No change to report. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
23	Noakholly „ 3 „	1·62	Weather—very hot. The reaping of the early rice crop has been completed and the transplantation of the *amun* crop continues. Prospects are good Public health is good.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 1 „	3·58	Weather—rainy during the first part of the week and sunny during the latter part. The gathering of the *joom* paddy crop still continues. The prospects of the plough cultivators' crop are good.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 2 „	1·48	Weather—very warm and steamy. The *amun* crop is getting on well. Two of three heavy falls of rain within the month will ensure a splendid outturn. Low fever is prevalent.
BEHAR.			
PATNA DIVN.			
25	Patna, Oct. 5 '78	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are very good.
26	Gya, „ 5 „ Nowada ... Aurungabad ... Jehanabad ...	Nil 0·40 0·98 Nil	The general appearance of the sky was partly cloudy and partly clear The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 94·6. The prospect of the *aghani* crop is favourable everywhere in the district. The ploughing for the *rubbee* crop is going on. Public health is generally good. Health of the plough cattle is good.
27	Shahabad, „ 5 „	0·11	Weather—hot in the day time; occasionally cloudy. The prospects of the crops are good, but in pergunnah Chowsa some rain is wanted for the paddy. No reports from the sub-divisions of Sasseram and Bhubbooah have been received
28	Durbhunga, „ 5 „	0·18	Weather—very hot and close. The state and prospects of the crops are very good. Prices are falling.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 5 „	Nil	Weather—hot. The rice crop is in good condition. The harvesting of the *bhadoi* crops is almost finished. The cultivation of *rubbee* lands has commenced.
30	Sarun, „ 5 „ Sewan ... Gopalgunge ...	0·69 0·29 1·34	Weather—close and sultry. Slight rain fell at the beginning of the week. Fields are being prepared for the *rubbee* crops. The winter rice requires more rain. Prices are rapidly falling. Fever is still prevalent.
31	Chumparun, „ 5 „	0·02	Weather—hot and close during the day, but cool at night. The prospects of the crops are the same as reported before. The *bhadoi* has been commenced to be harvested, and the outturn is estimated at 14 annas.
BHAGULPORE DIVISION.			
32	Monghyr, „ 5 „ Begusarai ... Jamui ..	0·08 0·63 0·50	Weather—hot, with little rain. The state and prospects of the crops are good, if there be rain.
33	Bhagulpore, ...	.....	Return not received.
34	Purneah, „ 5 „ Kissengunge ... Arrareah ...	0·06 0·11 0·45	Weather—fine and sultry. Clouds seem to promise more rain. The *bhadoi* has been nearly gathered in; the outturn is good. The winter crops promise well. Fever is prevalent.
35	Maldah, „ 5 „	0·40	Intense heat during the week. Weather somewhat cooler on the 5th in consequence of a shower during the night. Paddy and *kalai* have been benefited by slight rain. Rivers continue falling. Fever is still prevalent
36	Sonthal Perghs. ...	.....	Return not received.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
ORISSA.			
ORISSA DIVS. 37	Cuttack, ...	...	Return not received.
38	Pooree, Oct. 3 '78	4·36	Weather—seasonable. Rain is reported from all parts of the district. *Beali* and *mandia* are being harvested. *Sarad* rice is progressing well. Common rice sells at 11 3/16 to 18¾ seers for the rupee. Exportation across the Chilka continues. Public health is good.
39	Balasore, „ 4 „	1·85	Weather—calm and sultry; the showers are becoming fewer. The early sorts of rice are being harvested with fair outturn. The main crop is in good condition. Public health is normal. Cattle-pox and foot and mouth disease still prevail.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Oct. 4 '78	0·43	Weather—seasonable. There is little or no change to report. Everything so far is progressing favourably. Cholera has nearly disappeared.
41	Lobarungga, „ 5 „ Palamow ...	0·02 0·2	Dry weather—There has been little or no rain during the week All the crops on the ground continue to look well, but rain is much wanted, as without a good shower the outturn of *dhan* is likely to be much less than 16 annas. Fever is still prevalent in Palamow.
42	Singbhoom, „ 4	0·8	Weather—seasonable. Everything is most satisfactory.
43	Manbhoom, „ 4	0·55	Weather—hot. There was very little rain in the Sudder station. In the northern parts of the district the crops have been greatly benefited by a small shower which fell on the 4th instant. The crops are flourishing, but a little rain is urgently necessary. In the western parts of the district relief works are still kept up, and gratuitous relief given. The Deputy Commissioner, who has again visited Jargo, states that in that quarter the autumn harvest has been poor, and the low land prospects are not good, owing to insufficient rain and want of weeding

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.				Barley.		Rice, best sort.				Rice, common.		Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.		
		Present return		Corresponding week last year.		Present return	Corresponding week last year	Present return		Corresponding week last year.		Present return	Corresponding week last year	Present return		Corresponding week last year.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.															
1	Burdwan	A 12 0	11 4	12 0	20 0	20 0	30 0	11 12	12 0	13 12	12 4	12 12	15 0	...	...	...
2	Bankoora	B 11 12	11 8	13 12	16 0	16 0	24 0	15 0	14 0	15 12	17 8	15 8	16 0	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom	C 11 0	11 0	13 0	14 0	13 0	20 0	9 8	9 8	11 0	12 12	12 0	14 4	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	13 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.															
	Calcutta	11 0	11 0	11 8	16 0	13 5	23 0	5 11	5 11	8 0	10 0	10 0	11 8	...	...	...
6	24-Pergunnahs	D ...	...	8 0	...	...	..	6 0	6 8	6 8	9 0	8 4	8 8	...	...	...
7	Nuddea	E 11 7	11 7	13 5	13 5½	16 0	29 0	9 7	9 7	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 10	...	...	...
8	Jessore	F 10 0	10 0	13 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 8	11 0	13 8	...	...	...
9	Moorshedabad	12 0	12 0	14 0 to 15 0	...	...	32 0	10 0	10 0	10 0 to 10 4	11 8 to 12 0	11 8	11 0 to 13 0	...	...	...
10	Dinagepore	G 10 11	10 13	10 8	12 4	12 4	12 4	10 3	10 3	12 0	12 0	12 0	15 8	...	...	...
11	Rajshahye	6 12	11 4	13 8	15 0	18 8	24 0	8 8 to 9 12	8 4 to 9 12	9 0 to 9 12	10 8 to 13 2	11 4 to 13 8	14 4 to 15 0	...	...	...
12	Rungpore	H 9 1½	8 9½	15 0	...	...	...	9 7	9 6	12 1½	11 15	12 0	15 0 to 18 0	...	...	...
13	Bogra	12 0	13 8	12 6	...	...	...	9 12	9 0	12 0	10 8	12 0	16 8	...	...	...
14	Pubna*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Darjeeling	I 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	10 0	...	...	...
16	Julpigoree†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.															
17	Dacca	J 11 4	10 12	10 0	16 0	20 0	26 10	8 8	8 12	10 0	10 0	10 12	11 7	...	...	...
18	Furreedpore	K 13 0	13 0	14 8	15 0	20 0	30 0	6 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 8	...	...	...
19	Backergunge	L ...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	11 0	...	...	...
20	Mymensingh	M 9 8	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 8	8 8	9 4	12 0	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

† Head-quarter prices not furnished. In the interior prices range as follow:—Best rice 5 to 9 seers, common rice 9 to 16 seers, gram 8 seers and salt 6 to 8 seers.

A In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 12¼ seers, barley 17 to 18 seers, best rice 10 to 13¼ seers, common rice 11½ to 13¾ seers and gram 10 to 11½ seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 12 seers, barley 17 to 34 seers, best rice 11½ to 14 seers, common rice 12½ to 1[illegible] seers, maize or Indian-corn 17 to 34 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

C In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10½ to 13 seers, best rice 10½ to 14 seers, common rice 11½ to 15¾ seers, and gram 9½ to 13½ seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 6¼ to 7 seers, common rice 7½ to 12½ seers, and gram 10 to 10½ seers.

undermentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 30th September 1878.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	BENGAL
																		Western Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	15 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	10 4	10 0	9 4	Burdwan.
...	...	...	...	...	...	26 0	25 0	32 0	10 8	11 0	13 12	320 0	320 0	400 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	16 0	180 0	180 0	200 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	180 0	180 0	200 0	8 8	8 8	8 12	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hooghly.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	Howrah.*
																		Central Districts.
...	...	23 0	...	...	...	16 0	13 5	23 0	11 0	11 0	14 8	66 0	64 0	100 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	9 0	9 0	9 4	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 11	11 0	17 4	100 0	100 0	90 0	9 2	9 5	9 6	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 4	10 0	18 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	17 0 to 18 0	120 0	100 0	120 0	8 0 to 9 8	7 8 to 9 8	7 0 to 9 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	9 9½	10 8	13 3	160 0	180 0	180 0	8 4	8 0	8 4	Dinagepore.
...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	11 4	19 8	160 0 to 200 0	160 0 to 200 0	240 0	9 0	8 4	9 0	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 9½	...	15 0	106 10	107 0	107 0	7 8	7 8	8 1	Rungpore.
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	10 9	10 14	12 0	67 8	67 8	90 0	8 10	8 4	8 4	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pubna.*
...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	Darjeeling.
...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	Julpigoree.†
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	14 8	106 0	106 0	80 0	9 0	8 14	9 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	20 0	..	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 12	16 0	100 0	100 0	1 0 0	8 12	8 12	8 8	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	11 8	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 12	Mymensingh.

E In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 14 seers, barley 20 to 20¾ seers, best rice 6¾ to 9 seers, common rice 10 to [illegible] seers, and gram 11¼ to 12 seers.
F In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 10 seers, common rice 9 to 12 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.
G At Roygunge the prices are—Wheat 11 seers, best rice 11 seers, common rice 14 seers, and gram 11 seers.
H In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 21 seers, best rice 7½ to 9 $\frac{9}{16}$ seers, common rice 9 to 10 seers, and gram 8 to 9 seers.
I In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 4 to 8 seers, common rice 7 to 12 seers, and gram 6 to 8 seers.
J In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 8¾ to 9½ seers, common rice 10½ to 11 seers, and gram (at Naraingunge) 9¾ seers.
K In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 8 to 9 seers, common rice 9 to 11 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.
L In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 8¾ to 9½ seers, common rice 10 to 11 seers, and gram 8 to 12 seers.
M In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 6 to 8 seers, common rice 6 to 9 seers, and gram 8¾ to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																	
	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Eastern Districts—(Contd.)															
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Chittagong	N 9 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	5 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...
Noakholly	O ...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	9 0	12 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...
Tipperah	10 0	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	11 8	...	...	...
Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 0	8 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	...	...	...
Hill Tipperah	8 0	7 0	10 5	...	...	...	8 0	8 5	13 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	...
BEHAR.															
Patna	16 0	13 8	15 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	9 8	8 0	8 12	13 8	12 0	13 0	...	...	...
Gya	P 12 0	11 4	17 0	18 0	17 0	24 0	8 8	8 0	11 0	11 8	10 0	13 8	...	...	...
Shahabad	Q 12 8 to 13 0	12 4 to 13 4	14 0	20 0	19 0 to 20 0	19 0	10 8 to 11 0	9 8 to 10 0	10 8	11 8 to 12 8	10 8 to 12 0	11 8	...	...	...
Durbhunga	R 12 0	12 8	14 4	21 0	22 0	27 8	10 4	10 4	12 0	11 12	11 8	14 4	...	...	...
Mozufferpore	S 12 0	12 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...
Sarun	13 0	12 4	13 0	20 0	20 0	18 0	7 0	6 12	7 0	12 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...
Chumparun	T 11 0	11 8	17 0	...	19 0	25 0	11 0	10 0	9 0	16 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...
Mongbyr	U 12 6	13 1	12 6	21 0	13 6	21 0	8 4	8 4	8 4	11 5	10 5	10 5	...	...	...
Bhagulpore	V 12 10	12 0	12 3	17 11	15 2	20 3	10 1	9 3	10 1½	13 4	11 6	12 10	...	...	...
Purneah	W 11 0 to 12 0	12 0 to 13 0	12 0 to 14 0	...	...	...	9 0 to 10 0	11 0	12 8	13 0 to 14 0	13 0 to 15 0	14 0 to 16 0	...	...	...
Maldah	12 0	12 8	14 0	...	...	32 8	10 0	10 0	15 0	11 8	11 0	16 0	...	...	30 0
Sonthal Pergunnahs	9 0	9 0	14 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	12 0	11 8	11 8	13 0	...	...	...
ORISSA.															
Cuttack	9 13	7 4	13 2	...	...	...	9 3	9 3	8 14	13 12†	13 12	10 8	...	...	...
Pooree	7 14	7 4	11 13	...	...	...	7 14	7 14	7 14	11 13	10 8	11 13	...	...	...
Balasore*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPORE. *North-Western Frontier Agency.*															
Hazareebagh	X 9 8	9 8	15 8	...	...	...	9 0	8 8	11 0	11 0	10 8	15 8	...	...	...
Lohardugga	Y 8 0	8 0	18 0	...	...	24 0	10 0	8 0	16 0	12 0 to 17 0	9 8 to 11 0	20 0 to 24 0	...	...	...
Singbhoom	8 0	9 0	26 0	24 0	24 0	40 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	15 0	15 0	36 0	...	...	...
Manbhoom	9 0	10 8	14 0	...	...	30 0	12 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.

† In the interior the price of common rice ranges from 18¾ to 23¾ seers.

In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 6 to 10 seers, and common rice 12 to 15 seers.

In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 8 to 12 seers, and common rice 10 to 16 seers.

In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11 to 11½ seers, barley 16 to 20 seers, best rice (at Johanabad) 8 seers, common rice 11¼ to 12, seers, and gram 11 to 12½ seers.

In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 12 to 13¾ seers, barley 15 to 18 seers, best rice 8½ to 9 seers, common rice 11 to 12 seers, maize or Indian-corn 23 to 26 seers, and gram 11 to 12½ seers.

In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11½ to 14 seers, barley 18 to 30 seers, best rice 8½ to 12 seers, common rice 11 to 13 seers.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 30th September 1878.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts—(Contd.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	6 0	10 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	9 0	...	...	...	8 0	7 8	8 0	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	11 8	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	9 0	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	6 6	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 5	10 5	11 5	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
						35 0	25 0	25 0	12 8	13 0	16 0	140 0	140 0	150 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
		..	26 0	25 0	27 0	26 0	26 0	24 0	13 0	11 8	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	Gya.
30 0	20 0 to 21 0			12 8	20 0	12 0	...	20 0	11 8 to 12 0	11 8 to 12 0	17 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	8 12	9 4	9 0	Shahabad.
			26 0	22 0	26 4	33 0	28 8	28 8	11 8	11 0	20 12	121 0	121 0	176 0	7 12	8 0	8 0	Durbhunga.
						30 0	18 0	25 0	11 0	11 0	19 0	100 0	140 0	140 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Mozufferpore.
...			28 0	20 0	19 0	28 0	20 0	20 0	12 8	12 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 8	8 4	8 8	Sarun.
...	...	..	...	...	...	32 0	26 0	25 0	10 8	11 0	21 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Chumparun.
...	...	.	...	..	..	29 4	24 1	23 1	12 6	12 6	16 8	126 0	168 0	126 0	8 4	8 9	8 4	Monghyr.
...	...	.	...	...	...	27 12	25 4	22 11	12 10	12 10	16 6	126 4	126 4	139 1	8 13	8 13	8 13	Bhagulpore.
...	..	.	...		..	..	...	...	10 0 to 10 8	10 8 to 11 0	13 0 to 16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	Purneah.
...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	30 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	130 0	8 0	8 8	8 4	Maldah.
...	.	..	...	...	...	50 0	.	...	10 0	10 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sonthal Pergha.
																		ORISSA.
...	...	..	13 2	10 8	20 5	...	...	...	14 7	15 12	13 2	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	10 8	Cuttack.
...	.	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	12 7	12 7	11 13	100 0	100 0	126 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	Pooree.
...	...	..	...	..	.	...	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore.*
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
...	..	..	32 0	24 0	32 0	24 0	36 0	30 0	10 0	9 0	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	7 0	7 4	8 0	Hazareebagh.
...	...	...	20 0	14 0	36 0	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	Lohardugga.
...	..	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	12 0	12 0	28 0	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	64 0	...	...	40 0	40 0	11 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	Manbhoom.

T In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11½ to 13¾ seers, barley 15 to 20 seers, best rice 9 to 12 seers, common rice 11 to 13 seers, lesser millets 20 to 32 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 32 seers, and gram 10 to 15 seers.

U In Jamui the prices are—Wheat 13·65 seers, barley 15·75 seers, best rice 10·50 seers, common rice 11 seers, great millet 16·80 seers, lesser millets 31·50 seers, maize or Indian-corn 28·35 seers, and gram 13·65 seers.

V At Banka the prices are—Wheat 12 seers, barley 16 seers, best rice 12 seers, common rice 13 seers, lesser millets 18 seers, maize or Indian-corn 25 seers, and gram 12 seers.

W In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 16 seers, best rice 9 to 13 seers, common rice 13 to 25 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

X In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 seers, barley 13 to 14 seers, best rice (at Chuttra) 10 seers, common rice 11½ to 12 seers, lesser millets 20 to 40 seers maize or Indian-corn 20 to 27 seers, and gram 10 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

No.	MARTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, Common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo Bajra.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	3 10 0	3 10 6	3 12 6 to 4 0 0	2 8 6	3 0 6	1 10 6	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 0 0 to 5 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 6 to 4 12 0	...	...	...
2	Serajgunge* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	3 9 0	3 10 0	4 2 0	2 4 0	1 15 0	0 14 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 6 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 7 0	4 6 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	8 12 0	3 4 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	2 8 0	2 15 6	2 11 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	1 13 0	4 3 9	5 0 0	4 3 6	2 15 6	3 5 3	2 14 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 11 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	3 14 0	5 6 0	2 15 0	...	...	...	4 3 0	4 3 0	4 6 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 10 6	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 8th October 1878.

he undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 30th September 1878.

F 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
...	...	1 10 6	...	...	...	2 8 0	3 0 6	1 10 6	3 10 6	3 10 6	2 12 0 to 2 14 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Serajgunge*.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 14 0	3 15 0	2 10 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 4 0	4 4 0	4 5 6	4 2 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	..	...	1 2 0	1 9 6	1 11 0	3 3 6	3 1 0	2 1 8	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore*.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.
...	...	...	3 0 0	3 8 0	1 15 3	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 7 0	2 15 3	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 4	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Cuttack.

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RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 29th Sept. to 5th Oct. 1878.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity. *	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Sept. 29th	10	29·862	29·884	84·5	79·8	80	E N E	2·5	...	K	c
		16	29·734	29·755	85.3	79 9	78	S	2·7	0·12	C, K	c
	30th	10	29·853	29·875	81·0	79·4	93	N N E	1·3	...	P	o, g, p, raining.
		16	29·704	29·725	88·4	81·0	71	S S W	4·2	0·17	C, K	c
	Oct. 1st	10	29·807	29·828	86·9	80·7	75	S W	4·3	...	CK, CS	c
		16	29·679	29.701	82·5	79·6	87	E	5·2	...	PC	o
	2nd	10	29·776	29·797	85·7	81·1	81	S W	2·2	...	K, PK	o, g
		16	29·655	29·677	83 1	79 0	83	N W by W	4·6	0·39	PC	o
	3rd	10	29 744	29·765	85·1	80·7	81	N W by N	1·8	...	K	c
		16	29·614	29 635	88·0	80·2	70	N E	3·7	...	K, C	c
	4th	10	29·753	29 774	86·0	80·2	77	S	2·0	...	K, C	c
		16	29·664	29·686	83·7	79 2	81	E	3 0		P, FK	o, g
	5th	10	29·749	29·771	85 4	80·3	79	N N E	6 0	0 32	K, FK	c
		16	29·619	29·671	81 4	77·6	84	E by N	9·0	0·34	PC, FK	o, t
Saugor Island.	Sept. 29th	10	29·874	29·880	84·5	81·5	87	E N E	3	0·08	.....	passing showers during day.
		16	29·742	29·748	88	82	76	S S E	4	0 11	.....	ditto ditto.
	30th	10	29·859	29·865	88	82	76	S S E	5		...	b, c
		16	29·738	29 744	88	81	73	S	8	0·10	.....	b, c
	Oct 1st	10	29·816	29 822	88	83	80	W	5	.	...	b, c
		16	29·692	29.698	87	81·5	78	E S E	8	...	.....	no remarks.
	2nd	10	29·750	29·756	88·5	83	78	W S W	4	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·649	29·655	90·5	83	72	W S W	8	...	.....	
	3rd	10	29·751	29·757	86	83	88	N	4	..	.....	t, thunder and lightning.
		16	29·629	29 635	85·5	81	81	S	4	1·06	.....	threatening weather.
	4th	10	29·758	29·764	89	84	80	N N E	3	..	.....	
		16	29·652	29·658	87	81·5	78	S S E	4	0 08	.....	t, l at distance.
	5th	10	29·770	29 776	88	81	73	N E	5	.	.....	dark, gloomy and threatening weather
		16	29 659	29·665	9·5	79 0	98	N E	8	0·36	.....	o, continuous rain.
Chittagong.	Sept. 29th	10	29 816	29·908	86	81·5	82	C	2	...	.....	moist and muggy.
	30th	10	29·789	29·881	81	79	91	N N E	2	0·17	.....	o, moist and muggy.
	Oct. 1st	10	29·756	29·847	83	79·5	85	N	1	0·25	.....	g, ditto
	2nd	10	29·719	29·809	88	83	83	C	1	...	.....	sultry.
	3rd	10	29·679	29·770	85·5	8 ·5	84	W S W	1	..	.....	o, b, c
	4th	10	29·709	29·800	86	80·5	78	E S E	1	0·05	.....	moist and muggy.
	5th	10	29·712	29·803	84	79	79	E	3	1 24	.....	ditto
Akyab.	Sept. 29th	10	29 874	29 895	86 5	83	86	N E	1	0·02	.....	t, l at distance.
	30th	10	29.851	29·872	86	81 5	82	N N E	1	0·47	.....	b, c
	Oct. 1st	10	29 693	29·715	84·5	81·5	87	N N E	2	0·62	.....	g, g
	2nd	10	29·777	29·798	86	82	84	E	2	0 09	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	29·767	29 788	85·5	82	85	S E	2	0·16	.....	b, c
	4th	10	29·799	29·821	82	80	91	S	3	0 82	.....	p
	5th	10	29·847	29 869	77	75	91	E	5	6 95	.....	c, continuous rain 12 hours.
False Point.	Sept. 29th	10	29 846	29·861	89	82	73	E N E	4	0·06	.....	no remarks.
	30th	10	29·846	29·861	89	83	77	E	4	0·15	.....	sultry
	Oct. 1st	10	29 832	29·847	85	80·5	81	C	3	...	.....	b, c
	2nd	10	29·799	29·814	87	80·5	74	W	3	...	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	29 746	29 761	88 5	81·5	73	W	4	...	.....	b, c
	4th	10	29 751	29·766	87	81	72	N W	7	...	.....	threatening weather.
	5th	10	29·748	29·763	83	81	91	N W	7	0·34	.....	dark gloomy weather.
Vizagapatam.	Sept. 29th	10	29·782	29·813	85·5	80	78	N E	1	0 80	.....	t, l at distance.
	30th	10	29·793	29 824	85	80	79	E S E	4	0·40	.....	d, t, l at distance
	Oct. 1st	10	29·803	29·835	84	80	83	S E	2	0·50	.....	d, passing showers during day.
	2nd	10	29·788	29 819	85·5	78·5	72	N W	1	0·10	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	29·752	29·783	86	79·5	74	W S W	2	..	.....	b, c
	4th	10	29·749	29·780	86	80	76	W N W	3	1·00	.....	t, l at distance.
	5th	10	29 759	29·791	84	78·5	77	N W	3	1·10	.....	ditto
Colombo.	Sept. 29th	10	29·847	29·888	83 5	78·5	79	W S W	6	...	.....	b, c
	30th	10	29·806	29·847	83	79	83	S S W	6	...	.....	b, c
	Oct. 1st	10	29·718	29·839	84	79	79	S W	10	0·14	.....	b, c
	2nd	10	29·810	29 851	82·5	77·5	79	S W	11	1·68	.....	passing showers
	3rd	10	29 830	29 871	83·5	78	77	S S W	10	0·44	.....	ditto
	4th	10	29·890	29·931	84·5	79·0	77	S S W	15	..	.....	b, c
	5th	10	29·906	29·947	82 5	78·5	83	S S W	9	0·05	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 5th October 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 29th September to 5th October 1878.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature. Mean.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Range.	Temperature. Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Hygrometry. Vapour tension.	Hygrometry. Dew point.	Hygrometry. Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1878.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Sept.	29th	153·5	29·812	81·6	86·8	9·0	77·8	79·4	0·979	78·6	91	Till 7-15 A.M. S, till 11 A.M. E N E through S E and E, till 2 P.M. E. till midnight S through S E.	48	0·12	Day cloudy, night clear, *w* and *p*.
„	30th	153·7	·784	81·7	88·5	10·0	78·5	79·7	0·988	78·9	91	Till 3 A.M. S, till 11 A.M. N N E through E and N E, till 3 P.M. S through E and S E, till 6 P.M. W by N through S W, till midnight E S E through S W and S.	58	0·17	Cloudy, *o*, *g*, *p*, and *w*.
Oct.	1st	154·6	·743	81·3	88·5	9·5	79·0	79·5	0·982	78·7	91	Till 8 A.M. E S E, till noon W by N through S and S W, till midnight E by S through S and S E.	76	Nil	Day cloudy, night chiefly clear, *o*, *t*, and *w*.
„	2nd	107·6	·714	81·5	85·7	6·7	79·0	79·5	0·982	78·7	91	Till 8 A.M. E by S, till 11 A.M. N through S and W, till 12-45 P.M. S W by S through N W and W, till midnight S E by E through W, N and E.	64	0·39	Day cloudy, night chiefly clear, *o*, *g*, *p*, *f*, and *w*.
„	3rd	151·9	·692	82·3	89·9	11·9	78·0	79·7	0·982	78·7	89	Till 8 A.M. S E by E, till noon N W by N through E and N, till midnight S S E through N, N E and E.	54	Nil	Day chiefly cloudy, night chiefly clear, *f* and *w*.
„	4th	154·4	·708	81·0	89·7	10·8	78·9	79·2	0·972	78·4	91	Till 8-30 A.M. S S E, till 10-30 A.M. S, till 4 P.M. chiefly E and N E through S E, till midnight S E by E.	52	0·32	Day cloudy, night chiefly clear, *o*, *g*, *p*, *t*, *w* and ☽
„	5th	149·1	·704	80·2	89·6	11·8	77·8	78·5	0·953	77·8	92	Till 8 A.M. S E by E, till 2 P.M. chiefly N through E and N E, till midnight E by N through N E.	95	0·34	Chiefly cloudy, *o*, *g*, *t*, *p* and *w*.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·737
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	29·753
	⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	81·4
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	83·2
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days	12·1
The maximum temperature during the seven days	89·9
	%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	91
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	83
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 29th September to 5th October 1878	1·34
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	1·74
The total fall from 1st January to 5th October 1878	55·89
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	60·27

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o overcast; *g* dark gloomy weather; *p* passing temporary showers; *t* thunder; *w* wet, for dew; *f* fog; ☽ Lunar corona.

Abstract of the results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of September 1878.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·677		
The average pressure of 25 years	29·686		
The highest pressure during the month	29·865	29th	10h.
The lowest pressure during the month	29·451	22nd	16h.
The range of pressure during the month	0·414		
The mean temperature of the month	81·9		
The average temperature of 25 years	83·2		
The highest temperature during the month	93·3	20th	
The lowest temperature during the month	75·5	23rd	
The range of temperature during the month	17·8		
The mean daily range of temperature during the month ...	9·4		
The greatest range of temperature in one day during the month	12·3	4th & 20th.	
	%		
The mean humidity during the month	90		
The mean vapour tension during the month	0·982		
The average humidity of 25 years	85		
The average vapour tension of 11 years	0·984		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	7·12		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	10·92		
The average fall of 50 years	10·66		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	6·20	22nd	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	20		
The average number of rainy days of 25 years	21		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation of the month	143·3		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures ...	55·0		
The greatest sun temperature	158·5	13th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	69·8	13th	
The mean temperature of nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	76·0		
The mean depression of nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum of air	3·0		
The greatest depression of nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum of air	4·5	3rd	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	118·4		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	361·0	22nd	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour... ...	38	22nd	11 to 12h.

The number of hours under each of the 8 points—
N16, NE42, E156, SE92, S222, SW131, W36, NW17, Calm 8.

The results of the observations at the Alipore Observatory are not rigorously comparable with the registers of past years (at the Park Street Observatory). The barometer is about 3 feet higher at Alipore, and, other things being equal, reads therefore ·003 lower. The diurnal range of temperature is also greater at Alipore, and the mean temperature apparently about 1° or 1½° lower; and finally, the thermometer, which has furnished the record of temperature at the Surveyor-General's Office during the last 20 years and upwards, is found to read 0·6° higher than the Kew standard thermometer, which is the standard of reference at the present Observatory.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
For Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA, the 7th October 1878.

Report on the Fluctuations in Traffic on the Northern Bengal State Railway for the month of August 1878.

Increases.

Jute ... ... Mds. 10,188

The new jute is just beginning to find its way into the market. By far the largest proportion of the weight shown was despatched from one station, Darwani.

Seeds ... ... Mds. 579

The movement in this staple of traffic s fairly local, presumably for sowing purposes.

Sugar ... ... Mds. 943

There was a considerable demand in Calcutta for this article during the month for local consumption and the favorable rates ruling induced despatches.

Cotton ... ... Mds. 12

This weight represents the total traffic in this staple during the month, as nothing was carried under this head during July.

Tea ... ... Mds. 4,838

The total weight of this staple lifted during the month under review reached 8,560, being 3,024 maunds in excess of any previous month and as shown above 4,838 over last month's despatches.

Tobacco ... ... Mds 2,167

This increase is almost entirely due to heavy despatches of the new crop from our Rungpore station for export to Burmah.

Decreases.

Ale ... ... Mds. 58

The upward despatch of Commissariat Beer still continues, but the total quantity sent forward this month fell somewhat short of last

Food-grain ... ... Mds. 22,919

I regret to have again to record so large a falling off in this staple.

The enquiries I have made on the subject tend to show that the total absence of demand either for export or local consumption has helped to throw what is being carried into the hands of the Manjees, (Boat owners). With no turn in the market to be taken advantage of, the cheapest and, for the time being, the most convenient mode of transit boat is selected, as the roads to most of our stations are still impassable.

Ginger ... ... Mds. 1,561

The total absence of demand in the Calcutta market for this article has, for the time being, checked despatches.

Gunny-bags .. .. Mds. 18

This falling off is trifling and only worthy of notice as tending to show that the movement in food-grains, although not being conveyed by rail, is still considerable.

Railway material ... ... Mds. 13,960

This falling off, as I have before explained, is the natural result of the construction of line nearing completion.

Salt ... ... Mds. 613

During the whole of the month the total weight carried under this head has only reached 146 maunds as against 759 maunds in the previous month. The decrease is caused by the boats carrying it at a very low rate as a return load.

Other goods ... ... Mds. 1,616

The decrease under this head is made up almost entirely by short despatches of through booked miscellaneous consignments from Eastern Bengal Railway.

Statement shewing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line during the month of August 1878.

Staples.	July 1878.		August 1878.		Total, July.	Total, August.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
Ale	511	.....	453	...	511	453	....	58
Cotton	.....	..	12	... ..	...	12	12	..
Food-grain	2,187	37,600	1,520	15,348	39,787	16,868	.	22,919
Ginger	.. .	3,281	. .	1,720	3,281	1,720	....	1,561
Gunny-bags	213	131	47	279	344	326	... .	18
Hides	... ..	218	9	94	218	103		115
Jute	.....	3,587	. ..	13,745	3,587	13,745	10,188	... ..
Piece-goods	432	304	574	93	736	667	.... .	69
Railway materials	37,657	1,977	21,474	4,200	39,634	25,674	. . .	13,960
Salt	231	528	54	92	759	146	.	13
Seeds	181	65	496	329	246	825	579	
Sugar	183	1	1,105	22	184	1,127	943	.
Tea	.....	3,722	. ....	8,560	3,722	8,560	4,838	.... .
Tobacco	4	2,902	.... .	5,073	2,906	5,073	2,167	. . .
All other goods	3,840	3,554	3,714	2,064	7,394	5,778	..	1,616
Total ...	45,439	57,840	29,458	51,619	1,03,279	81,077	.....	22,202

G. M. Drury, *Traffic Manager.*

Traffic Superintendent's Office, Saidpur, the 23rd September 1878.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 34.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 1878
			25th August 1878.	24th August 1878.	To 25th August 1877.	To 24th August 1878.		
1878.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
7th September ...	Northern Bengal	219	.....	11,665 0 0	.....	4,90,690 0 0	4,90,690 0 0	.....
1st August ...	Tirhoot	78	6,550 0 0	6,633 0 0	1,76,284 0 0	2,83,529 0 0	1,07,245 0 0	.....
7th September ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,551 0 0	2,007 0 0	71,652 0 0	85,143 0 0	13,491 0 0	.....
4th August ...	Nalhati	27¼	1,490 0 0	1,154 0 0	58,014 0 0	60,651 0 0	2,637 0 0	.....
	Total ...	352¼	10,591 0 0	21,459 0 0	3,05,950 0 0	9,20,013 0 0	6,14,063 0 0	.....

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 4533A.

GENERAL.—*The 4th October* 1878.—Mr. J. C. Price, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Burdwan, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the date on which he made over charge of his settlement duties at Midnapore.

The 7th October 1878.—Mr. L. B. B. King, District and Sessions Judge, is posted to Dinagepore.

Mr. L. C. Abbott is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors in Patna, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his acting appointment as Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Mr. L. C. Abbott, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is transferred to Darjeeling.

Mr. F. H. Elphinstone, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is allowed leave for one and a half months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th instant, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

The 9th October 1878.—Moonshee Mahomed Gowsee is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Barh, Patna, *vice* Baboo Bepin Behary Pramanick, deputed to license-tax duty.

The 14th October 1878.—Baboo Jugul Kishore Lall was employed as a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade at Chumparun from 1st June to 3rd August last, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Ishree Pershad to the License Tax Department.

POLICE.—*The 24th September* 1878.—The following promotions in the grade of Inspectors of Police are sanctioned :—

From the Second to the First Grade.

Baboo Suroop Chunder Das of Rungpore, *vice* Baboo Rakhal Das Bose, deceased.

From the Third to the Second Grade.

Baboo Mohim Chunder Ghose of Moorshedabad, *vice* Baboo Suroop Chunder Das.

The 7th October 1878.—Baboo Nobo Kristo Ghose, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Hooghly, is allowed leave for two months under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

EDUCATION.—*The 12th October* 1878.—Mr. A. Clarke Edwards, M.A., is appointed to the Fourth Class of the Bengal Educational Service, with effect from the 28th September 1878, and is appointed to be a Professor in the Presidency College.

Mr. F. B. de M. Gibbons, B.A., is appointed to the Fourth Class of the Bengal Educational Service, with effect from the 28th September 1878, and is appointed to be a Professor in the Presidency College.

The 14th October 1878.—Mr. H. G. Sharp, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to be Secretary to the District School Committee of that place, *vice* Mr. F. E. Pargiter.

MEDICAL.—*The 28th September* 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Probode Chundra Bose, Supernumerary at Midnapore, is appointed to be Deputy Superintendent of Vaccination in the Metropolitan Circle, with effect from the 1st proximo.

Assistant Surgeon Prosunno Coomar Dey is appointed to be Deputy Superintendent of Vaccination in the Ranchee Circle, with effect from the 1st proximo.

The 9th October 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Raj Kristo Ghosal is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 11th March 1878.

PORT TRUST.—*The 15th October* 1878.—Mr. W. Duff Bruce is re-appointed to be a Commissioner for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta under Act V (B.C.) of 1870 with effect from the 17th instant, the date on which his term of Office as a Port Commissioner terminates.

Mr. Bruce is also re-appointed from the above date to be Vice-Chairman to the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th October 1878.—The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare that the following alterations will have effect in district Backergunge from the 3rd April 1877 :—

1. The Thana of Doulutkhan shall henceforth be called thana Bhola.
2. That outpost Gazeepore shall henceforth be called outpost Doulutkhan.
3. That the site of thana Doulutkhan shall be fixed at Bhola.
4. That the site of outpost Gazeepore shall be fixed at Doulutkhan.
5. That sanction is accorded to the removal of the head-quarters of subdivision Dukhin Shabazpore from Doulutkhan to Bhola.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF NUDDEA.

The 15th October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871, (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Nuddea have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the ensuing year beginning from the 1st of October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates are on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs. 100, but less than Rs. 500	...		1	0	0
500, „ 1,000	...		3	0	0
1,000, „ 2,000	...		4	8	0

„ 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly cess of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF MANBHOOM.

The 15th October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75, Act X (B.C.) of 1871, (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Manbhoom have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II and on the annual net profits of mines, &c., under Part III of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100, but less than Rs.	500 ...	1	0	0
,,	500, ,,	1,000 ...	3	0	0
,,	1,000, ,,	2,000 ...	4	8	0

,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th October 1878.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 314 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confirm the bye-laws stated at foot of this notification, which were made by the Commissioners of the Municipality of Barisal, at a meeting convened expressly for the purpose, and of which due notice had been given, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 315 of the same Act, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the penalties for any breach of the said bye-laws which have been declared by the said Commissioners.

BYE-LAWS.

For regulating the time and mode of collecting the taxes.

1. Every officer authorized to collect taxes of any kind and grant receipts, shall be provided with a certificate of such authority, bearing the seal of the Municipality and signature of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman. Every collecting officer, at the time of demanding or receiving payment, shall be bound to show this certificate if required. On the suspension or dismissal of a collecting officer, the Chairman or Vice-Chairman shall take back his certificate, and so destroy it that no future use can be made of it by any one.

2. Payment of purchase-money for property sold, and delivery of the property, shall be made immediately after the sale, and if the purchaser fail to pay the full amount of his bid, it shall be lawful for the distraining officer at his discretion to sell the property again, on the same or any other day, and the first purchaser shall, in such case, be responsible to the Commissioners for any loss, which shall be recoverable as a debt due to them.

For regulating the conduct of persons employed by the Commissioners.

3. All persons employed by the Commissioners, whose services may be no longer required, shall be liable to discharge after receipt of previous notice or pay in advance for the period of one month, and no such person shall withdraw from the duties of his office without having given previous notice for the period of one month, on pain of forfeiture of one month's salary.

4. All persons now holding, or who may hereafter be appointed to, any office under the Commissioners shall, when required to do so, furnish good security to such amount as the Commissioners may from time to time fix, and any person failing to furnish such security, within such time as the Commissioners may appoint, shall be held to have thereby forfeited his appointment and may be removed from office.

For regulating the disposal of offensive matter, rubbish, and dead bodies of animals.

5. Every person, within whose premises any animal may die, shall, within six hours of its death, or, if death occurs at night, within four hours after daylight, either remove the carcass at his own expense to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the reception of such carcass, or report its death at the Municipal Office to the conservancy overseer, and in such latter case shall pay to the said overseer the expense of removing the carcass, at such rate as the Commissioners may determine, and such expense shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners. In cases where the said person is not the owner of the animal, and the owner is known, the latter shall alone be responsible for the payment of such expense. No overseer, when called upon, except at night, shall neglect to remove a carcass within three hours of receiving the information.

6. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, any carcass, or any part of a carcass, in any place other than such place as may, from time to time, be appointed by the Commissioners for the reception of the carcasses of animals.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

7. No person shall throw, deposit, or discharge, any night-soil, sewage or the contents of any drain, privy, or cess-pool into any river, tank, khall, water-course, or receptacle for water, or dispose of the above-mentioned kinds of offensive matter in any other way than as the Commissioners may from time to time direct.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

8. No person shall carry night-soil through the streets otherwise than in a closely covered receptacle, of such description and pattern as shall be required from time to time by the Commissioners, and between such hours as the Commissioners may from time to time direct.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

For the regulation and management of privies.

9. Every owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises, from which offensive matter is not removed by the said owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the municipality to his house, land, or premises, for the removal of any night-soil or filth, within such hours as may have been fixed on by the Municipal Commissioners, viz. between sunrise and sunset.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

10. Every person shall construct his privy above ground, and shall provide his privy or premises with a suitable moveable receptacle of metal, wood, or earthenware.

(This Bye-law is to be confined within the five mohullahs—Kotwali, Church, Kalibari, Kutibari, and School—which compose the town proper, particularly with a view to keep clean the Bhatta Khal and the Jail Khal and their accessories.)

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

11. On the receipt of a notice from the Commissioners, every owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises, in or on which any well-privy or other noxious or improperly constructed privy may be situated, shall fill up, close, or otherwise alter the construction of the said privy as may be directed in the notice, and if the orders contained in the notice be not carried out within fifteen days, the Commissioners may fill up, close or otherwise alter the said privy, and the expense incurred in so doing shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

12. No owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises in or on which any privy may be situated, shall allow night-soil or filth of any kind to flow or be discharged from such privy into any drain, water-course, river, tank, hollow, or excavation (or any place containing stagnant and waste water), or into any other receptacle but one of the nature described in bye-law No 10.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

13. No person shall perform any office of nature in any place outside private premises, other than such place as may be appointed by the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

14. The Commissioners may direct the use of lime, coal-tar, carbolic acid, or other deodorants or disinfectants in any privy or premises if at any time it seem to them necessary for the preservation of public health, or for the prevention of infection or spread of disease, provided that the Commissioners shall be bound to supply such deodorants, &c., at cost price, and the price shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

The penalty for refusal to use the deodorants shall be a daily fine not exceeding Re. 1.

For regulating Traffic in the Streets.

15. Every carriage or cart plying on the streets after sunset shall carry a light or lights.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

16. No person shall let loose any animal without sufficient guard, or picket such animal on any public road, or collect carts so as to impede general traffic on any public road.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

General Bye-laws.

17. No person shall put, or cause to be put, on any house or other building any spout, or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, which shall be so placed that the water discharged therefrom shall be thrown or fall upon any public road or thoroughfare, and the Commissioners shall have power to take down and alter any such spout now in existence, and to recover the costs as a debt due to the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5; the penalty for continued infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Re. 1 daily.

18. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited in or by the side of any public road or drain any substance or thing whereby the said road or drain is, or may be, in any way obstructed or injured.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily.

19. No person shall construct any building or structure of any kind abutting on any public road or drain, and no person shall place over any public drain any bridge or platform, except by, and with the written permission of, the Commissioners, and in such manner as they shall direct.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily.

20. If any house, wall, or other erection, or any part thereof fall upon any public highway or into any public drain, the owner of such house, wall or erection shall remove it after notice within the time prescribed by the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5 daily.

21. No person shall prepare any channel, or convey water by any channel, across any public thoroughfare, except in such manner as shall have been first approved by the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 2 daily.

22. No person shall, without the permission of the Commissioners, steep in any river, khal, tank, or ditch within municipal limits any jute, hemp, bamboos, or other vegetable matter, or any animal matter, likely to render the water of such river, khal, tank, or ditch, offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 2 daily.

23. No person shall dig, or cause to be dug, any hole in any public drain, water-course, khal, tank, or public ground, or take or cause earth to be taken therefrom without the written permission of the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

24. No person shall, without the written permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any nullah or water-course, and the Commissioners may order the removal of any such obstruction on grounds of public health.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 4 daily.

25. The owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any nullah or water-course shall keep it free from filth, dense vegetation, or other obstruction, and shall at all times allow the Commissioners or any of their servants duly authorized, to have access to such nullah or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5 daily.

26. No person shall wash in any tank, khal, or ditch, belonging to the Commissioners the clothes or bedding, or furniture used by any person suffering from cholera or small-pox.

The penalty for disobedience to comply with the order shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

27. No person shall construct any ghât in any public tank or water-course, except by, and with the written permission of, the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily.

28. No person shall, without the consent of the Commissioners, fill up or stop any existing cess-pool so as to obstruct the drainage of any part of the town.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20, and the Commissioners may order the offender to re-dig the hole at his own expense and, if he neglects to do so, may impose a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 2, or may do the work at his expense.

29. No person shall collect, or allow to be collected (except for the purpose of conveying it away), on or near any public road or place, any manure or other offensive substance.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

30. No person shall tether or graze cattle, goats or other animals, or cause them to be tethered, or cause or allow them to stray, on any public highway.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

31. No person shall let loose, or cause or allow to be let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out animal on any highway.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

32. No person shall throw, or place on any road or street any broken glass, broken bottles, or crockery, or broken pots or turtle shells.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

33. No person shall slaughter, or cause to be slaughtered, except for *bonâ fide* religious purposes, any animal, or skin, or cause to be skinned, any carcass of an animal, or tan, or cause to be tanned, any hide on or near a public road, or in any place exposed to public view.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

For regulating the burning of dead bodies.

34. No person shall dispose of, or cause to be disposed of, any corpse otherwise than by burning or burying it at or in some lawful burning or burial ground.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

35. If the corpse of any person shall remain unburnt, or unburied twelve hours after death, the Commissioners may dispose of such corpse through their servants, and recover the expense from any assets left by the deceased.

36. Every person who shall bring or convey, or cause to be brought or conveyed, any corpse or part thereof to any burning ground, shall burn, or cause the same to be burnt, within six hours after its arrival at the said burning ground.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

37. No person, when burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse, or part of a corpse, in any burning ground, shall permit the same, or any part thereof to remain without being completely reduced to ashes, or shall permit the clothes or other articles connected with the burning of such corpse, to remain at or near such burning ground, unless the same be completely reduced to ashes.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

38. No person shall carry a corpse, or part of a corpse, through any highway unless it be covered and concealed from public view.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

39. No person, while carrying a corpse, or part of a corpse, shall deposit it on any bazar or crowded thoroughfare for any purpose whatever.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

For regulating burial grounds.

40. No person shall bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse in any burial ground in a grave constructed of masonry in such manner that the top of the coffin, or the body where no coffin is used, shall be at a less depth than four feet from the surface ground.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

41. No person shall bury, or cause to be buried, in any burial ground any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry which shall be less than five feet deep.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

42. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial ground at a less distance than two feet from any other existing grave.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

43. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial ground in any other line than that marked out by the Commissioners or some person authorized on that behalf.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

44. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another body without the permission of the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th October 1878.—The following revised rules for the grant of leases for tea cultivation in the districts of Julpigoree and Darjeeling have been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor and are published for general information.

2. With reference to the provisions of the revised form of preliminary lease under which transfers, if duly registered, will in future be recognized, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to admit to registration all such transfers already completed, though made in violation of the terms of the leases hitherto in force; provided that application for their registration be made within two months of the date of this notification, and that a fee of four annas per acre be paid on the area of the lands transferred. Failing such registration, the forfeiture clause of the preliminary leases under which the lands are held will be enforced.

RULES FOR THE GRANT OF LEASES FOR TEA CULTIVATION IN THE DISTRICTS OF JULPIGOREE AND DARJEELING.

What lands will ordinarily be available.

1. THE lands that are generally available under these rules in the district of Julpigoree lie within that tract of country in the Western Dooars which extends in an easterly direction from the east bank of the River Teesta to the west bank of the River Sankos. The lands available in the district of Darjeeling lie in the Daling Sub-division of that district, and are bounded on the north by the Government Reserved Forests as notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th August 1878; on the south by the Julpigoree district; on the east by the Moortee Nuddee; and on the west by the Lethee Nuddee. Any lots of Waste Land belonging to Government, lying in any other parts of the districts of Julpigoree or

Darjeeling, and which are not reserved for other purposes, may also be made available for Tea cultivation under these rules.

What lands will not ordinarily be available.

2. The following lands will not ordinarily be available under these rules :—

(*a.*)—Lands which, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, are held to constitute a reserve for the supply of timber, fuel, grazing, or any other article of general and public consumption.

(*b.*)—Lands not included in the above category, but which now bear India-rubber trees or other valuable timber (such as sal, khair, chelownee, sissoo, &c.,) in compact blocks or patches.

(*c.*)—Lands in respect of which any person or persons, or any village community, possess rights of occupancy, or such other rights or privileges as render it impolitic or unadvisable to grant such lands to any other person or persons for the purpose of tea cultivation.

(*d.*)—Lands lying within a distance of 60 feet on either side from the centre of any public road or thoroughfare. Provided that such road or thoroughfare shall have been constructed, or shall be kept in repair, from public funds, and that it be borne on the list of the district roads of the district.

(*e.*)—Lands which the local Government may at any time, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, expressly exempt from the operation of these rules.

How and to whom application is to be made.

3. Every person, company, or association, desirous of obtaining a grant of land under these rules must, in person or by a duly authorized agent, present an application on stamped paper of the value of 8 annas to the Deputy Commissioner of the district in which the land lies.

What the application is to specify.

4. The application must specify—

(*a.*)—The name, or names, and address, or addresses of the applicant or applicants, and of his or their authorized agent, if any.

(*b.*)—The area, situation, and boundaries of the land applied for, as far as they can be ascertained without a detailed survey.

(*c.*)—The particulars, if any, which may appear to the applicant to bring any part of the land applied for within the exceptions mentioned in Rule 2. The application must also state whether the land, or any part of it, is or has ever been cultivated in any manner.

5. Every lot applied for must be compact and capable of being enclosed in a ring fence; and if any part of the land touches on a public road or navigable river, the length of such road or river frontage must not exceed one half the breadth of the lot applied for.

6. Not more than 800 acres will ordinarily be granted to any one applicant, company, or association; and when more than 800 acres are applied for, the applicant must set forth specially the grounds for such application, and give *primâ facie* guarantees that he possesses the requisite capital for working such larger area. All applications for more than 800 acres will be forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner to the Commissioner, who, if he desires to recommend compliance therewith, will forward them to the Board of Revenue, who will take the orders of Government upon each case.

Procedure on receipt of an application.

7. On receipt of an application for any area not exceeding 800 acres, the Deputy Commissioner must satisfy himself, as far as lies in his power, that the requirements of the rules have been complied with. If he considers that the application should be rejected he will record an order to that effect, giving his reasons for such rejection. An appeal will lie from such order of rejection to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days from the date of the order. If the Deputy Commissioner considers that an application for such area as it is within his power to grant should be entertained, or in the case of application for areas over 800 acres, when the orders of Government accepting the application have been received, the applicant or his agent will be required to deposit the cost of survey and demarcation to be made as hereinafter provided. The amount to be so deposited must be calculated at one rupee per acre of the total area applied for. If the area is found to be greater, the sum of one rupee per acre must be paid on account of such excess area before a preliminary lease is granted. Payments under this rule do not cover the cost of erecting permanent boundary marks under Rule 20.

8. On receipt of the sum payable under the preceding rule, and of an agreement, signed by the applicant or by his authorized agent, to pay such further sum as may be required for the purposes above mentioned, the Deputy Commissioner will record an order appointing a tehsildar or other officer to visit the land, and to make full and detailed inquiries into its condition and circumstances.

Preliminary inquiry to be made.

9. The general object of such inquiry shall be to ascertain whether or not the land applied for can be granted under the rules in force; but the Deputy Commissioner may instruct the officer making the inquiry to furnish him with such other specific and detailed information as may seem to him to be necessary.

10. On completion of this inquiry, the officer making it will record the result thereof, and submit a report for the orders of the Deputy Commissioner. If the Deputy Commissioner, after considering the report, and after calling for such further explanations, oral or

written, as he may deem necessary, shall be of opinion that the land applied for cannot be granted under the rules, and should not therefore be surveyed, he will record an order to that effect. An appeal will lie from such order to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days from the date of the order.

11. If the Deputy Commissioner decide that the land applied for can be granted under the rules, and should therefore be surveyed, he will record an order to that effect.

12. If the Deputy Commissioner finds the land or any part of it in the occupation of any person or persons or of any village community, he will submit a full report of the circumstances for the orders of the Commissioner, stating in detail how he proposes to deal with such prior occupants; and, if it is proposed to remove them, the compensation, if any, which the applicant undertakes to pay to such persons. The Commissioner will report his orders in all such cases for the information of the Board of Revenue.

13. If any claim or objection be preferred under Act XXIII of 1863, the Deputy Commissioner will proceed to dispose of the same in accordance with the provisions of that Act.

How the survey is to be made.

14. The officer who made the inquiry provided for by Rules 8 to 10 will, on receipt of an order to that effect from the Deputy Commissioner, proceed to point out to the Surveyor the boundaries of the land applied for, and such prominent features in it as may be useful for the purposes of the survey, and which should, in his opinion, be entered in the preliminary lease as hereinafter provided. The boundaries and other features above mentioned should be clearly marked and defined by the officer in presence of the surveyor, and the latter should be furnished with a list of them signed by the said officer.

15. The surveyor will then proceed to make the survey and put up such temporary boundary marks as are necessary for that purpose. He must prepare a map showing—

(*a*)—All natural features of the country lying within the boundaries as fixed by the officer who made the enquiry under Rules 8 to 10, *e.g.*, bheels, streams, forest clumps, &c.

(*b*)—Such features of the country lying outside the boundary of the land to be surveyed as may serve to identify the latter and connect it with the revenue survey or other existing map.

The surveyor is bound to bring to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner any fact which may come to his knowledge in the course of the survey rendering it advisable, that the land he is surveying should not be granted under these rules.

16. The map should ordinarily be on a scale of 16 inches to the mile. If possible, the surveyor's field-book should be copied at the back of it. If not, a copy of the field-book should be attached to or accompany the map. If the map be made originally in the vernacular, the Deputy Commissioner will cause it to be translated into English.

17. On the map being completed, it must be checked by an officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. If found to be incorrect, it will be amended by the surveyor in conjunction with the officer above mentioned. If found to be correct, it will be laid before the Deputy Commissioner with the report of the officer who made the preliminary inquiry under Rules 8 to 10, and with all other papers connected with the case.

18. The Deputy Commissioner will then proceed to consider the application. A date for this purpose must be previously fixed by him, and due notice of it given to the applicant or to his authorized agent.

19. The Deputy Commissioner shall have power to reject an application at any stage of the proceedings under the rules, if he sees reason to do so, refunding in such case to the applicant the deposit made by him on account of survey. He is authorized to reject an application when he does not consider that there is a *bonâ fide* intention on the part of the applicant to cultivate in tea the land applied for, or when it appears desirable to reserve the land for cultivation other than tea, or to preserve any forest standing on it. An appeal against every such order of rejection shall lie to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days of the date of the order.

20. If the Deputy Commissioner grant the application, he will without delay grant the applicant a lease in form A of the appendix, and call upon him to execute a counterpart thereof, and to pay for all valuable forest trees as provided in clause 10 of the preliminary lease. He will also direct him to mark out the land leased by a continuous trench, or in such other manner as the Deputy Commissioner may direct. Within three months of the grant of such lease the lessee must, on pain of forfeiture of all rights in the land leased, mark out the land as above directed, and must further erect, at his own expense, such permanent boundary* marks as the Deputy Commissioner may direct. On the expiry of the three months, the surveyor must test the correctness of the boundary line and permanent marks and report the result to the Deputy Commissioner, at the same time pointing out to the lessee or his representative by written notice any corrections that may be required. If the corrections indicated are not made by the lessee or his representative within 30 days of the receipt of such notice, all rights in the land shall be liable to forfeiture to Government.

21. Whenever, after receipt of an application, as provided for in Rule 8, and after making such inquiries as he may deem necessary, the Deputy Commissioner shall be of opinion

* These boundary marks shall ordinarily consist of a masonry platform at every point where more than two lots or patches of waste or other lands meet, with large stones or mounds at every angle and at every 100 yards of the boundary line between such platforms and other marks.

that there is no *primâ facie* objection whatever to the grant under the rules of the land applied for, he may put the applicant in preliminary and provisional possession of an area not exceeding one-eighth of the estimated area of the land applied for, with the object of enabling the applicant to make preparations for commencing cultivation and getting the land in order. Provided that the applicant, before obtaining such preliminary possession, shall have erected such boundary marks as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, and that the amount of all estimated charges incurred in connection with such preliminary occupation shall have been deposited by the applicant.

22. The order for, and conditions of, such preliminary occupation shall be in the form B in the appendix, and shall be addressed to the tehsildar or other officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. A copy of the order shall be delivered to the applicant, who shall, after receipt of occupation, acknowledge such receipt by signing a copy of the order and depositing it with the Deputy Commissioner.

23. Grantees are not permitted to club or amalgamate their grants, otherwise than by transfers duly registered as provided for in the preliminary lease. Any unauthorized amalgamation will subject the holders of the grants in question to forfeiture of all rights in the lands so amalgamated.

APPENDIX A.

Form of preliminary lease of land in granted by the Deputy Commissioner of to (name) of (address).

1. THE lands covered by this lease are situated within the boundaries shown by the red lines in map No. , dated , and attached to the lease. The lands may be described as being bounded as follows:—

North.—
East.—
South.—
West.—

Their area is more or less acres, and they are situated in the pergunnahs and tehsils detailed in the margin.

2. The rights conveyed by this lease are heritable and also transferable, provided (*a*), that the entire grant, and not a portion of it, be transferred; (*b*), that the clearance conditions are duly observed by the transferor and transferee respectively; (*c*), that the transfer is registered in the Deputy Commissioner's office within 21 days of the date thereof; and (*d*), that a registration fee of 4 annas per acre be paid to the Deputy Commissioner on the occasion of every such transfer. If any transfer of the rights conveyed by this lease is made otherwise than in accordance with the foregoing provisions, all rights in the land leased shall be liable to be forfeited to Government. After the expiry of this preliminary lease, no right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly provided for hereinafter.

3. The rent to be paid shall be as follows:—

Year of entry (*i.e.* from actual date of entry to 31st March following) ...	Nil.
1*st* full year (from 1st April following date of entry)	Nil.
2*nd* year	3 annas per acre.
3*rd* ,,	6 ,, ,,
4*th* ,,	9 ,, ,,
5*th*	12 ,, ,,

The rent shall be paid to the tehsildar of in the following instalments:—

1st September, one-half; 1st March one-half.

4. The lessee shall either himself reside on or near to the lands covered by this lease, or he shall appoint a manager or agent who shall reside on or near to such lands, and who shall be provided with a full legal power to act on behalf of the principal in all matters arising out of, or concerning, the lands covered by the lease.

5. The lessee binds himself to conform to all the provisions of the rules for the grant of tea leases under which this lease is granted.

6. Five per cent. of the area of the lands leased shall be cleared by the end of the second year after the grant of this lease, and 10 per cent. by the end of the third year.

7. Any land covered by the lease which may at any time be required for a public purpose, may be taken up by Government free of cost on a reduction being made in the rent payable under the lease proportionate to the area taken by Government. But the value of any improvements or property thereon shall be paid to the lessee, and shall be assessed under the provision of the law in force for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

8. All rights to minerals or quarries of all kinds are reserved to Government.

9. No right of fishery, and no right to dam up or otherwise obstruct the passage of any stream is given by this lease. A public right of way over twenty yards on either bank of every stream, available at any time of the year for local boat traffic, is reserved.

10. All valuable forest trees which are of a girth of three feet and over at the height of four feet from the ground must be paid for by the lessee before possession is given under this lease. The kinds of trees to be so paid for, and the rates of payment for each tree, are those set forth in schedules drawn up for this purpose from time to time by the Forest Department and approved by Government. All other trees and scrub jungle are at the disposal of the lessee.

11. The Deputy Commissioner may at any time enter on, inspect, or measure the area under cultivation, and the lessee may at any time demand that such measurement be made. Provided that the expenses of any such inspection or measurement demanded by the lessee shall be paid by him as rent due. If, after such inspection, the Deputy Commissioner finds that 15 per cent. of the total area held under the lease has been brought under cultivation by means of good husbandry, and actually bears tea plants, the lessee shall be entitled to the renewal of the lease for a further period of twenty years, and to renewals for similar periods in perpetuity, subject to the following conditions:—

(*a*)—Subject to any general or special orders of Government the rent to be paid shall be fixed by the Board of Revenue on the report of the Deputy Commissioner on each occasion of renewal, but shall not exceed the rate of rent per acre paid in the neighbourhood at the time of renewal for the highest class of lands under ordinary cultivation. If at any future time the administration of the tracts under tea cultivation should entail on the State any considerable increase of expenditure, it will be competent to the Government, with the sanction of the legislature, to impose such special taxation as may be deemed necessary, either by raising the rent, or in some other mode. But under no other circumstances will the rent, which has now been fixed for a term of years on the principle above enunciated, be raised during the currency of such term.

(*b*)—The title conveyed by the renewed lease shall be heritable and transferable, provided that no transfer shall be made of less than the whole, and that no transfer shall be valid as against the Government, but shall, on the contrary, be equivalent to a surrender of the lease, unless notification of the transfer shall have been given by the transferree to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of transfer, together with a fee of 4 annas per acre of the area leased.

(*c*)—In all other respects, the conditions of the renewed lease shall be the same as those of the preliminary lease.

12. The rights and privileges conveyed by this lease, and by any renewed lease granted in accordance with its provisions, shall be liable to be forfeited on failure of the lessee to comply with any condition thereof.

13. If before the expiration of this preliminary lease no application for a renewal of the lease shall have been made in accordance with the above provisions, the lessee may be allowed to hold on as a tenant-at-will, but not otherwise, until other arrangements shall have been made by the Deputy Commissioner.

APPENDIX B.

To the Tehsildar of

WHEREAS of

and (name) of

(residence) propose to enter into an agreement in regard to certain land (situated at or near the spot herein described) for the purpose of cultivating tea, and whereas

(name) of

(residence) desires immediately to enter upon occupation of some part of the above lands for the purpose of making preparations for, and for commencing such cultivation, I do hereby authorize the said

(name) of

(residence) hereby to use for that purpose any lands lying within

(here specify boundaries) and not exceeding 100 acres in all.

In the event of a lease being hereafter granted, the date of entry referred to in such lease shall be held to be not the date of this order, but the date of possession being given under such lease. In case of a lease being refused, no claim to compensation shall lie against the Government for any outlay incurred by

(name) of

(residence) on the strength of this order. No rent shall be payable for land occupied during the currency of this order, the term whereof shall expire on the 31st March next.

Occupation under this order, or after its expiry, without an express condition to the contrary, shall never be held to constitute any tenure other than a tenancy-at-will from year to year. The occupant shall keep the boundary line and marks in repair and clear of jungle. A copy of this order has been delivered to

(name) with permission to enter into occupation. You will register him as in occupation of the land under the usual amalnama.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th October 1878.—In continuation of the notification dated the 20th August 1878, published at page 924, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, and in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 3, Act VI (B.C) of 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that from the 1st October 1878 the fees to be levied under the said section by the Commissioners of the Municipality of Howrah, for the cleansing of privies and public latrines within the part of the Municipality described in the notification above quoted, shall be fixed according to the scale stated below :—

Scale of Fees under Section 3, *Act VI (B.C.) of* 1878.

RENTAL VALUATIONS.	Fee Payable		
	Per mensem.	Per quarter.	Per annum
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
ding Rs. 11, but not exceeding Rs. 18 ...	0 2 0	0 6 0	1 8 0
, ,, 18 ,, ,, 25 ...	0 4 0	0 12 0	3 0 0
, ,, 25 ,, ,, 36 ...	0 6 8	1 4 0	5 0 0
, ,, 36 ,, ,, 60 ...	0 9 4	1 12 0	7 0 0
, ,, 60 ,, ,, 84 ...	0 10 8	2 0 0	8 0 0
, ,, 84 ,, ,, 120 ...	0 12 0	2 4 0	9 0 0
, ,, 120 ,, ,, 200 ...	0 13 4	2 8 0	10 0 0
, ,, 200 ,, ,, 300 ...	1 0 0	3 0 0	12 0 0
, ,, 300 ,, ,, 400 ...	1 1 4	3 4 0	13 0 0
, ,, 400 ,, ,, 500 ...	1 5 4	4 0 0	16 0 0
, ,, 500 ,, ,, 600 ...	1 8 0	4 8 0	18 0 0
, ,, 600 ,, ,, 700 ..	1 10 8	5 0 0	20 0 0
, ,, 700 ,, ,, 1,000 ...	2 0 0	6 0 0	24 0 0
, ,, 1,000 ,, ,, 1,500 ...	2 8 0	7 8 0	30 0 0
, ,, 1,500 ,, ,, 2,000 ...	3 0 0	9 0 0	36 0 0
, ,, 2,000 ,, ,, 2,500 ...	4 0 0	12 0 0	48 0 0
, ,, 2,500 ,, ,, 3,000 ...	5 0 0	15 0 0	60 0 0
, ,, 3,000 ,, ,, 4,000 ..	6 10 8	20 0 0	80 0 0
, ,, 4,000 ,, ,, 5,000 ...	8 5 4	25 0 0	100 0 0
, ,, 5,000 ,, ,, 7,500 ...	12 8 0	37 8 0	150 0 0
, ,, 7,500 ,, ,, 10,000 ...	16 10 8	50 0 0	200 0 0
, ,, 10,000 ,, ,, 15,000 ...	20 13 4	62 8 0	250 0 0
, ,, 15,000 ,, ,, 20,000 ...	25 0 0	75 0 0	300 0 0
, ,, 20,000 ,, ,, 25,000 ...	33 5 4	100 0 0	400 0 0
, ,, 25,000	40 0 0	120 0 0	180 0 0

2. And in the exercise of the powers conferred by section 8 of the said Act, the Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the said Municipality at a meeting, to fix the following rates per head as those which may be levied by the Commissioners from persons living within, or habitually resorting to, the places described in the said section, and situated within the part of the Municipality defined in the notification of the 20th August last :—

Rate per head on persons living within, or habitually resorting to, the places described in Section 8.

NUMBER OF PERSONS.	Rate Payable.		
	Per mensem.	Per quarter.	Per annum.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Where the number of persons does not exceed 100	0 1 6	0 4 6	1 2 0
Where the number exceeds 100 but does not exceed 500	0 1 3	0 3 9	0 15 0
,, ,, ,, 500 ,, ,, 1,000	0 1 0	0 3 0	0 12 0
,, ,, ,, 1,000	0 0 9	0 2 3	0 9 0

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th September 1878.—A plan and an estimate amounting to Rs. 49,689, for the construction of additional sidings for the Port Commissioners' tramway, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with their Vice-Chairman's letter, No. 1202, dated the 2nd July 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the work under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th September 1878.—A plan and an estimate amounting to Rs. 29,850, for doubling the Port Commissioners' tramway on the extension from the Chittpore Bridge to Cossipore, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta with their Vice-Chairman's letter, No. 1493, dated 7th August 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the execution of the work under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 15th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to compensate Mohendra Narain Roy and Durpa Narain Roy, Sirdar Ghatwals, for service lands previously taken up for the road from Majia to Burjora, in the village of Bhisinda, pergunnah Mahisharah, zillah Bankoora; it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 23 beeghas 13 cottahs 10 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Beldanga; Durgahie and Assuria mouzah; south by homestead lands of Bhisinda and Kamarband tank; east by Rangametta and Dhadka mouzahs; and west by jore of Kustholia and Bawagir tank, is required within the aforesaid village of Bhisinda.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 15th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to compensate Magaram Roy and others, ghatwals, for service lands previously taken up for the road from Durlabhpore to Maliara, in the village of Durlabhpore, pergunnah Bishenpore, zillah Bankoora; it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 beeghas 3 cottahs and 5 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the west by the road leading to Ranigunge; south by the road from Durlabhpore to Maliara; east by mouzah Sirsa; and north by mouzah Panruibad, is required within the aforesaid village of Durlabhpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4534A.

The 20th September 1878.—Baboo Rughoo Nundun Sahi, Special Sub-Registrar, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Patna Bench in the district of Patna, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 21st September 1878.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Sudder Bench in the district of Burdwan, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Baboo Shoshee Bhoosun Bose, Pleader.
,, Baboo Suttya Kinkur Sein, Pleader.
Moonshee Golam Asduq, Pleader.
Pundit Aghore Nath Tattaratna, Pundit, Rajbari.

Baboo Bemolanund Mookerjee, Maharajah's Legal Member.
Moonshee Suddeeruddin Ahmed, Zemindar.
Chowdry Shazade Ruhman, ditto.
Baboo Indra Narain Tewary, ditto.
" Radha Lall Burman, ditto.
" Anund Chand Bose, ditto.

The 24th September 1878.—Mr. W. C. Bagnall, District Traffic Superintendent, East Indian Railway, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Sahebgunge Bench, in the district of the Sonthal Pergunnahs, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 2nd October 1878.—Baboo Hur Koomar Dass, L.L., Officiating Moonsif of Sundeep, in the district of Noakholly, is appointed to be a Moonsif of the Fourth Grade, and is posted to Tumlook, in the district of Midnapore. Baboo Hur Koomar Dass will continue to act at Sundeep until further orders.

The orders of the 28th ultimo, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd instant, appointing Mr. Jogendro Nath Sircar, Barrister-at-Law, to the Fourth Grade of Moonsifs, and to be Additional Moonsif of Azimgunge and of the Sudder Station of Moorshedabad, are cancelled.

In modification of the orders of the 28th ultimo, Mr. Raj Kishen Sen, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to the Fourth Grade of Moonsifs, and to be Additional Moonsif of Azimgunge and of the Sudder Station of Moorshedabad, with effect from the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the Dusserah vacation.

Baboo Nundlal Koondoo, B.L., is appointed to act as Additional Moonsif of Tumlook, in the district of Midnapore, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Hur Koomar Dass, or until further orders, with effect from the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the Dusserah vacation.

Moonshee Abdool Humeed, Attorney-at-Law, is appointed to act as Moonsif of Bongong, in the district of Nuddea, from the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the Dusserah vacation till the return of Baboo Troylokho Nath Mitter.

The 7th October 1878.—Baboo Mothooranath Gupta, Second Subordinate Judge of Chittagong and Subordinate Judge of Noakholly, is allowed leave for two months, with effect from the re-opening of the Courts after the Dusserah vacation, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. L. C. Abbott, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is vested with powers under Sections 142, 157, and 266 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Mr. Abbott is also vested with the powers of a Moonsif within the Sudder sub-division, and those of a Subordinate Judge and Small Cause Court Judge throughout the district of Darjeeling.

The 9th October 1878.—Baboo Jadub Chunder Gossami, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Satkhira division of the 24-Pergunnahs district, is vested with powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

The 12th October 1878.—Baboo Debendro Chunder Mookerjee is appointed to officiate as Moonsif of Rughoonathpore, in Manbhoom, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Nilmadhub Banerjee, or until further orders.

The 11th October 1878.—Syed Kootuboodeen, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, Hajeepore, Mozufferpore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Baboo Jugul Kishore Lall, who was employed as a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade at Chumparun from 1st June to 3rd August last, exercised the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class during that period.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th October 1878.—It is hereby notified that the thanas of Kudumgachee, Tababeriah, Nowabgunge, Allipore, Gobindpore, Bhowanipore, Kullingah, and Ooreeaparah, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, shall be called respectively Baraset, Habrah, Barrackpore, Tallygunge, Diamond Harbour, Hoseinabad, Badooreah, and Bhangore, where the police stations are situated. The Tallygunge police station is also called the sudder police station.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th October 1878.—The site of the Debipore Police Station in the district of Maldah is removed to Ratna. The police station will henceforth be called Ratna Police Station, and will comprise all the villages that were hitherto in the jurisdiction of the Debipore Police Station.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 4th October 1878.—It is hereby notified that in the exercise of the powers vested in him by section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts' Act (VI of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor vests Baboo Debendro Lall Shome, First Moonsif of Midnapore, with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which he shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of his moonsiffee jurisdiction.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th October 1878.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the provisions of section 34 of Act V of 1861 (an Act for the regulation of police) to the village of Soopool, in the Bhagulpore district.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th October 1878.—It is hereby notified for general information that the site of thana Gouripura, in the sub-division of Brahmanbaria, zillah Tipperah, having been transferred to village Navinagar, about 12 miles to the east of the old site, the name of the thana has, from the 1st September 1878, been changed to Navinagar. The boundaries of the thana were defined in the notification published at page 630 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd June 1875.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 2nd October 1878.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of Act XIII of 1859, entitled "an Act to provide for the punishment of breaches of contract by artificers, workmen, and laborers in certain cases," the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension of the said Act to the North Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, within the limits set forth in the Government Notification No. 3, dated the 10th September 1877, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, Part I, page 1402.

2. The powers vested by the said Act in a Magistrate of Police shall be exercised in the said Municipality by the Bench of Magistrates exercising first class powers which holds sittings at Barranagore, a place within the Municipality, or by an Assistant Magistrate or Deputy Magistrate exercising first class powers at the Sudder Station of the 24-Pergunnahs, on reference by the Magistrate of the district.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th September 1878.—Under section 79 of Act III of 1877 (the Indian Registration Act), it is hereby notified for general information that with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the addition of the following clause to Article C of the Schedule of Fees published under section 77 of Act VIII of 1871:—

(*d.*) For withdrawal of a sealed cover containing a will ... Rs. 2.

This clause will come into force from the 15th October 1878.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th September 1878.—It is hereby notified that in the exercise of the powers vested in him by section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts Act (VI of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal vests Baboo Trigunno Prosunno Bose, L.L., Additional Moonsif of Cutwa, Baboo Gopal Chunder Banerjee, B.L., Moonsif of Alipore, and Baboo Uma Churn Dutt, B.L., Moonsif of Baraset, with the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for

the trial of suits cognizable by such Courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which they shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of their moonsiffee jurisdictions.

Baboo Denesh Chunder Roy, B.L., and Baboo Rajendro Coomar Bose, B.L., who are, under separate orders of this date, transferred respectively to Hathazaree and Ranaghat will, in their new stations, cease to exercise the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes with which they are at present vested.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 8th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to construct the portion of the road from Meckligunge to Dinhata, which falls within the limits of the village of Agurpara, pergunnah Tepa, zillah Rungpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 beeghas of standard measurement, *i.e.* in length 3,200 feet and in breadth about 32 feet, bounded on the north by the jotes of Prem Narayan Sircar, Kasinath and Dhube Moonia; on the south by the jotes of the same persons; on the east by the jote of Prem Narayan Sircar; and on the west by the jote of Kasinath Sircar, is required within the aforesaid village of Agurpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 1st October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz. for a brick-field for the Bogra Jail, in the villages of Natai and Narioli, pergunnah Prolapbajoo, district Bogra, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 beeghas of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Nowkhilla road, east by Sundori Bil, south by the cultivated land of Andaru Shek, and west by the cultivated land of Milan Biswas, is required within the aforesaid villages of Natai and Narioli. This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870.

The plan and estimate can be seen at the Bogra Jail Superintendent's Office.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th September 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the military lines in the village of Bandarjuri, ghât Dumka, pergunnah Belpatta, zillah Sonthal Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 83 beeghas 14 cottahs 8½ dhoors of standard measurement, bounded on all sides by lands belonging to the village of Bandarjuri, in the khas possession of the zemindar, is required within the aforesaid village of Bandarjuri, ghât Dumka.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 30th September 1878.

No. 207.—*Notifications.*—Mr. R. C. McKennie, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, joined the Dacca Division on the 23rd September 1878, afternoon.

The 3rd October 1878.

No. 208.—Baboo Kirty Chunder Chowdry and Mr. W. P. Milne, Assistant Engineers, Second Grade, attached respectively to the Third Calcutta and Circular and Eastern Canals Divisions, passed in the colloquial Hindustani on the 27th September 1878

The 14th October 1878.

No. 209.—*Promotion.*—Mr. T. Beatty, Executive Engineer (temporary rank), Fourth Grade, attached to the Nuddea Rivers Division, is permanently appointed to that grade with effect from the 25th November 1877.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The 14th October 1878.

No. 210.—*Declaration under Section 6 of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of a portion of the new Dhoobree road from Singjhar to Katimaree, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 675 beeghas of standard measurement, *i.e.* an average breadth of about 204 feet and about nine miles and 1,280 feet in length, commencing from Singjhar on the Bagoonee Nuddee and extending to Katimaree, is required within the villages of Singjhar, Katimaree, Gacheedanga, Paikurchura, Bhoretachura, Banurkutee, and Katimaree, all situated in thana Nagessary, zillah Rungpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

T. H. WICKES,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th September 1878.

No. 267.—In supersession of all previous notifications it is hereby notified, for general information, under Section VI of the "Canals' Act of 1864," that the following revised Schedule of Rates for tolls in the Canals of the Orissa Circle will come into effect from and after the 1st October 1878 :—

Kendrapara Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM THE WEST.				ENTERING FROM THE EAST.			
	At Jugguthpore Head Lock.	At Kendupatna.	At Buspore.	At Marsaghai.	At Jumboo Lock.	At Marsaghai.	At Buspore	At Kendupatna.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage of boats.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100.	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

High Level Canal, Range I.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM THE NORTH.			ENTERING FROM THE SOUTH.		
	At the Brahmini river, Janapore.	At Nealpore.	At Byree.	At Chowdunr.	At Byree.	At Nealpore.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

High Level Canal, Range II.

	RANGE II.		RANGE III.
	Entering from North-East.	Entering from South-West.	Entering from South-West.
	At Rorya.	At Jokodia.	At Tickora.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September, and October	1 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0
Timbers, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage ...	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

Gobri Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	ENTERING FROM WEST.			ENTERING FROM EAST.		
	At Jugguthpore Head Lock.	At Kendupatna.	At Chackra.	At Gundukia.	At Chackra.	At Kendupatna.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds during the months of July, August, September and October.	0 8 0	0 8 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Boats per 100 maunds during the other months of the year.	1 0 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Timber whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 2 0

Taldunda Canal.

DESCRIPTION.	Jobra Lock.	At Beeresbatty.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Boats per 100 maunds throughout the year, whether passing through canal or simply locking in	0 8 0	0 8 0
Timber, whether in rafts or if slung from boats, in addition to maundage of boats	0 3 0	0 3 0
Poles and bamboos in floats, per 100	0 2 0	0 2 0

Passenger boats.—A charge of one anna per head per mile on 1st class passengers, *i.e.*, by steamers and boats and ¼ (quarter) pie per head per mile for all other passengers over and above the toll leviable from the boats or steamers by measurement. This charge to be leviable from the owners of boats or steamers and not from the passengers, except when a Government boat or steamer is hired by any person for his exclusive use. The hire in such cases charged by Government is for the use of the boat, and the tollage of boat, plus mileage charge per head, will be levied from the passenger at the rate of one anna.

Empty boats.—To be charged on tonnage of the boat itself as ascertained from its draught for displacement.

Exemption.—From payment of canal dues at the above rates for goods will not be allowed to any department or departments. The canal officers, *i.e.*, those directly in charge of irrigation works, and whose duty will necessitate travelling through the canal for inspection thereof, and the Deputy Revenue Superintendent, will be allowed to pass free of tollage. All other Government officers, heretofore passed free on grant of certificates of *being on duty*, will be expected to pay the required tollage for themselves and baggage boats.

Special rate.—Allowed to Messrs. Bullock, Welsted and Co. for their boats and passenger steamers, will cease from the 1st October next, and they will be charged thereafter similarly as the general public at the rates above notified, their boats and steamers being measured in accordance with existing rules for such measurement.

Demurrage.—The number of days which a boat entering the canal by booking or paying tollage at one of the locks may remain in it without additional payment, shall be calculated at the rate of one day for every eight miles or portion of eight miles to be traversed. Boats remaining for a longer period will pay a demurrage of eight annas per 100 maunds per diem for each day or part of a day that they may remain in excess.

The 14th October 1878.

No. 268.—*Notification.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Military Department, is republished for information :—

No. 910, *dated 27th September* 1878.—" The following extract from list No. 35, dated the 30th August 1878, received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

Permitted to return to duty.

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Major J. M. McNeile, Royal Engineers.

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D. B. HORN,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

DRAFT RULES PROPOSED UNDER ACT III (B. C.) OF 1876.

Dated the 10th September 1878.

No. 249.—*Notification.*—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 99 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct the publication of the following rules for the Sone Canals which it is proposed to substitute for the rules passed and published at pages 938 to 943, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd August 1876.

Rule under Act III (B.C.) of 1876.

1. The Collector, before awarding compensation under sections 16 and 17 of the Act, shall obtain the written opinion of the Superintending Canal Officer, which shall form part of the record of the proceedings.

2. Water shall not be granted where, in the opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer, loss from wastage is likely to occur. From the decision of the Divisional Canal Officer an appeal shall lie to the Superintending Canal Officer, whose order shall be final.

3. Water shall not ordinarily be granted where the length of the water-course, from its head to its point of contact with the village boundary, would exceed two (2) miles.

4. Water for irrigation shall not be supplied, except through a water-course so constructed aud maintained that, in the opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer—

(*a*) the water will pass without wastage;

(*b*) the existing necessary lines of communication, the flow of drainage water, and the passage of water for irrigation, will not be obstructed.

5. The Divisional Canal Officer may withhold or postpone the grant of water for a crop to any cultivator whose fields he may have ascertained by personal inspection (by himself or one of his assistants) to be unprepared for irrigation by division into compartments not greater in area than 1 cottah or 1361·25 superficial feet, and by the addition of small water-channels, as is customary in irrigation from wells.

Rice-fields are exempted from the operation of this rule.

NOTE.—*This rule shall only apply in those cases in which the discovery is made previous to the first watering of a crop; the water having been once given cannot be withheld for that crop, but a higher rate may be levied as provided in Rule* 25.

6. Persons desiring to construct a village channel shall prefer a written application to the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer. In the latter case the application shall be forwarded to the Divisional Canal Officer.

7. The application, if granted, shall be subject to the Act, and also, unless otherwise specially agreed upon, be deemed granted under the following conditions:—

(*a*)—That the water supplied shall not be used for other purposes than irrigation without the written consent of the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer.

(*b*)—That the applicants nominate a headman known or ascertained to be a substantial person possessed of property to attend to their interests to receive and carry out the orders of the Canal Officers, to distribute the water among the shareholders in the water-course according to their shares, and to collect and pay in to the Collector, or other duly authorized person, all water-rates leviable on the lands watered from the water-course. Such headman shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Penal Code.

(*c*)—That in any case where persons desirous of taking water fail to appoint a headman, or cannot agree among themselves as to the headman, the Collector shall nominate, and the Divisional Canal Officer appoint a headman.

(*d*)—That the headman shall furnish security for the payment of all sums realized by him, the stamp and registration fees on security bonds being deducted from the percentage allowed under Rule 10.

(*e*)—That for each crop, previous to water being taken for any field, application shall be made in the prescribed form (appendix A) through the said headman to the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer or other officer authorized to receive such applications, and that no water shall be taken until after the receipt of a "permit" (appendix B) from such officer.

(*f*)—That in any case where the Divisional Canal Officer, owing to the known recusancy of any village, or of any class of cultivators, anticipates difficulty in realizing water-rates, he shall intimate the same to the Collector or Sub-Deputy Collector, in whose option it shall be to require payment of water-rates in advance.

(*g*)—That any other cultivators in the same village, able and willing to irrigate their lands from the said water-course, shall be admitted as shareholders in the water-course on paying their proportionate share (to be determined by the amount of land they hold) of the first cost and maintenance of the water-course.

(*h*)—That all alterations in the number of shareholders, distribution of shares, or nomination of headman, shall be reported through the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer for the sanctiou of the Divisional Canal Officer.

8. The Divisional Canal Officer may accept the nominee of the shareholders in a water-course as "headman" of such water-course, and is empowered to pay him the fees as hereinbelow detailed, subject to the condition of satisfactory performance of duty.

9. The allowance to the headman of a water-course for duties connected with that water-course, such as arranging that it shall be kept in proper repair, seeing that no lands obtain water without a regular "permit," distributing the water to the shareholders, seeing to the outlet being closed according to the orders of the Divisional Canal Officer, and

generally assisting the officers of the Irrigation Department, shall be 5 per cent. on the assessments of canal water-rates derived from the water-courses in his charge. The Divisional Canal Officer may retrench the whole or any part of the fees under this rule in the event of the conditions not being complied with.

10. The allowance to the headman of a water-course for collecting the water-rates shall be 3 per cent. on the assessments, and shall be paid by the Collector on receipt of the full payment of demand for that crop and not otherwise, unless he can satisfy the Collector that the balance in arrear is so through no negligence of his. The payment to be made within two months of the dates named in the permit.

11. An appeal against retrenchment under Rules 9 and 10 shall lie to the Superintending Canal Officer and Commissioner respectively, if preferred within thirty days of such retrenchment, and the Superintending Canal Officer or Commissioner's decision shall be final.

12. Contracts between the Divisional Canal Officer on the part of Government and private individuals for the use of water as a motive power, or for any other purpose whatsoever not included in the published schedule of rates, shall, if for any period not exceeding one year, require the previous sanction of the Superintending Canal Officer.

If for longer periods, such contracts shall be submitted for the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor in the Irrigation Department.

13. Tanks may be filled with canal water without charge and without reference to the area irrigated in any village, whenever water can be made available without injury to the cultivation dependent on any canal, under the following regulations :—

(*a*)—No tank shall be so filled unless exclusively used for domestic purposes, and for watering cattle; such tanks are generally in the immediate neighbourhood of villages.

(*b*)—No tank shall be so filled from which irrigation is practised.

(*c*)—No tank shall be so filled which, intercepting any line of drainage, is liable to overflow from accumulation of water derived from natural causes.

(*d*)—No tank shall be so filled except on the written order of the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer, issued on the written applications of the parties concerned. The filling of tanks can only be permitted at such times and to such extent as the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer approves.

(*e*)—No tank shall be so filled unless the water-course used to fill it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer to be in a sound condition when the application is made.

(*f*)—The privilege herein accorded may be suspended for twelve months for breach of these regulations by written order of the Divisional Canal Officer, subject, however, to revision by the Superintending Engineer, whose decision shall be final.

14. The Divisional Canal Officer may, by written order under section 76 (*a*) (ii), stop the supply to any water-course when he has satisfied himself by personal inspection (by himself or one of his assistants) that the water-course is not maintained in proper repair. Immediate report of any such closure shall be made to the Superintending Canal Officer, and the special ground for stoppage explained.

15. The Divisional Canal Officer may, under section 76 (*a*) (iii), regulate the distribution of the available water in proportion to the average area irrigated from the several outlets, or in proportion to the quantities of water contracted for, and may close the outlets in rotation as shall be necessary.

Such periodical closures shall not extend beyond ten consecutive days, and shall be notified to the headman of water-courses. For longer closures the authority of the Superintending Canal Officer is required.

Nothing in the above rules shall be taken to affect the power of the Superintending or any Divisional Officer to stop any supply of water in case of pressing emergency.

16. The water-gauges on distributaries or other channels shall be held to give authoritative data for all calculations of discharge required to verify claims for remission of water-rate on account of loss of water.

17. Claims to remission, under section 76 (*b*) of ordinary charges payable for use of canal water shall only be admitted on proof of actual loss caused by the stoppage of supply. On proof of such loss the Divisional Canal Officer may remit the whole or any portion of the charges. All applications for remission of water-rates shall be made by the parties concerned in person, or through their headman, to the nearest Sub-Divisional Canal Officer at least seven days prior to the cutting of the crop, and the Sub-Divisional Officer shall thereupon inspect the applicant's fields, and forward his application for decision to the Divisional Canal Officer with his remarks.

18. Before awarding compensation under section 76 (*c*), the Collector shall obtain the written opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer, and such opinion shall form part of the record of the proceedings. Under this rule an appeal shall lie to the Commissioner of the division, whose order shall be final.

19. Under section 78 of the Act the rates chargeable per acre on the different descriptions of crops are fixed for three years, viz. from 1st June 1876 to the 1st June 1879, and are as follows :—

WATER-RATES.

Sone Canals.

Class.	Nature of Crop.	Flow Irrigation per			Lift Irrigation per			Per
		Cottah.	Beegha.	Acre.	Cottah.	Beegha.	Acre.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
I	Sugarcane	0 2 6	3 2 0	5 0 0	0 1 8	2 1 4	3 5 4	Crop.
II	Rice, vegetables, water-nuts, wheat, barley, cotton, tobacco, indigo, opium, garden, and all crops not otherwise specified	0 1 3	1 9 0	2 8 0	0 0 10	1 0 8	1 10 8	Do.

NOTE.

Cottah ... ... = 1361·25 superficial feet.
Beegha ... ... = 27225·00 " "
1 Acre ... ... = 43560·00 " "

20. Up to 1st June 1879 leases for three years may be granted at the following rates provided that the area leased in any village shall not be less than the whole irrigable area in the case of khureef cultivation or half the irrigable area in that of the rubbee cultivation. In the latter case the area must be as far as possible in one block. In certain cases it may, at the discretion of the Superintending Engineer, be comprised in two or at most three blocks.

Schedule of Rates.

	Per acre.	Per beegha.	Per cottah.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rubbee, including bhadaee ...	2 4 0	1 6 6	0 1 2
Khureef	1 8 0	0 15 0	0 0 9

21. Three-year leases will not be granted for sugarcane.

22. By irrigable area is to be understood as a general rule the extent of land for which water can be supplied at the rate of 80 acres in khureef and 180 acres in rubbee per cubic foot of available supply.

23. Leases for three years at the reduced rates may be given (1) on the application of all the cultivators of a village, on condition of their agreeing in such application to become jointly and severally responsible for the payment of all amounts due on account of water-rates; or (2) on the joint application of the cultivators and of some person hereinafter called the contractor, who may agree to collect and pay to Government under section 82 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876 all sums which may be due under the application on account of water-rates. The application of villagers binding themselves jointly and severally will be in the form prescribed in appendix C. The joint application of villagers and a water-rate contractor shall be in the form prescribed in appendix D. Every application under this rule must be signed by each applicant in the presence of at least one respectable witness.

24. A contractor or contractors shall be entitled to collect water dues at the rates given in the schedule attached to rule 20 from the cultivators who have applied for the water supplied. Every due from a cultivator to a contractor on account of water-rates shall be deemed a sum due to Government under sections 82 and 85 of Act III of 1876.

25. A contractor (or, in case there be more than one, each severally and jointly) shall be responsible for all sums payable on the application (appendix D), and shall be entitled to a deduction of 5 per cent. for cost of collection.

26. When the lease under these rules is for the supply of water to khureef crops or to all irrigable rubbee in the village, a list in form E should be submitted with the application showing the number of each field in the map, the area of the field, crop to be grown, and amount payable; and this should be signed by each cultivator. Water will be supplied in accordance with this list during the period of the lease. Similar lists must be submitted each year before water is supplied to rubbee lands when the area leased is less than the whole area of irrigable rubbee land in the village. In such cases the fields receiving water may vary from year to year, but the total area to be watered can never be less than the area stated in the application for the three years' lease.

27. No water shall be taken previous to receipt of a permit (appendix B) signed by the Divisional Canal Officer. When an agreement has been made for the collection of the rates by a contractor or contractors the Divisional Canal Officer shall furnish such contractor or contractors with an authorization under section 82 to collect the amounts due by the cultivators according to the list furnished under rule 26, one copy of which is to be sent to the Collector.

28. Every contractor shall nominate a headman to be approved by the Canal Officer to perform the duties specified in rule 9. Such headman shall receive 5 per cent. on the assessment, but the Canal Officer may retrench the whole or any part of these fees if the duties are not properly performed.

29. If only a portion of a field be irrigated the water-rate shall be chargeable on the whole field, unless such portion shall have been clearly demarcated, previous to the

admission of the water, by a ridge not less than half a foot high. The headman will be held personally responsible for the due observance of this rule.

30. When a portion of a field has been irrigated with canal water and a portion with well or reservoir water, the whole field shall be liable for canal water-rate, unless a clearly distinguishable boundary exists between the two portions. The headman will be held personally responsible for the due observance of this rule.

31. If well or reservoir water is conveyed in the same channel as canal water, the whole of the irrigation from that channel shall be liable to canal water-rate. The headman will be held personally responsible for the due observance of this rule.

32. Irrigation from natural or artificial escape channels, when the supply is permanent, shall be governed by the same rules as irrigation from other parts of the canal.

33. Irrigation from such channels, when the supply is intermittent, may be allowed at such reduced rates as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

34. Persons irrigating lands from a canal without a written permit for water for such lands, or taking water at times prohibited by proper authority, shall be chargeable with double water-rates on the area irrigated, in addition to such penalties as may be imposed under sections 93 and 94 of the Act.

35. The charge leviable for water suffered to run to waste on uncultivated lands shall be calculated at the highest rate specified in the schedule, viz. five rupees per acre on the area flooded; provided that in every such case the Divisional Canal Officer may impose a lower charge if he thinks fit. The headman to be held responsible for the payment of such rates as may be imposed, leaving it to him to realize the same from those to blame.

36. If mixed crops be grown in the same field, the water-rate shall be calculated on the highest rated crop.

37. When the original crop sown in a canal irrigated field fails and is ploughed up, and a fresh crop is sown in the same season, the water-rates leviable shall be due on the second crop.

38. When a field is irrigated which has not been prepared by division into compartments, and by the addition of small water-channels as prescribed in rule 5, an additional charge may be imposed equal to half the amount of water-rate leviable on the field. In each case the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Officer must certify that he personally examined the field, and that it was not properly prepared for irrigation according to the terms of the rule.

39. The amounts demandable for water-rate shall be determined and apportioned by the Divisional Canal Officer.

40. All water-rates shall become due on the dates noted on the "permits," viz. the dates on which the crops ordinarily come to maturity, and are as follows:—

Water-rate on spring crops,—wheat, barley, peas, poppy, &c.,—shall become due on 15th April.

Water-rate on summer crops,—cheena, &c.,—shall become due on 15th August.

Water-rate on bhadoi crops,—seera rice, Indian-corn, murwa, &c.,—shall become due on 30th November.

Water-rate on annual and winter crops,—aghani rice, joaur, &c.,—on 31st January and shall be paid within one month of such dates.

41. In the case of lands held in bhaoli, the water-rate shall be recoverable from both the cultivator and the person or persons in receipt of the bhaoli rents in the same proportion as the produce is divisible amongst them.

42. Collection of all water-rates will be made by the Collector strictly in accordance with the statement of demands furnished to him by the Divisional Canal Officer, in such form as shall from time to time be sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor.

43. The Collector will make the collections through the Deputy Collectors attached to each division of the canal and the Subordinate Canal Revenue Establishment.

44. Objections to the demand on the score of short supply, or of matters affecting the Irrigation Department, addressed to the Collector, shall be referred by him to the Canal Divisional Officer. Meanwhile the collection of the demand shall not be suspended.

45. Claims for remission so referred by the Collector, and admitted by the Divisional Canal Officer, shall be reported by him for the sanction of the Superintending Canal Officer.

46. A remission statement signed by the Superintending Canal Officer shall be sufficient authority for a refund by the Collector.

47. If the decision of the Divisional Canal Officer uphold the original demand, an appeal may be made to the Superintending Canal Officer, provided that it is preferred within forty days from the issue of the order. The decision of the Superintending Canal Officer shall be final.

48. In cases in which the water-rate is irrecoverable, from the absconding or bankruptcy of the defaulter, or when the question at issue does not depend on the canal supply or the action of the Irrigation Department, the Collector will obtain sanction to remission of canal demands from the Commissioner of the division. All such remissions shall be reported at the close of each official year to the Divisional Canal Officer.

49. If a cultivator is dissatisfied with the entries made against him in the "permit" (appendix B), whether as to the fact of the land having been charged "flow" instead of "lift," or as to the measurements and entries of class of crop, he must lodge a complaint, either personally or through the headman of his water-course with the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer within fifteen days of the issue of the permit.

50. No person, without the permission in writing of the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officers, shall pass, or shall cause any animal or vehicle to pass, on or across any of the works, banks, or channels of a canal or drainage work after he has been desired to desist therefrom, excepting upon such bridges, fords, and ferries, and their approaches, as are provided by the Divisional Canal Officer.

51. No Canal Officer, unless specially exempted by the Lieutenant-Governor, shall have any interest in the distribution of water from any of the canals, or purchase or bid for any Government property sold thereof, either in his own name or in the name of another, or jointly, or in shares with others.

52. The ameen after completing the measurement of a village, before leaving it, will compile the *Khatianni*. A copy of the *Khatianni* will be taken by the putwaree, who must himself make the copy; but if he cannot from any cause do so, the ameen must give it, and the latter is to be held responsible that a copy is taken.

53. The copy of the *Khatianni* thus made will be hung up in some conspicuous place, and slips in the prescribed form (appendix F) will be prepared by the putwaree and given to each ryot showing the amount he will have to pay, area irrigated, &c.

54. The allowance to the putwaree for the above work shall be 2 per cent. on the assessments which shall be paid by the Collector on his being satisfied that the putwaree did his work properly.

55. The measurements shall be made as soon as practicable, and every care taken to have the *Khatianni* hung up in the village at least 15 days before the crop is cut, so that the ryot may make his complaints, if he have any, in good time.

56. In case of any alteration in the *Khatianni* owing to correction of clerical errors, &c., the same shall be communicated to the putwaree at once to enable him to correct the village copy and slips accordingly.

57. The zilladar shall submit his check measurements in the form (appendix G) which shall be sent in for the inspection of the Divisional Canal Officer. The Sub-Divisional Canal Officer shall also check the measurements as often as he possibly can. If it is found that any ameen systematically makes wrong measurements, he shall be punished by dismissal, and shall be declared incapable of obtaining further employment under Government.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

The 10*th September* 1878.

APPENDIX A.

APPLICATION FOR WATER.

No.

Mouzah (1).....

Pergunnah (2).....

Distributary (3).....

Village channel (4).....

Name of headman (5).....

Name of applicant (6).....

I, the undersigned, hereby apply for water from the above-named village channel for the fields and crops below detailed, and I engage to pay, through the headman, to the Divisional Canal Officer, or other person duly authorized to receive them, the water-rates according to the published schedules, and I further agree to abide by all the rules issued under the Canal Act.

No. of field in Revenue Map.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.

Signature or mark of applicant.

Signature of headman.

Date _____

NOTE.—This counterfoil to remain with the headman of the village channel.

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No. of field in Revenue Map.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.

Signature or mark of applicant.

Signature of headman.

Date _____

NOTE.—This application to be sent to Sub-Divisional Canal Officer or Ziladar according to the orders issued in the particular case by Divisional Canal Officer.

APPENDIX B.

No.

Permit _____ of village _____ to take water from

Distributary _____

Village channel _____

for the under-mentioned fields and crops.

No. of field.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.	Water-rate due.	Date of payment.

Date _____ _____

Signature of Canal Officer.

NOTE.—To be retained by the Officer issuing the permit.

No.

Permit _____ of village _____ to take water from

Distributary _____

Village channel _____

for the under-mentioned fields and crops.

No. of field.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.	Water-rate due.	Date of payment.

Date _____

Signature of Canal Officer.

NOTE.—To be retained by the headman of the village channel.

No.

Permit _____ of village _____ to take water from

Distributary _____

Village channel _____

for the under-mentioned fields and crops.

No. of field.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.	Water-rate due.	Date of payment.

Date _____

Signature of Canal Officer.

NOTE.—To be sent to the other Revenue Officer of the sub-division. Thus Sub-Divisional Officer, this will be sent to the Zilladar and *vice versa*.

No.

Permit _____ of village _____ to take water from

Distributary _____

Village channel _____

for the under-mentioned fields and crops.

No. of field.	Acreage of field.	Crop to be grown.	Water-rate due.	Date of payment.

Date _____

Signature of Canal Officer.

NOTE.—To be handed by headman of village channel to the ryot.

APPENDIX C.

Vernacular

Form of applications by villagers for a three years' lease.

Mouzah Pergunnah

Distributary

Names of applicants

We the undersigned inhabitants of Mouzah Pergunnah hereby apply for water from the above-named distributary to be supplied yearly for three years to the areas given below, being the whole of the irrigable area of khureef in the mouzah and ( ) of the irrigable area of rubbee; and we further apply that the water may be given for khureef to the fields and cultivators shown in the accompanying list, and for rubbee according to lists to be submitted each year previous to water being supplied; and we further jointly and severally agree to pay rates as fixed in the schedule below, and undertake to pay each year the full amount calculated on this area applied for at such rates subject to the provisions of Rules 17 and 46.

age.	Kind of Class.	Areas.	Rate.	Amount.	Signature of cultivator.
		B. C. D.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
	Rubbee	.....	1 6 6		
	Khureef	.....	0 15 0		

APPENDIX D.

Vernacular or
English and Vernacular

Joint application of villagers and a contractor under section 82, Act V of 1876, for a three years' lease.

Mouzah Pergunnah

Distributary

Names of villagers

Name of contractor

We the undersigned cultivators of Mouzah Pergunnah hereby apply for water from the above-named distributary to be supplied yearly for three years to the area named below, being the whole of the irrigable khureef land and ( ) the irrigable rubbee land of the above village; and we further apply that water may be given for khureef to the fields and cultivators shown in the accompanying list, and for rubbee according to list to be submitted each year previous to water being supplied; and we further agree to pay rates as fixed in the schedule below subject to the provisions of Rules 17 and 46.

I (contractor's name) agree to collect and pay to Government all sums payable on this application, and request, under section 82, authority to collect these rates according to the certificate to be annually supplied to me by the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer under section 85 of Act III, and I further agree to abide by all rules passed under the Canal Act.

Village.	Kind of class.	Areas.	Rate.	Amount.	
		B. C. D.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Rubbee	.....	.....	1 6 6	.....	
Khureef	.....	.....	0 15 0	.....	

APPENDIX E.

List of fields and cultivators showing the manner in which water leased under the rule is to be distributed.

We the undersigned cultivators of Mouzah Pergunnah request that the water supplied under our applications of be given to the fields and cultivators named below during the year ( ).

No. of field.	Area of field.	Crop.	Amount.	Name.	Signature.

APPENDIX F.

Percha or Slip Form.

Remarks regarding the individual to whom the percha has been given.	Water-rate.	Crop.	AREA AND KIND OF IRRIGATION.		NUMBER OF FIELD.		Date of issue of percha.
			Flow.	Lift.	Number in the Survey map.	Number of the Khatianni.	

APPENDIX G.

Zilladar's check measurement Form.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Name of Pergunnah.	Name of Village.	Name of cultivator and his father.	Field Survey No.	Name of ameen who measured.	MEASUREMENT ACCORDING TO AMEEN.				CHECK MEASUREMENT.						
					Crop.	Flow.	Lift.	Water-rate.	Crop.	Flow.	Lift.	Water-rate.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	REMARKS.

RAILWAY.

Darjeeling, the 5th October 1878.

No. 24.—*Notification.*—Mr. H. B. Molesworth, Assistant Engineer, 1st grade (temporary rank), is granted three months' privilege leave, under Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, from the forenoon of the 6th August 1878.

The 11*th October* 1878.

Corrigendum.—In notification No. 18, of the 22nd August 1878, *for* "1st September 1878" *read* "21st September 1878" as the date from which the services of Mr. C. W. Hope, Executive Engineer, 3rd grade, were replaced at the disposal of the Irrigation Branch of this Government.

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 28*th September* 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for railway purposes in the village of Hamidpore, pergunnah Pajienoore, zillah Nuddea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 15¾ chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the south, east, and north by land belonging to Boycanto Nauth Roy, and on the west by Eastern Bengal Railway Company's Chogdal. Station, is required within the aforesaid village of Hamidpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1256B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November 1878, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares "	2,000
Total ...	4,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 23rd November 1877, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 20th November 1878 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 11th November 1878, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 20th November 1878.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd December 1878 ...	2,500	2,000	4,500
Total ...	2,500	2,000	4,500

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 24th September 1878.

No. 1297B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

IT is hereby notified that the 230 chests of Behar opium of the manufacture of 1876-77, which were reserved for the French Government and have not been cleared, will be re-sold on account of Government at the opium sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November next, immediately after the conclusion of the sale of 4,500 chests already advertised for that day.

The conditions of the re-sale will be the same as those of the sale referred to.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th September 1878. S. BIRD, *for Secretary*.

No. 1290B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

Sealed tenders are invited for the supply of iron-machine cut clasp nails required for the Opium Factory at Ghazipore for the season 1877-78.

2. Tenders will be received in the office of the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, up to noon of Wednesday, 23rd October 1878.

3. All particulars as to time and place of delivery, as well as to quantity, description, and quality of the articles, can be obtained on personal application at the said office.

4. The party or parties whose tender may be accepted will be required to enter into an engagement, and as security for its fulfilment, to deposit with the Board such amount as they may think proper to demand.

5. The Board reserve to themselves the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for doing so.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th September 1878. W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1878.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 3rd October 1878.

No. 1032.—The Hon'ble L. S. Jackson, C.S., C.I.E., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, took his seat as Officiating Chief Justice of the Court on the forenoon of the 19th August last.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, is republished for general information :—

RETIREMENTS.

Simla, the 1st October 1878.

No. 918.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 895, dated the 20th September 1878, the undermentioned officer is permitted to retire from the service, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1878 :—

Rank and Name.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement	Where to be paid.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Adrian Hugh Paterson.	Staff Corps ...	456 5 0	.....	6,261 0 0	1st October 1878.	England

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Monday, the 18th November 1878, corresponding with 3rd Agrohun 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th March 1878:—

Number.	Toujee No.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	4028	Ten annas share of a zemindary chakle Amirabad, pergunnah Rajnagor.	Guru Prosad, Premchand, Kishori Mohun, Gopi Mohun, Bykanto Mohun and Horlal Roy, Sita Moni and Janoky Devia and Nagor Cashi Kundu.	4,078 7 9½	73 1 7	Entire estate to be sold.
2	6308	Two plots of new char kismut Khagotia in Chur Madan Sankor.	Mr. J. Pogose, Kashi Chandra Roy, Brojendro Coomar Roy Chowdhry, Anond Mohon, Govindo Mohon, Mohesh Chandra, Ram Krisno, Kali Krisno Pal Chowdhry, Guru Prosad, Prem Chand, Kishori Mohun, Horlal Roy, Modhu Sudon, Kristo Mohon Dass and Monualal Michree.	1,242 11 7	105 14 1	Ditto.

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 10th August 1878. J. E. B. JEFFERY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2.—Taraf Ajodhya Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Chandi Charan, Uma Charan, Kailas Chandra Choudhuri, and Jugal Kishor Datta; sudder jumma Rs. 723-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 7.—Kismat Ambika Babait, taraf Trilok Chandra Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Kailas Chandra Nandi; sudder jumma Rs. 745-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 31.—Taraf Abdul Mazid; recorded proprietor Ram Kanta Choudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 3,597-3-5. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Rohollah; recorded proprietors Kamala Kanta Sen, Bharat Chandra Tapadar, and Raj Chandra Sen for self and on part of Bangsi Mohun Sen, minor; sudder jumma Rs. 994-0-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 41.—Taraf Abdul Fozal; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan and Abdul Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 643-3-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 51.—Taraf Aleyar Khan; recorded proprietors Shahamat Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,606-0-9. Share No. 2 of Agbar Ali Khan, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 811-6-3, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 54.—Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimote Anandmoyi and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 849-6-9. Share No. 5 of Raj Chandra Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Isvar Chandra Rai, Bharat Chandra Rai, Srimote Amala, Srimote Pyari, Nanda Kumar Rai, Raj Chandra Rai, Gour Hari Kanungoe, Bhairab Chandra Das, Bisvambar De, Kali Kumar De, Bhairab Chandra, Jugal Kishor, Bisvambar Mahajan, and Kali Kumar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 256-12-10; share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari, Kukur Chand Nan, Krishnomoni, Srimote Perati, Bisvambar Mahajan and Kali Kumar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 66-1-3; and share No. 24 of Brajo Mohun, Bishwanath, *alias* Baidyanath, Brejo Mohun, Bholanath, Ghoneshyam, Hara Das Kanungoe, Jan Bibi, Kalicharan, Udayachand, Ulmila, Ranjit Ram, Ram Das, Ram Kishore, Ram Dayal De, Ram Dayal, Ram Dulal, Siva Das Kanungoe, Tonurám, Mrityunjai *alias* Jugal Kishor, Ram Dayal De, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, Shekh Mahamed Assanullah Chowdhry, Pitambar Potdar, Kali Kumar Bhattacharjya, Kamal Kumar, minor, Bisvambar De, and Kali Kumar De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 35-15-10, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 55.—Taraf Aziz Nassarat; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 791-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 127.—Kismat Anandamoye, Jeban Krishno Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishor; recorded proprietors Ram Kumar, Kishori Mohun, Nityananda Rai, Pratab Chandra Rai, and Anandamoyi; sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-10. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 391.—Taraf Bashanta Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Bashanta Ram, Ram Jiban, Ram Chandra, Gouri Charan, Deboo, Shib Charan, Chamaru, Komar Ali, Mohobollah, Agbar, Doman, Magon Das Potdar, Mahamed Daim, Jaffer Ali, Judhishtir Mahajan, Madan Mohan, Bishnupriya, Kamar Ali, Somod Ali, Korban Ali, Ram Shebok, Ramjai, Baisnab Charan Chaudhuri, Gour Chandra Das Chowdry, Pyari Mohun Das Das, Shonaullah, Sharot Chandra Das; sudder jumma Rs. 557-14-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 396.—Taraf Baksha Ali; recorded proprietors Nyamatullah, Nassu, Sher Khan, Dowan Ali, Nurollah, Fatteh Ali, Shamsher Ali, Umar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 937-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Bassir Hanif; recorded proprietor Mossumat Jahiranissa Khanam; sudder jumma Rs. 513. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 467.—Taraf Braja Lal; recorded proprietors Braja Lal, Ram Dayal, Kali Das, Brindaban, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Abid, Damodar Mohanta, Ramjan Ali, Warish, Gouri Shunkor, Ram Sharan Sarkar, Mahamed Jomil, Chandi Din Shukul, Raj Chandra Kerani, Nil Kamal and Akhil Chandra Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 508-7-3, The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 486.—Taraf Barai Charan; recorded proprietors Golam Ali and Hyder Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 502-9-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 522.—Kismat Bisheshwari, Babait Traf Gouri Sanker Kanangoe; recorded proprietors Mrityunjai, and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,228-13-4. Share No. 3 of Prasunna Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Sen, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Dataram Chowdhry, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Sarat Chandra, Jagat Chandra, Juramoni Bhattacharjya, Boloram Bhattacharjya, Shyama Sundari, Karam Ali, Arban Ali, Ram Goti Chakravarthi, Krish Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra Anandamoyi, and Kailas Chandra Rai Kanungoe; bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,032-3-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 746.—Taraf Sipi Dowlut; recorded proprietor Shekh Abdullah Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 2,930-1-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 764.—Taraf Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Chandra Prabha, Narayani, Muktakeshi, Srimoti Ambabati, Gurudas, Baisnab Charan, Kali Das, Mohesh Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra, Tarini Charan, Pitambar, Lokomudra, Ram Sundar, Murardhar, Abdul Ali, Belayet Ali, Abdul Ali, Azgar Ali, Ahassan Ali, Nanagazi, Durga Kripa Rai, Ram Kinkar Purohit, Mirhan Ali, Golam Ali, Arop Ali, Pyari Mohun, Syama Charan Rai, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailash Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romesh Charan Rai, Shristidhar Khansama, Agbar Ali, Parbatti Charan, Udaya Chand Bosu, Nur Ali, Gopi Nath, Dataram, Chandra Kola, Chandra Kola, Syama Charan Rai and Uma Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,905-3-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 805.—Taraf Dullab Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Nemai Charan Nundi, Fakir Chand Nundi, Srimote Bishnupriya, on part of her minor sons Prossanna Kumar and Kamal Kumar Nundi, Bishnupriya and Pitambar Shaha; sudder jumma Rs. 819. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 942.—Nilam Fakirchand; recorded proprietors Uma Charan Chowdhry, Gour Hari, Degambar, Pyari Mohun, and Ambica Charan Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 646-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1017.—Taraf mouza Garangya, Babait taraf Mangad Ram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Hamed Khan, Gaja Raj Senha, Omrao Senha, and Taran Senha Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 2,015-5-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Romes Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1024.—Taraf Gobinda Anandi; recorded proprietors Chhatranarayon; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,061-13-1. Share No. 10 of Chhatranarayon, Darpanarayon, Mahamed Ashrof, Ramjai, Ramjai, Ram Chandra Datta, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Sheik Mahamed Assanullah, and Shekh Mahamed Rohimullah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 707-14-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gouri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share No. 1 of Gour Chandra Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 54-6-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1119.—Taraf Hari Shona; recorded proprietors Azimuddin, Hassan Ali, Kartik, Kanuram Mahajan Mobarek Ali, Mahamed Daem Nazir, Mahamed Makim, Nanni, Lokiatullah, Bosson Bibi, and Oliullah; sudder jumma Rs. 1,539-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1143.—Taraf mouza Harina, Babait taraf Mangatram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan, Abdul Ali, and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 692-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6; share No. 1 of Warish Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9; share No. 2 of Mahamed Somid, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 91-0-6; share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 51-7-5; share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-2; No. 5 of Yassin Khan, Amir Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9. No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-3; No. 7 of Bishwanath Surma, sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6; and the remaining share No. 9 of Alaka, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,265-7-8, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1242.—Taraf Imambaksha; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari and Abdul Ali Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 697-5-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1269.—Taraf Jashmanta Singha; recorded proprietors Fatteh Ali, Magon Potdar, Umar Ali, Shaffar Ali, Sarang, and Fatteh Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-10-2. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1281.—Taraf Joynarayan Kerani; auction purchasers Sarat Chandra Monohar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 563-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1285.—Taraf Jorip Mahamed; recorded proprietors Jan Bibi, Mahamed Bashirullah Choudhuri and Ram Kanto Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 784-3-1. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1363.—Taraf Jadu Madan; recorded proprietors Ali Raja and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,227-14-9. Share No. 1 of Lal Singh, auction purchaser Shekh Assanulla Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 571-14-5; and share No. 2 of Ali Raja, Ram Krishna, Shib Narayan, and Shib Lochan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 656-0-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1513.—Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Anandamoye, Mahamaya; sudder jumma Rs. 853-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1546.—Taraf Karkan Roshan; recorded proprietor Baishnab Charan Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 616-7-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1552.—Taraf K. Fernandez; recorded proprietors J. D. Barros, Nityanunda Rukhit, Parbote Charn Rukhit, and Ram Sundar; sudder jumma Rs. 1,640-5-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1671.—Taraf Keoja Hoashang; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 1,129-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1714.—Nilam Lakhinarayan; recorded proprietors Ram Doyal Choudhry, Rahamat, Warish; sudder jumma Rs. 1,199-15-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1747.—Taraf Manohar Rai Choudhry; recorded proprietors Ramjai De, Srimoto Anundamoye, Ram Kumar Roy, Hara Sundari, Raj Mangal Rai, Anundamoye, Syama Sundari, Roghunandan, Ram Kumar Roy, Durga Kripa Rai, Nityanunda Rai, Pran Krishna Rai, Bonomali De, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romes Chandra Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoye, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoyi, Anandamoyi, Pratab Chandra Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,491-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1751.—Taraf Modon Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Lakhi Kanta Datta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 688-6-5. Share No. 1 of Lakhi Kanta Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 55-13-3; No. 2 of Ram Hari Datta, sudder jumma Rs. 52-7-1; No. 4 of Kosholya Debya, sudder jumma Rs. 141-10-1; and share No. 5 of Bisvambar Shaha, Ram Ballob Shaha, Guru Das, Ram Komal De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 424-11-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1884.—Taraf Mahamed Sona Mir; recorded proprietor Shekh Hashmat Ali Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 785-10-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1887.—Taraf Mahamed Raja Mir; recorded proprietors Uma Charan, Gour Hari, Digambar Pyari Mohan, Ambika Charan Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1894.—Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 560-1-0. Share No. 1 of Syam Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 135-8-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1900.—Taraf Mahamed Monohar; recorded proprietors Alfa Bibi, Ahamadullah, Chand Bibi, Etbar Ali sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2099.—Kismat Muraridhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, Babait Taraf Gouri Shankor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimate Annapurna Thekurani, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar Sarat Chandra, Anandamoyi, Jagat Chandra, Latoo Miya, Umed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,230-3-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2201.—Kismat Naziruddin Ahmed, Babait Taraf Hossan Wali; recorded proprietor Naziruddin Ahmed; sudder jumma Rs. 1,227-6-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2203.—Taraf Nossim Choudhury; recorded proprietors Jan Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 659-7-6. Share No. 2 of Yakup Ali Choudry, Abdul Rozok, Abdul Bari, and Abdul Golil, minor, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 49-7-3-0; and No. 3 of Jan Ali, Mohesh Chandra, Ramjan Ali, Nityanunda Sen, Gour Chandra Rudra, Nityanunda, Jan Ali, Jagat Chandra Sen, and Wahed Ali, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 362-11-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2368.—Taraf Waz, Abdul Hossen; recorded proprietors Shekh Jaker Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 731-11-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2389.—Taraf Paran Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Ulmila, Fakir Chand Nundi, Chandra Kanta Pal, Nokuleshwar Pal and Bakreshwar Pal; sudder jumma Rs. 601-3-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2411.—Kismat Pravabati, Babait Taraf Braja Kishore; recorded proprietors Abdul Khoyer Mahamed Mahassom Billa and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 667-11-10. Share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and of his mother Sharfannissa Tamaliat Khatoon Choudria, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 41-13-10; and share No. 14 of Baishnab Charan Datta, Fatteh Ali, Gour Hari Biswas, Khulan, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Ali, chaprasi, Warish, Nur Bibi Rahamat Syat, Ram Das, Ram Das, Ram Das, Sarat Chandra, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Amir Ali, Nur Mahamed, Tarak Charan Datta, Uma Charan Datta, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Sarat Chandra Waddar on part of Romes Chandra Biswas, and Srimote Nasseban Bibi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 186-11-11, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohun, Guru Das, Hara Das Rai; recorded proprietors Hara Das and others; sudder jumma Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share No. 1 of Kali Kumar, Chandra Kumar, Prasanna Kumar, and Sharada Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 763-1-6; and share No. 2 of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, and Hara Das Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2433.—Taraf Pranbollob; recorded proprietors Jag Mohun and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 914-5-5. Share No. 2 of Jag Mohun, Ram Das Chowdhry, Ramjai Chowdhry, Ram Das Chowdhry, Gobordhan Dhar, Abhaya Charan and Srimate Parameshwari, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 708-4-1, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2542.—Taraf Raja Ambika; recorded proprietor Akbar Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 608-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2544.—Taraf Ram Mohun Sen; recorded proprietors Bisvambar Sen, Kasi Chandra Sen, and Golok Chandra Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 884-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Annapurna, Jagat Chandra, Tarak Chandra, Assad Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7; share No. 12 of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemanta Ram De, Chaitanya Charan and Pran Hari Lala, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 163-12, and share No. 35 of Ram Dhan Barnik, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2565.—Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 819-1-7; share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 70, No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar and Shekh Dhonu Shadagar, sudder jumma Rs. 358-7-9, and share No. 5 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Baisnab Charan Chowdhry, Gour Kishor, Gouri Mohun Biswas, Jaduram Thakur, Lolita, Modhuram, Udaya Tara Paran Das Chowdhry, Ram Joy Boidya, Ram Das Sarma, Ram Dhan, Prem Narayan, Ram Chandra Biswas, Radha Ram, Ruhi Das Pal, Shamsher Ali, Sasti Chandra, Srimate Pran Kishori, Rukkini, Nara Sinha Surma, Digambar Bangze, Bodhan Biswas, Pran Hari Laha, Karim Baksha and Baisnab Charan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 119-13-7, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2566.—Kismat Ram Dulal Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 823-4-10; share No. 2 of Krishna Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 156-15 and the remaining share No. 4 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Brindaban Bhairab Chandra, Kanungoe, Lolita, Mohesh Chandra, Mrityun Jai, Nava Kishor Dastidar, Nyamat Ali, Ram Lochan, Ram Jai, Ram Das, Ramgoti, Ram Das, Shamsher Ali, Udoy Nath De, Ram Kinu De, Kashi Prasad Tewari, Shubal Chundra Roy and Jiban Krisna Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 107-0-7, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2588.—Nilam Ram Mohun, Imam Shorip; recorded proprietors Srimoti Pran Kishori, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Kashi Shwari; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2861.—Taraf Sadaram Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Kishori Mohan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,097-3-2; share No. 2 of Kishori Mohun Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 549-3-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2929.—Taraf Shachi Roshan; recorded proprietors Rustum Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 752-11; share No. 1 of Shekh Sadak Ali Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-3 and No. 2 of Karamat Ali Chowdhry, sudder jumma Rs. 188-2-9, and share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-4, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2933.—Taraf Shachi Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Aitton and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 826-14-3; share No. 1 of Ooka, Ram Dayal Sen, Srimoti Brajobashi, Jagat Chandra Sen, Tarak Chandra Sen, Babait Malik Gopal Das Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Rasick Chandra Sen, Gogan Chandra Sen, Purna Chandra Sen, Akhil Chandra Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Gagan Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 125-10-11; share No. 6 of Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, auction purchaser babait histcha Pran Krisna, Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, Golok Chandra Kanungoe, babait malik Gopinath, Pyari Mohun and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 18-3-3; share No. 8 of Srimoti Tarakishwari babait malik Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 3-5-6, share No. 37 of Srimoti Purna Dasi babait malik Gopi Nath, Ram Dulal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 8-11-0; share No. 38 of Srimoti Narayani, *alias* Bashi babait malik Lakshmi Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 9-13-9; share No. 39 of Srimati Oloka Sundari babait malik Nimai Charn Kanungoe, recorded proprietors Oloka Sundari, Ram Ram Dayal Das, Tara Das Das and Nunda Kumar Das, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 11-3-1; and share No. 46 of Shekh Assanullah Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 102-4-5, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3054.—Taraf Shiba Durga Sharam Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Brindaban, Krishna, Mohan Ghosal, Brindaban Mazumadar, Srimoti Anandamoyi, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohan Rai, Srimoti Tareni, Pratap Chandra Rai, Nityanunda Rai, sudder jumma Rs. 2,942-8-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3098.—Taraf Shurat Sinha; recorded proprietors Mohes Chandra, Shib Ratna Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 669-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3125.—Taraf Srimanta Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,737-12-0; share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan, recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan, Boidya Nath, Ananda Mohun Naha, Srimoti Waz Khatun, Jan Ali Chowdhry, Boidya Nath Sen, Syam Sundar Sen, Raj Chandra Sen and Bangsi Mohun Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 843-13-9, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3880.—Taraf Shekh Obedullah, Shekh Mahamed Ossi, Shekh Mahamed Ali; recorded proprietors Armana Bibi, Aman Ali, Bonnijan, Abdullah Khan and Mahamed Boshirullah Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 678-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhab; recorded proprietors Balak Das Mohanta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4; share No. 1 of Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 441-14-2, and share No. 5 of Balak Das Mohanta and Monohar Das Mohanta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 468-6-7, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Baraghona.

No. 13407.—Taluq Gouri Sankar, Baidya Nath; recorded proprietors Srimati Lolita Thakurani and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 701-4-3; share No. 2 of Lolita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 350-10-1 10 kranta, will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which the remaining proprietors have opened separate accounts under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Ramu, mouzah Rajarkul.

No. 23916.—Taluq Obedullah, Shekh Badiaz Zama, Dewan Bibi, Assalat Khan; recorded proprietors Fazal Ahmed Chowdhry, minor and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 963-11-3; share No. 2 of Assalat Khan, Srimati Thanda Bibi, Agbar Ali Khan, Assad Ali Khan, Choonnoo Jan Nuran Nissa and Amiran Nessa, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 662-9-2 will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Chakaria, mouzah Shurazpur.

No. 33534.—Taluq Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Shilkope.

No. 33673.—Kaimi taluq Anwar Ali Babait, ijara Azgar Ali, Aman Ali; recorded proprietor Shekh Mahamed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 612-2-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Tripura Charan and Annada Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878. G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, under Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Khurushkhul.

No. 41.—Taluq Srimati Tajannissa; recorded proprietor Tajannissa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,904-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Totak-khali.

No. 48.—Taluq Jaffer Ali; recorded proprietor Srimati Tajannissa Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 627-5-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Chakmarkul.

No. 84.—Taluq Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; recorded proprietors Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 835-6-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Ukhiarghona.

No. 142.—Taluq Magan Das Chaudhuri, Indranarain Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipriya, Manorama; recorded proprietors Baidya Nath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 575-14-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bhomoriaghona.

No. 160.—Taluq Kamalapuru; recorded proprietors Baidyanath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 531-13-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Isakhali.

No. 168.—Taluq Mobarek Ali; auction purchasers Fazal Ali and Fazal Ali 2nd; sudder jumma Rs. 508-1-6 The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Pokekhali.

No. 170.—Taluq Gauri Sankar, Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Alifabanu and Abdul Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 506-13-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Choufaldandi.

No. 173.—Taluq Aman Chaudhuri; recorded proprietor Mussamut Tajannessa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-9-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bharwakhali.

No. 177.—Taluq Mahomed Raja, Jamsher Ali; recorded proprietor Jaffer Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,000-3-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Bheolamanikchar.

No. 274.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Magon Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 757-10-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Barabakia.

No. 286.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Shekh Dewan Ali Chaudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 687-9-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Baraitoli.

No. 293.—Taluq Ali Mahomed Sikdar; occupant Roshan Ali Darogah, Mahomed Ashrof and Mahomed Azim; sudder jumma Rs. 2,270-6-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Harbang.

No. 295.—Taluq Lal Mahomed Daroga; recorded proprietors Lal Mahomed Daroga; and Srimati Jamal Hossen Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 941-1-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Pinchari.

No. 304.—Taluq Krishna Rangit, auction purchaser Madhuram Bahaddar; sudder jumma Rs. 500-14-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Chambal.

No. 307.—Taluq Srimati Tajanissa Chaudhuri, babait taluq Aminullah, Karimullah, auction purchaser Hassen Ali, registered proprietor Farkanda Bakhta and Ohidal Alam; sudder jumma Rs. 1,193-4-10. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza South Nhillah.

No. 460.—Taluq Srimati Khamah Chaudhuria, Srimati Umari Chaudhuria, Lhatong Choudhuri Lhapoe Choudhuri, Lhapechu Chaudhuri, Srimati Chymerao Chaudhuria, babait taluq Fando, auction purchaser Ishan Chandra Das; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 677-11-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Town, mouza Char Shabek Bakalia.

No. 559.—Taluq Ahmed Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi; recorded proprietors Ahmad Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi and Mahomed Noshim Sadagar; sudder jumma Rs. 686-4-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Fattikchari, mouza Kanchannagar.

No. 635.—Taluq Srimati Ronu Debya; recorded proprietor Dewan Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 890-15-8. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza Teknaaf.

No. 1401.—Taluq Khepong Chaudhuri, Ampuru, Man, Srimati Lan, Srimati Chymepori, Angri Chaudhuri, Kasim Ali, auction purchasers Akhil Chandra Nandi and Abhoya Charan Ghos; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 699-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878. G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' import warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1878.			
Sept. 26	82 Packages, B in a diamond with D D below ...	Order ...	Ship Lady Belhaven.
" 26	3 Cases, 244 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 26	24 Packages, H S K in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 26	4 Casks, K C M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 26	1 Cask, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 26	25 Packages, 200 in a diamond, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 26	2 Packages, R B in an inverted trinngle, with H. S. K. & Co., below	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 26	1 Plate Iron, T X X in red	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 26	1 Cask, R N P in a block	Radhanath Pyne & Co.	Ditto.
Oct. 2	21 Bars Square Iron, no mark	Order ...	Ditto.
" 2	2 Runlets, C P B in a diamond, with H. S. K. & Co. below	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 2	25 Barrels, K C M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 1	5 Cases, 756 in a diamond, with B. B. & Co. below	Ditto ...	S. S. Flamingo.
" 1	4 Packages, J. N. S. & Co. in double triangles ...	Juggunnath Sen ...	Ditto.
Sept. 25	10 Cases, 426 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ..	Order ...	Ship Dephne.
" 25	25 Casks, M in a diamond, with F. T. B. & Co. below	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 25	2 Cakes Spelter, T W C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 25	1 Cake Spelter, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 24	2 Cases, 513 top, D bottom, 2 in a diamond, with H. S. K. & Co. bottom	Ditto ...	Ship Loch Ech.
" 24	37 Bars Flat Iron	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 24	43 Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 24	9 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 24	2 Casks, M in a diamond, with F. T. B. & Co. below	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 30	1 Case, 200 in a diamond, top R B	Doyal Chunder Dutt	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 12th October 1878. (611—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 3rd October 1878.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Total of the week	638 6 3	634 3 6	900 9 3	507 3 9	2,680 6 9	
Total of previous 38 weeks ...	17,470 12 9	17,019 13 6	32,339 8 3	18,645 6 6	85,475 9 0	
Grand Total ...	18,109 3 0	17,654 1 0	33,240 1 6	19,152 10 3	88,155 15 9	

CALCUTTA, the 14th October 1878. (613—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 10th October 1878.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Total of the week	492 3 6	460 0 9	765 14 0	436 7 0	2,154 9 3	
Total of previous 39 weeks ...	18,109 3 0	17,654 1 0	33,240 1 6	19,152 10 3	88,155 15 9	
Grand Total ...	18,601 6 6	18,114 1 9	34,005 15 6	19,589 1 3	90,310 9 0	

CALCUTTA, the 14th October 1878. (614—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
	O 22—69837	20	The Post-Master General, N.-W. Provinces.
	C 33—49654	100	The Deputy Commissioner, Shillong.
	O 34—15206	100	
	L 94—75417	100	
	„ —17781	100	
	O 33—89176	100	
	L 84—57392	100	
	O 33—45287	100	
	„ —89178	100	
	L 83—55572	100	
	L 93—55104	50	Rev. W. Nowack.
	„ —55105	50	
	O 23—71351	20	Rajendra Nath Biswas.
	O 16—50675	10	
	O 40—02204 to „ —02213	10 each	Tarapada Bhattacharjee.
	L 93—64930	50	Shaik Goorad.
247	L 93—59796	50	The Sub-Inspector of Shanuggur, Azimgunge.
250	O 29—50807	1000	Messrs. Schroder, Smidt and Co.
252	O 27—23295	500	Sreedhur Narain.
253	O 15—45902	10	The Officiating Post-Master General, Bengal.
	O 17—76531	10	
	L 42—92615	10	
	O 12—01394	10	
	O 11—36412	10	
	L 31—19937	5	
	„ —22485	5	
254	L 93—61743	50	Bhagoban Chunder Das.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
256	O 15—19357	10	J. Burgh.
	O 19—45012	10	
257	O 33—76994	100	Lt.-Col. F. E. A. Chamier.
258	O 17—61832	10	The Post-Master General, N.-W. Provinces.
	„ —61833	10	
	„ —61834	10	
259	L 17—83834	5	Haris Chunder Sarma.
260	L 72—20948	10	Rev. F. Krüger.
261	O 16—65176	10	Amore Chand Das.
262	O 22—24434	20	Head Constable Banee Nath Bose.
263	L 30—90823	5	Allah Rakha Mollah.
264	O 2—96315	20	Kali Shankur Singha.
	O 3—27247	20	
265	O 6—45566	10	Sergeant J. Quinn.
266	L 78—18192	20	Baney Madhub Mullick.
	O 6—80243	10	
267	L 30—27888	5	T. T. Sowminada Pellai.
268	O 33—31425	100	Ram Chunder Shaha.
269	L 80—71338	20	Moonshi Abdool Kadir.
270	L 97—67272	10	Poorna Chandra Chakravarti.
271	L 76—72374	10	E. P. Allnutt.
272	O 34—44662	100	Messrs Nathonee Lal and Gopaul Chand.
154	L 17—78986	5	Hurro Mohan Bhurjo.
	„ —78985		
155	L 26—36297	5	Chundi Churn Halder.
	„ —36295		
156	O 10—53683	10	Lt.-Col. Winson, s.c.
	„ —53682		
157	O 16—85468	10	Gobind Chunder Banerjee.
	O 13—86968		
159	L 25—75056	5	Jogodis Chunder Bysack.
	—75055		
160	L 62—10389	10	Hridoya Krisna Ghose.
	„ —10391		
161	L 46—72393	20	Mathoora Nath Roy Chowdhury.
	„ —36947		

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
162	L 9—88026 —61912	5	J. A. Thompson.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.
PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 28th September 1878.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Government Cinchona Febrifuge.

AN EFFICIENT SUBSTITUTE FOR QUININE.

PRICE to the general public rupees twenty per pound tin. To Government Officers for Government purposes, and to wholesale purchasers of not less than twenty pounds, rupees sixteen and annas eight per pound. Postage of each tin annas twelve extra. Cash to accompany all orders.

Apply to Superintendent, Botanical Garden, Howrah, near Calcutta.

Notice.

THE Public are hereby informed that the well known Kartick Baruni Mela, which is held on the banks of the Dhaleshwari, near Munshigunge, in the Dacca district, will commence on the 9th November 1878 A.D., corresponding with the 24th Kartick 1285 B.S., and continue to the 8th December, corresponding with the 23rd Ugrahayan. Tradesmen, dealers, and others may, during this month, buy and sell there with advantage.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIKES, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

Wanted

BY the District Road Cess Committee of Purneah a District Engineer on a salary of Rs. 500 per mensem. Travelling allowances in accordance with the rules of the Department of Public Works will also be paid. None need apply who do not possess the necessary qualifications of an Executive Engineer of the Public Works Department. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th October 1878.

J. A. HOPKINS, *Chairman,*
District Road Cess Committee.
PURNEAH, the 27th September 1878. (595—3)

Notice to Contractors and others.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of fitted iron work and tiles needed for the construction of a Leslie's patent roof at Burisaul.

All information on application to undersigned at the E. E. Hotel, between the hours of 2 and 6 o'clock, on the 20th instant.

(612—2) R. S. GLOVER, *District Engr., Burisaul.*

THE undermentioned currency notes and gold ornaments, supposed to be stolen property, are lying at the Sub-Divisional Office, Raneegunge, for identification, viz.—

Currency Note No.	L-92—94011	... Rs.	50
" " "	L-91—96614	... "	20
" " "	O-20—86052	... "	20
" " "	O-6— 33417	... "	10
" " "	L-30—69086	... "	5
" " "	L-29—62574	... "	5
" " "	L-30—63113	... "	5

One bracelet.
One necklace.

H. SAVAGE,
(599—3) *Joint-Magistrate, Raneegunge.*

Notice

IS hereby given that Government currency notes as follows were stolen from the Residency, Shillong. Any persons to whom the same or any of them may be presented will oblige by communicating with the Deputy Commissioner, Shillong :—

L-94—17781, 8th January 1875	.. Rs.	100
O-33—45287, 8th April "	... "	100
O-34—15206, 8th July "	... "	100
O-33—89176, 8th April "	... "	100
O-33—89178, 8th " "	... "	100
O-94—75417, 8th January "	... "	100
L-84—57392, 4th April 1874	... "	100
L-83—55572, 8th October "	... "	100

JEEBON ROY, *Offg. Extra Asst. Commr. in charge.*
DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, SHILLONG, the 21st Sept. 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given to the public that nobody is to purchase the following 4 per cent. Government Promissory Notes of late Mohesh Chunder Ghose, of Boroo, which, on his death, have been renewed in the name of his widow, Russickmoney Dassie, who has a life interest only, and that the undersigned, being the only surviving brother of the said Mohesh Chunder Ghose, is the reversioner :—

Nos. 005071, 005072, 005073, 005074, 005075, 005076, 005077, 005078. } Eight papers, each Rs. 1,000 = Rs. 8,000.

Nos. 005079, 005080, 019249, 086086. } Four papers, each Rs. 500 = Rs. 2,000.

KOYLASH CHUNDER GHOSE,
Boroo, in Barripore, 24-Pergunnahs.
Dated the 12th October 1878. (609—1)

NOTICE.—Opendro Nath Chatterjee, B.L., Pleader, Bhagulpore Court, intends to apply to the High Court for enrolment as Vakeel thereof. (610—4)

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of GREES CHUNDER ROY, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 28th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 19th day of November next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Norendronauth Sen, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 2nd day of October 1878.

POSTAL NOTICES.

ON and after the 1st December 1878 the Tonga mail service between Silligorie and Darjeeling and *vice versâ* will cease.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*
CALCUTTA POST OFFICE, the 9th October 1878.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P.M.	16th Oct.	*Rajpootana.*
Madras and Ceylon ...	6 "	16th "	*Mirzapore.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	6 "	18th "	*Baghdad.*
Straits and Hong Kong ..	6 "	19th "	*Venice and Japan.*
Akyab and Kyouk Phyoo ...	6 "	20th "	*Commilla.*
Persian Gulf	6 "	21st "	From Bombay.
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports, Mauritius, Batavia, Singapore and China.	6 "	21st "	*Meinam.*

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 18th October 1878, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Natal, Cape of Good Hope, the Comoro Islands, and Madagascar can be forwarded.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 17th October 1878.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*
GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 14th October 1878.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M. 6 " 8 "	5 P.M. 7-30 A.M.	
Howrah	2-30 P.M.	2 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	7 "	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 "	7-30 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 " 6 P.M.	7-15 " 5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 "	5 "	7 "
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 "	3-15 "	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Pubna, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	6 "	5 "	7 "
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 "	5 "	7 "
Ooloobarah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 "	5 "	6-30 "
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays ..	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays ..	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	11-20	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	11-15	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	11	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	11-40	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	11	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	10-50	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	11-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	11-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	11-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	11-25	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	8-32	1-2	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	11-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	11-20	3-7	5-30	
Ballaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.		First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office		8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar	N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar	C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla	N. E.	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla	N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
* Dhurmtolla	W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
* Napit Bazar	E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Ballaghatta	E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley	S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
* Park Street	P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore	S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore	S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Allipore	A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach	W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*
CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Sept. 1878.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post-Office on the 14th October 1878.

Alfred, Mr. J.
Anderson, R. Z. J.
Birdie, J.
Blotzky, F. B.
Brodrick, L. St. J.
Briddan, Mrs. H. R.
Burke, Mrs. E. C.
Burke, A. D. & Co.
Carvalho, Ignatius.
DeNeechis, Esq.
Durio, J.
Elmslie, W. Wallace.
Fishbourne, Mrs. E. C.
Fisher, W. R.
Forth, F. H. D.
Gallordi, Miss A.
Green, Mrs.
Grierson, W. S.
Haffman, M.
Hay, C. J. D.
Hock, F.
Inglis, D. K.
Lavender, F. W.
Keogole, M.
Kirtun, Chas.
Lengis, D.
MacDonald, Mrs. J.
Mathews, Mrs. L.
McCulloch, R. W.
Moss, Henry.
Nobokrishun Shil & Co.
Pain, H. W.
Pearson, Mrs. E.
Peglar, Thos. B.
Piers, Mrs. Sarah.
Ryan, J. L. M.
Savi, J.
Seymour, C.
Stanton, George.
Sutton, John.
Twine, A.
Vandenberg, J. M.
Wilkins, Miss L.

Letters marked "Care of Post-Office, to be kept till called for."

Adamson, Captain.
Aitchison, H.
Augier, P. C.
Baloo Muljee.
Barton, John E.
Blanchard, Joseph.
Bridges, Colonel.
Brown, H. A.
Campbell, J. F. M.
Campbell, Selby and Co.
Clarke, Capt. H. W., R.E.
Clark, Lieut. Hugh L.
Cowlishaw, John.
Cooper, Thomas.
Crisiccass, Geo. A.
Daniell, Mrs.
Davis, James.
Dundas, P. A. C.
Dunne, P.
Dunsford, R. C.
Edward, George.
Egerton, Brian.
F. S. L.
Fagan, N.
Farrel, Robert D.
Fazool Uddin (draftsman.)
FitzGerald, C. M. Lieut.
Frear, Aneta.
Gidden, Thos.
Gates, Henry.
Gayapershad.
Goodridge, Capt.
Grief, Lieb.
Harris, G. C.
Hart, J.
Hill, E.
Hormusjee, D.
Hyne, Mrs. Isabella.
James, C. H.
Jennings, N. E.
Johnston, Captain R.
Kilgour, Major F.
Kopenhagen, M.
Lawton, Thos.
L. care of Post-Master.
Linnes, G.
Littlewood, J. H.
MacIntyre, A. M. E.
McWilliam, Miss.
McWilliam, J.
Mahoney, H. C.
Maxwell, W. P.
Minton, J. O.
Muldoon, Thomas.
Nortte, Miss.
Rae, Lieut. R. I., R.N.R.
Rankin, Capt H.
Ray, Surgeon-Major S. K.
Sanderson, S.
Sherriff, James.
Smith, Mrs. H.
Stern, W.
Stobie, J. C.
Stowell, Alexander R.
Street, T.
Sumner, J.
Taker, Miss P. C. O.
Thomas, Lt. R. E. N.
Vaillan, H. J.
Vander, A.
Waller, A. B.
Warner, Daniel.
Wilson, John Harvey.
Wilson, Mr.
Williams, Mrs A.
X. Y. Z.
X. Z. Y.

Newspapers.

Blannen, E.
Cuthell, Jno.
Dunkin, C. J.
Fagon, J. N.
Ludrick, Geo.

Registered Letters.

Anderson, T. B.
DeSers, Mrs.
Gunt, H.
Koing, F.
Lean, W. W. Lt.
Proby, F. M.
Ranier, H. (Inspr. Tra. P.O.)
Rodgers, F.
Watts, W.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master, Calcutta.*

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 11th October 1878.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	Remarks.
BHAGIRUTTEE.			
Entrance below Joyrampore	6	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction.	8	0	
Entrance below Chourasia...	6	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	15	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	17	6	Lalkhawdiar.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	13	3	Lalbagh.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	13	3	Gopeenathpore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	13	6	Goopeepore.
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance	14	0	
Thence to Tatarparah ...	8	0	Tatarparah.
From Tatarparah to Hat Bolia.	9	0	Dewangunge.
From Hat Bolia to Boalmaree.	18	0	Dasparah.
From Boalmaree to Alickdeah.	16	6	Mohesgunge.
From Alickdeah to Kissengunge.	17	0	Bastopore and Mothoorapore.

JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges.	10	6	
Thence to Junction with the Byrub.	7	3	Bosemaree.
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	15	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	12	6	Peerojpore.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	16	3	Modoopore.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	18	3	Sahebnughur.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 14th October 1878, above zero, 14 feet 5½ inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.
BERHAMPORE, the 14th October 1878.

List of Books for Sale

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Chaitanya-chandrodaya, Nátaka, 3 fasci.	1	14
Srauta sútra, Asvaláyana, 11 fasci....	6	14
Látyáyana, 9 fasci.	5	10
Sankara Vijaya, 3 fasci. ...	1	14
Vaisheshika Darsana, 5 fasci.	3	2
Dasa Rúpa, 3 fasci. ...	1	14
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No. 6209, dated Fort William, the 13th September 1878.

Memo. by A. W. CROFT, ESQ., M. A., Director of Public Instruction.

COPY of the following forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department, with reference to his office No 2893, dated the 23rd August 1878, with a recommendation that the offer may be accepted and notified in the *Gazette*.

Dated Utterpara, the 7th September 1878.

From—BABOO JOYKRISTO MOOKERJEE,
To—The Director of Public Instruction.

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No. 3569, dated Calcutta, the 14th October 1878.

From—H. H. RISLEY, ESQ., Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, General Dept.,
To—The Director of Public Instruction.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your endorsement No. 6209 of the 13th September 1878, regarding four prizes of Rs. 50 each offered by Baboo Joykissen Mookerjee for the encouragement of private students of Sanskrit; and in reply to say that the Lieutenant-Governor accepts the offer, and desires that an expression of his thanks may be conveyed to Baboo Joykissen Mookerjee for this example of his public spirit and liberality.

2. The correspondence will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 13th October 1878.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.	*Western Districts.*		
BURDWAN DIVN. 1	Burdwan, Oct. 12 '78	0·15	Weather—hot. The state and prospects of the crops are very good. The crops would be benefited, however, by a little more rain.
	Culna ...	Nil	
	Cutwa ...	Nil	
	Bood-Bood ...	1·29	
	Raneegunge ...	0·32	
	Jehanabad ...	0·30	
2	Bankoora, „ 12 „	Nil	Cold nights. Weather bright and clear by day. Midday heat in the shade about 87°. The *aus* crop has been reaped, and the outturn has been fair. The rest of the crops on the ground will suffer unless they get rain soon. Epidemic fever is still bad in the east of the district.
3	Beerbhoom, „ 13* „	0·20	Weather—very dry. Rain would now benefit the crops.
4	Midnapore, „ 12 „	0·22	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
5	Hooghly, „ 12 „	3·07	Weather—sultry, with occasional showers. The harvesting of *aus* is nearly completed; the outturn is fair. The *amun* crop continues to promise well. The propects of the other crops are generally good. Ploughing and manuring for the potato crop has commenced. Fever is prevailing everywhere.
	Howrah, „ 14† „	0·10	Days very sultry; mornings getting cooler. Enquiries made into the result of the recent floods show total loss of crops just round the Rajapur bheel, and slight loss in villages lying further back The entire damages may be put at 5 to 6 annas in Doomjoor and 4 annas in Juggutbullubpore and Ampta. The loss elsewhere has been trifling. The *amun* which is growing is first-rate. The Rajapur villages had a good *boro dhan* crop.
	Central Districts.		
PRESIDENCY DIVN. 6	24-Pergunnahs Oct. 12 '78	0·09	Weather—very hot during the day, but getting cooler at night. The state and prospects of the crops are still very good. Fever is common.
7	Nuddea, „ 12 „	1·12	Weather—hot and sunshiny with occasional rain. The prospects of the *amun* crop are good everywhere. Some slight injury has been done to the winter crops by the late rains.
	Kooshtea ..	Nil	
	Meherpore ...	0·38	
	Chooadanga ...	2·20	
8	Jessore, „ 12 „	0·59	The weather has been fine and seasonable with some rain. It has cleared up and denotes the coming in of the cold weather, yet it has been rather hot. The *amun* crop is doing well. The gathering of *aus* has been completed. The winter sowings have commenced in some places. Though some damage has been caused in Magoora and Bagirhat by insects, the prospects are good.
	Jhenida ...	1·66	
	Magoora ...	0·20	
	Narail ...	0·25	
	Bagirhat ...	0·50	
9	Moorshedabad „ 12 „	0·58	A storm of rain and wind passed over the station on the night of the 10th instant; the remainder of the week was fine and bright. *Amun* bids fair to be a heavy crop with a few showers towards the end of the month. The land is being broken up for cold weather crops, and the general prospects are decidedly good.
	Lalbagh ...	0·98	
	Rampore Hât ...	0·48	
	Jungipore ...	Nil	
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVN. 10	Dinagepore, „ 11 „	1·13	Sharp showers. Weather cooler. *Aus* rice is harvested. It is an average crop. The prospects of *amun* rice are fair. Damage is caused in parts of the district from the heavy floods to the extent of four annas.
11	Rajshahye, „ 12 „	0·38	Weather—now and then cloudy. The mornings and evenings are becoming cool. The cutting of *aus* is finished. The prospects of the standing *amun* crop are said to be promising. The price of common rice has risen to 13 kutcha seers per rupee at Nattore.
12	Rungpore, „ 11 „	1·05	The weather is getting cool, though the afternoons are still hot. The state and prospects of the *amun* crop are generally good. Public health is remarkably good for this season of the year.
	Bagdogra ...	1·77	
	Kurigram ...	0·56	
13	Bogra, „ 12 „	0·10	Weather—hot and dry, with slight rain during the early part of the week. South-east wind is prevailing. The *amun dhan* is in good condition, and will, it is hoped, turn out well. *Mashkalai* is being sown. The health of the people generally keeps fair.
14	Pubna, „ 12 „	1·26	Weather—fine, with some showers. The prospects of the crops are the same as before. Public health is good.
15	Darjeeling, „ 12 „	2·05	The rainy weather still holds out, but it appears to be breaking up. The crops in the Hills and the Terai are progressing favourably.
16	Julpigoree, „ 12 „	0·38	Weather—seasonable; the condition and propects of the crops are everywhere reported to be very satisfactory.
	Cooch Behar, „ 10 „	1·20	Weather—fair and not so hot as in the previous week. The prospects of late rice continue favourable. Tobacco seeds have been sown. If there be no more rain for some time, the people will be able to prepare their fields for the cold-weather crops. The price of rice continues high.
	Meckligunge ..	1·8	

* Report of 18th shows rainfall during week ending 12th.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)			
	Eastern Districts.		
DACCA DIVN.			
17	Dacca, Oct. 12 '78	5·78	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are fair.
	Moonsheegunge (for week ending 9th).	5·50	
	Manickgunge for week ending 11th).	0·27	
18	Furreedpore, „ 13* „	1·79	Weather—fair. North wind has set in, but the weather is still hot. The rivers are rapidly falling. The prospects of the *amun* crop are everywhere good. Some sorts of paddy are beginning to be reaped, especially in thana Bhanga.
	Goalundo ...	0·63	
	Madaripore ...	3·58	
19	Backergunge, „ 10 „	8·85	Heavy rain on four days of the week. The weather has now brightened up. Prospects are good. The rainfall has been most favourable to the *amun* rice, which promises to be a crop of exceptional excellence. Betel-nut, cocoanut and sugarcane have turned out well, and are being largely bought up for exportation. There is a tendency to a fall in prices. Health is good.
20	Mymensingh, „ 11 „	5·40	Heavy rain, except in Attia. Weather close. The high lands are very favourable; the crops on the low lands have been damaged more or less. The river is falling fast.
21	Tipperah, „ 11 „	4·32	A violent storm, resembling a cyclone, passed over the district on the night of the 6th instant, but little damage has been done by it. It was accompanied by very heavy rain, especially in the south of the district. The weather has since been fair and hot. Slight injury has been done to sugarcane in the west of the district by the heavy storm of the 6th. The *amun dhan* crop everywhere is in good condition.
	Brahmunbaria ...	3·64	
	Chandpore ...	9·66	
CHITTAGONG DIVN.			
22	Chittagong, „ 10 „	6·38	Weather—very rainy. The transplanting of *amun* is finished. The crops are promising very well in all places save Harbang outpost, where insects are reported. Prices are nevertheless high, and rice is being imported.
23	Noakholly „ 10 „	5·35	Weather—seasonable. The reaping of the early rice crop is completed. Transplantation of the *amun* crop is nearly at an end. Prospects are favourable. Public health is good.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 8 „	3·62	Weather—rainy throughout the week, with occasional sunshine. The cotton pods have been much damaged by the rain of the week, and a poor outturn is therefore anticipated. The harvesting of the joom paddy crop still continues. The plough cultivators' paddy crop is doing well.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 10 „	4·03	Heavy rain and a gale of wind blowing from the north-west on the night of the 6th and the morning of the 7th until 10 A.M. No damage has been done. The weather has been calm since. The rainfall of the week will be of great benefit to the *amun* crop. Prospects are excellent everywhere.
BEHAR.			
PATNA DIVN.			
25	Patna, Oct. 12 '78	Nil	Weather—hot. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
26	Gya, „ 12 „	Nil	Sky clear. No clouds. The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 96·2°. The prospects of the *aghani dhan* are favourable, but the sub-divisional officer of Aurungabad reports that more rain is wanted. The ploughing for the *rubbee* crops is going on. A few cases of cholera are reported from Arwal; the public health otherwise is good. The condition of the plough cattle is good.
	Aurungabad ...	Nil	
	Nowada ...	Nil	
27	Shahabad, „ 12 „	Nil	Weather—hot in the day, but cool in the night and morning. The reaping of the *bhadoi* crop is over, with very good outturn. Rain is urgently wanted to ensure the *aghani* crop. Fever is slightly on the increase.
28	Durbhunga, „ 12 „	1·10	Weather—cool. The state and prospects of the crops are excellent. Prices are falling.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 12 „	0·92	Weather—very hot. The rice crop continues in very good condition. The *rubbee* sowings have commenced. No rain has fallen in the sub-divisions this week, but during the week ending 4th instant, 2·25 inches fell at Seetamurhee and 0·74 at Hajeepore, which were not mentioned in last week's report.
30	Sarun, „ 12 „	Nil	Weather—bright and clear; east and west wind. The prospects of *aghani* rice are favourable; but rain is wanted to accelerate a healthy growth. Sugarcane is doing well. Fields are being prepared for the *rubbee* crops. Prices are stationary. Fever is still prevalent.
31	Chumparun, „ 12 „	0·29	Weather—hot during the day; but cool at night. The prospects of the crops are excellent. Early rice is brought to market. The prices of food-grains are steadily falling.

* Report of 13th shows rainfall during week ending 12th.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)			
BHAGULPORE DIVISION.			
32	Monghyr, Oct. 12 '87	Nil	Weather—hot, with heavy dew. All prospects are good. There was apparently no need of rain this week.
	Begusarai ...	0·92	
	Jamui ...	0·50	
33	Bhagulpore, „ 12 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *bhadoi* is being harvested with excellent outturn. The prospects of the rice crop are unusually good. Fever is prevalent.
34	Purneah, „ 12 „	Nil	Weather—still hot, but fair. The prospects of the crops are good.
	Kissengunge ...	0·61	
	Arrareah ...	Nil	
35	Maldah, „ 12 „	0·35	The heat is still great during the day. The nights are getting cooler. Rain is wanted for the *amun* and *kalai* crops, though no particular injury has been done to them as yet. Fever is still prevalent.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 13* „	0·71	No rain at Deoghur and Godda during the week. A shower fell at Rajmehal on the 11th, and there was appearance of more rain at the time of report. Generally the winds were variable, inclining to the north and west, and there is a feel of the cold weather. During the day the sun is very hot. Everything at present promises well. A little rain would do good to the high land *dhan* and help ploughing for the *rubbee*.
ORISSA.			
ORISSA DIVS.			
37	Cuttack, Oct. 12 '78	0.72	Weather—hot and fair. Everything is progressing well at present, but it is hoped that more rain will fall in the course of the next ten days.
38	Pooree, „ 10 „	3·19	Weather—seasonable. Rain is reported from all parts of the district. *Beali* and *mandia* are being harvested. *Sarad* rice is progressing well. Common rice sells at $11\frac{8}{16}$ to $18\frac{3}{4}$ seers for the rupee. Exportation continues. Public health is good.
39	Balasore, „ 11 „	0·65	The weather continues calm and sultry. The harvesting of the early sorts of rice progresses satisfactorily. The main crop is promising. Cattle disease still exists in some quarters.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Oct. 11 '78	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The days are hot, but the mornings and evenings are cool. The prospects of the rice crop would be materially improved for the better if we could have a good heavy shower of rain or two immediately. Sun and wind combined are drying up the fields, and the *dhan* crop on the high grounds must suffer.
41	Lohardugga, „ 12 „	Nil	Weather—bright and clear. The nights are getting cold. All crops promise well. More rain would give a bumper harvest.
42	Singbhoom, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—beginning to get cool; seasonable. There has been no rain to talk of since the 20th September. A good shower is much wanted, but there is no sign of one coming. Unless rain falls and that, too, very shortly, much harm will be done to the crops which up to date are splendid. Sickness is disappearing.
43	Manbhoom, „ 12 „	0·06	The cessation of rain has been somewhat sudden. The weather is bright and hot. The state and prospects of the crops are generally fair, but one more good fall of rain is required. The ryots in the neighbourhood of Purulia and in other parts of the district are irrigating their crops.

* Report of 15th shows rainfall during week ending 12th.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 15th to 21st September 1878.	Rain from 22nd to 28th September 1878.	Rain from 29th September to 5th Oct. 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
	Western Districts.							
Burdwan	Burdwan	Burdwan	0·69	5·22	1·06	58·92	5th Oct.	
		Cutwa	0·25	7·20	0·24	64·92	ditto	
		Culna	2·83	5·70	Nil	60·11	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	1·29	6·23	1·43	53·02	ditto	
		Raneegunge	1·24	1·92	0·32	47·29	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0·74	10·61	0·30	69·41	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	0·57	4·20	0·30	52·00	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	1·28	5·16	0·43	60·88	ditto	
		Hetampore	0·34	14·77	0·88	68·87	ditto	
		Roypore	0·31	10·30	0·24	68·26	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	1·58	Not recd.	Not recd.	39·63	21st Sept.	
		Tumlook	2·49	ditto	ditto	46·11	ditto	
		Ghattal	0·61	ditto	ditto	44·34	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	1·12	ditto	ditto	37·82	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	0·74	4·41	1·44	44·85	5th Oct.	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	0·66	11·55	3·17	84·32	ditto	
		Serampore	1·10	15·69	1·64	73·96	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	1·35	6·00	1·48	58·12	ditto	
		Maheshraka	1·48	9·71	Not recd.	61·08	28th Sept.	
	Central Districts.							
Presidency	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	1·93	3·54	1·79	53·58	5th Oct	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	1·05	7·28	1·34	55·04	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	0·84	8·23	2·24	62·94	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	0·93	8·32	2·29	62·52	ditto	
		Busseerhat	0·35	4·30	0·86	63·02	ditto	
		Baraset	1·58	14·65	2·09	58·63	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	1·56	2·90	Not recd.	56·59	28th Sept.	
		Barripore	1·21	4·58	0·81	55·15	5th Oct.	
		Satkhira	0·66	4·71	0·61	69·82	ditto	
		Barrackpore	1·08	Not recd	1·20	57·18	ditto	Not received 22nd to 28th September.
		Dum-Dum	1·56	8·60	1·38	64·90	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	0·51	Not recd.	Not recd.	55·13	21st Sept.	
		Bongong	0·60	5·91	0·83	64·09	5th Oct.	
		Meherpore	Nil	8·70	Not recd.	51·37	28th Sept.	
		Chooadanga	0·20	7·03	1·45	76·37	5th Oct.	
		Kooshtea	0·42	Not recd.	1·00	61·85	ditto	
		Ranaghat	0·65	5·21	1·95	69·73	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	2·96	6·21	0·70	66·95	ditto	
		Narail	1·09	3·20	Not recd.	48·16	28th Sept.	
		Khoolna	0·95	2·65	ditto	59·18	ditto	
		Jhenidah	0·83	8·80	0·75	60·19	5th Oct.	
		Bagirhat	2·10	2·35	1·10	65·94	ditto	
		Magoorah	0·34	10·03	1·75	68·12	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	1·38	9·08	0·45	61·98	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	1·40	1·73	0·80	60·08	ditto	
		Lallbagh	0·48	5·94	1·08	51·67	ditto	
		Jungypore	0·61	4·98	0·50	52·01	ditto	
		Azimgunge	0·25	6·48	0·20	54·93	ditto	
		Lalgolla	1·78	5·31	0·88	53·13	ditto	
		Kandee	0·87	6·64	0·47	60·56	ditto	
Rajshahye	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	0·22	1·49	1·77	70·48	ditto	
		Raigunge	0·96	1·71	0·79	68·99	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	Nil	1·52	0·40	52·43	ditto	
		Chanchal	0·05	1·71	1·11	55·21	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Baulcah	Nil	9·17	1·02	69·74	ditto	
		Nattore	0·49	9·10	0·17	76·54	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	Nil	5·30	0·64	119·44	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	3·81	Nil	90·70	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	14·30	0·04	128·39	ditto	
		Bagdogra	0·26	13·77	1·77	141·83	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	Nil	3·75	1·59	76·68	ditto	
		Sherpur	0·91	10·60	0·18	73·03	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	0·17	9·42	0·30	67·36	ditto	
		Panchbibi	Nil	7·40	Nil	81·84	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	0·80	6·54	1·01	73·08	ditto	
		Serajgunge	Nil	4·30	0·80	55·58	ditto	
Cooch Behar	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	0·49	6·39	1·62	123·19	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	0·49	6·39	1·62	115·33	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	Nil	11·07	0·53	142·57	ditto	
		Boda	1·15	12·85	Nil	119·42	ditto	
		Buxa	0·56	10·67	4·30	207·46	ditto	
		Titalya	0·76	10·43	6·00	131·72	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	Nil	19·30	0·04	193·80	ditto	

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BENGAL—*continued.*								
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office...	1·02	3·86	1·18	57·53	5th Oct.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	1·28	5·39	2·95	76·33	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	2·40	2·70	0·60	82·18	ditto	
		Manickgunge	0·02	6·70	0·16	62·94	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	1·07	3·88	2·63	61·42	ditto	
		Goalundo	0·75	4·53	2·19	71·95	ditto	
		Madaripore	1·43	4·05	0·22	64·35	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	1·58	Not recd.	Not recd.	57·17	21st Sept.	
		Perozepore	2·08	ditto	ditto	66·81	ditto	
		Patooakhally	1·11	ditto	ditto	68·20	ditto	
		Bhola	1·09	ditto	ditto	71·12	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	0·92	13·13	0·41	95·93	5th Oct.	
		Jamalpore	Nil	7·86	0·67	94·76	ditto	
		Atia	0·29	13·08	0·27	64·01	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	0·02	9·48	0·38	80·12	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	0·73	9·88	1·71	97·92	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	0·86	8·69	2·78	93·23	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	0·79	11·31	1·50	103·75	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	40·2	Not recd.	1·66	85·93	ditto	Not received 22nd to 28th September.
		Fenny	3·90	ditto	1·61	91·56	ditto	Ditto ditto.
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	0·01	4·74	0·28	79·41	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	0·40	1·58	0·33	66·55	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	4·34	5·95	3·55	86·50	ditto	
		Ruma	2·85	9·20	Not recd.	75·97	ditto	From 17th February.
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	2·20	3·02	2·63	71·39	ditto	
BEHAR.								
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	0·72	0·91	Nil	39·85	ditto	
		Behar	0·34	1·38	0·73	37·98	ditto	
		Barh	1·43	1·94	0·17	43·00	ditto	
		Dinapore	0·14	2·71	Nil	37·68	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	1·01	4·60	ditto	40·80	ditto	
		Nowadah	1·25	0·80	ditto	39·42	ditto	
		Aurungabad	1·97	0·58	0·98	32·16	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0·72	Nil	Not recd.	39·95	28th Sept.	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	0·79	4·36	0·11	37·46	5th Oct.	
		Sasseram	0·86	0·92	0·15	34·36	ditto	
		Buxar	Nil	2·35	Not recd.	24·76	28th Sept.	
		Bhuboosh	0·74	0·60	Nil	32·05	5th Oct.	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	0·07	1·77	ditto	34·19	ditto	
		Hajeepore	0·40	1·29	ditto	29·83	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	0·34	3·89	ditto	43·93	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	0·10	1·36	0·18	34·19	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	0·25	2·83	0·73	42·95	ditto	
		Tajpore	0·70	4·26	Nil	46·61	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	0·21	3·13	0·69	28·79	ditto	
		Sewan	0·54	3·04	0·29	32·81	ditto	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	Nil	2·32	Not recd.	39·92	28th Sept.	
		Bettiah	0·21	3·89	ditto	35·14	ditto	
		Segowlee	0·08	3·80	ditto	43·75	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	0·06	3·12	ditto	44·52	ditto	
		Begooserai	0·09	1·80	ditto	36·76	ditto	
		Jamooee	1·89	2·95	ditto	42·00	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	0·88	1·49	Nil	45·97	5th Oct.	
		Soopool	0·50	Not recd.	0·70	40·35	ditto	Not received 22nd to 28th September.
		Mudidehpoora	Nil	7·80	0·80	60·04	ditto	
		Banka	0·65	3·17	Nil	60·34	ditto	
		Sonbursa	0·19	3·72	1·45	56·38	ditto	
	Purneah	Purneah	0·10	1·55	Not recd.	67·42	28th Sept.	
		Kissengunge	Nil	4·84	ditto	83·99	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	3·10	ditto	89·12	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Ny. Doomka	0·60	Not recd.	ditto	47·13	21st Sept.	
		Rajmehal	Nil	ditto	ditto	94·97	ditto	
		Deoghur	0·37	ditto	ditto	54·77	ditto	
		Jamtara	2·50	ditto	ditto	34·04	ditto	From 30th June not recd. 11th to 17th August.
		Pakour	0·18	ditto	ditto	35·25	ditto	From 8th July.
		Godda	3·66	ditto	ditto	58·83	ditto	

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ORISSA.			Inches	Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Orissa.	Cuttack	Cuttack Hospital ...	1·28	0·63	Not recd.	46·13	28th Sept.	
		Jajpore	Not recorded.		ditto	20·90	27th July	Not recorded 28th July.
		Kendraparah	1·90	3·30	ditto	38·70	28th Sept.	
		Jagatsingpore	1·70	4·60	ditto	50·83	ditto	
		False Point	3·65	2·74	0·55	39·43	5th Oct.	
	Pooree	Pooree	4·70	2·15	Not recd.	32·59	28th Sept.	
		Khurdah	2·64	Not recd.	ditto	37·15	21st Sept.	
	Balasore	Balasore	2·27	ditto	ditto	45·37	ditto	
		Bhadrack	3·76	ditto	ditto	53·98	ditto	
		Jellasore	2·33	ditto	ditto	46·69	ditto	
		Sorah	1·88	ditto	ditto	51·70	ditto	
		Chandbally	1·97	ditto	ditto	45·32	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	1·93	0·49	ditto	38·43	28th Sept.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.							
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.							
	Hazareebagh	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	1·77	0·65	0·88	41·23	5th Oct.	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	0·62	1·37	0·22	41·20	ditto	
		Sitagurrah	0·87	1·13	1·38	22·63	ditto	From 4th August.
		Pachamba	1·50	1·62	0·20	49·32	ditto	From 8th August.
		Mowdie Hill	0·85	0·68	Not recd.	3·71	28th Sept.	
	Lohardugga	Ranchee	3·33	Not recd.	ditto	39·38	21st Sept.	
		Palamow	0·59	ditto	ditto	28·54	ditto	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	1·47	0·24	0·18	47·26	5th Oct.	
	Manbhoom	Purulia	4·30	Not recd.	0·61	55·45	ditto	Not received 22nd to 28th September.
		Govindpore	0·65	ditto	0·85	18·67	ditto	Ditto ditto.
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.							
	Sylhet	Sylhet	Nil	4·04	5·03	153·95	ditto	
	Sibsagar	Sibsagar	2·06	2·58	Not recd.	80·34	28th Sept.	
		Golaghat	0·12	1·45	ditto	76·85	ditto	
		Jorhat	Nil	0·43	ditto	66·22	ditto	
		Akyab	2·93	4·21	8·93	107·96	5th Oct.	Not recorded 16th to 29th June.
	Rajpootana	Alwar	Nil	Nil.	Nil	24·98	ditto	
		Jaipur	0·80	ditto	ditto	23·77	ditto	
		Sambhar	Nil	ditto	ditto	12·34	ditto	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 13th October 1878.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 6th to 12th Oct. 1878.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity. *	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Sept. 6th	10	29·737	29·759	80·7	78·0	88	N	5·5	...	P, FK	o, g, d
		16	29·608	29·629	85.1	79·4	77	N W by W	7·0	0·02	C, CK	c
	7th	10	29·759	29·780	86·0	81·8	82	S S W	3·8	...	C	c
		16	29·661	29·682	87·0	81·2	77	S by W	6·0	...	C	c
	8th	10	29·791	29·812	87·3	82·2	80	S	5·5	...	CS, K	c
		16	29·699.	29·720	89·6	82·3	72	S	8·3	...	K, CS	c
	9th	10	29·811	29·832	87·2	82·0	79	S S W	3·3	...	K	c
		16	29·704	29·725	90 3	77·0	52	W	5·5	...	CS	c
	10th	10	29·824	29·845	85·3	79·0	75	W S W	4·0	...	K	c
		16	29·684	29·706	87·8	78·0	63	W by N	3·2	...	PK, K	c
	11th	10	29·827	29·849	84·7	78·0	73	N W	1·5	0·13	K, FK	c
		16	29·701	29·722	88·0	80·0	69	W	2·2	...	K	c
	12th	10	29·854	29·875	85 9	78·0	69	N	5·3	...	K	c
		16	29·743	29·764	84 5	77·7	66	E by N	7·0	...	K	c
Saugor Island.	Sept. 6th	10	29·744	29·751	83·5	81·0	89	N N W	4·0	0·10	.....	o, g
		16	29·628	29·634	86	81	80	N	8·0	...	.....	o, g
	7th	10	29·776	29 782	88	83	80	S W	10·7	0·06	.....	p
		16	29·672	29·678	89	83	77	S S W	8·0	...	.....	b, c
	8th	10	29·808	29·814	88·0	84·0	84	S S W	9·3	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·714	29·720	89	83·5	78	S S W	12·0	...	.....	b, c
	9th	10	29·816	29·822	87·5	82·0	78	S W	7	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·718	29·724	89	83	77	S S N	8	...	.....	b, c
	10th	10	29·832	29·838	88	83	80	N W	5·3	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·694	29·700	88·5	81·0	71	W S W	8·0	...	.....	b, c
	11th	10	29·832	29·838	88	80	69	N W	2·7	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·710	29·718	90	81	66	N N W	8	...	.....	b, c
	12th	10	29·849	29·855	87	80	72	E N E	4	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·743	29·749	88·5	80·0	68	E N E	8	...	.....	b, c
Chittagong.	Sept. 6th	10	Not	recd.								
	7th	10	29·722	29·814	80	78	91	Calm	8·0	3·84	.....	o, continuous rain 12 hours.
	8th	10	29·774	29·865	86·0	81	80	E S E	2	...	.....	o, g
	9th	10	29·767	29·858	86	80	76	N E	2	...	.....	
	10th	10	29·790	29·882	78·5	77·5	95	Calm	2·0	0·56	.....	b, c, p
	11th	10	29·778	29·870	82·5	79	85	E	4	0·01	.....	o, threatening weather.
	12th	10	Observa	tions erroneous								
Akyab.	Sept. 6th	10	29·843	29·865	81·5	79·0	89	S	4·0	2·40	.....	g, p
	7th	10	29·848	29·870	78	77	95	N E	4·0	3·26	.....	o, g
	8th	10	29·851	29·872	85	81·5	85	E	2 0	0·64	.....	p
	9th	10	29·824	29·845	85	80·5	81	E	2·0	0·01	.....	b, c
	10th	10	29·843	29·864	85·5	82·0	85	E	3 0	...	.....	b, c
	11th	10	29·840	29·861	86	82·5	86	E	1	...	.....	b, c
	12th	10	29.833	29·854	87	83·5	86	E N E	2	...	.....	b
False Point.	Sept. 6th	10	29·785	29·800	78	77	95	S W	8·0	1·18	.....	o, g
	7th	10	29·780	29·795	87	80	72	W	5·0	...	.....	g,
	8th	10	29·821	29·836	90	83	73	Calm	3	...	.....	b, c
	9th	10	29·810	29·825	90	83	73	W	4	...	.....	b, c
	10th	10	29·822	29·837	89	81	69	W N W	2·0	0·08	.....	b, c
	11th	10	29·841	29 856	88	79	66	N	3	...	.....	b, c
	12th	10	29·854	29.869	88	78	62	N E	5	...	.....	b
Vizagapatam.	Sept. 6th	10	29·791	29·823	83·5	81·5	91	W N W	1	0·10	.....	moist and f.
	7th	10	29·783	29·815	84·0	78·0	75	S W	...	...	.....	
	8th	10	29·830	29·862	84	79	79	Calm	...	...	.....	f
	9th	10	29·818	29·849	86	79	72	N W	1	...	.....	b, c
	10th	10	29·829	29·860	85·5	78·0	70	.....	1	0·40	.....	t, l at distance.
	11th	10	29·819	29·850	86	74	55	N N E	...	...	.....	b, c
	12th	10	29·836	29·867	85·5	72·5	51	S S E	1	...	.....	b, c
Colombo.	Sept. 6th	10	29·942	29·983	84	79·5	81	S W	8·0	0·78	.....	b, c
	7th	10	29·945	29 9[illegible]	84·5	79·5	77	W S W	7·0	...	.....	b, c
	8th	10	29·953	29·994	84	78·5	77	W S W	7·0	...	.....	b, c
	9th	10	29·935	29·976	80·5	77·0	85	W S W	11	0·19	.....	o, b, c
	10th	10	29·934	29·975	81·5	77·5	83	S W	9·0	...	.....	b, c
	11th	10	29·900	29 941	82	78	83	S W	10	0·28	.....	b, c
	12th	10	29·876	29·917	82·5	78·5	83	S W	7	0·13	.....	o, b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 12th October 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 6th to 12th October 1878.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature. Mean.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Range.	Temperature. Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Hygrometry. Vapour tension.	Hygrometry. Dew point.	Hygrometry. Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Miles recorded.	Rain	Weather.
1878.		⊖	Inches	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Oct.	6th	109·4	29·681	79·5	89·4	11·9	77·5	78·0	·940	77·4	93	Till 4-30 A.M. E by N, till midnight N W by W through N E and N.	99	0·02	Day cloudy, night chiefly clear, *o*, *g*, *d*, *t*, *w*, *f*. ⦶
"	7th	156·1	·709	82·2	88·8	11·5	77·3	80·4	1·012	79·6	91	Till 9 A.M. N W by W, till midnight S by W through W and S W.	84	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, *w*.
"	8th	151·5	·741	83·7	90·2	13·0	77·2	81·3	1·037	80·4	89	S	111		Day chiefly cloudy, night clear, *w*.
"	9th	151·7	·758	83·5	91·0	11·4	79·6	79·1	·935	77·2	81	Till 10 A.M. S, till 4 P.M. chiefly S W, till midnight W N W through W.	82	...	Day chiefly clear, night clear, *w*.
"	10th	148·8	·760	81·8	89·0	11·3	77·7	78·2	·919	76·7	85	Till 9-15 A.M. W by N, till 3 P.M. S through S W, till midnight N W by N through S W and W.	75	...	Chiefly clear, *w* and *p*.
"	11th	148·0	·773	81·7	88·4	11·2	77·2	78·1	·916	76·6	85	Till 10 A.M. N W by W, till 6 A.M. W, till 8 A.M. N E by E, through N W and N; till midnight N W by N through N.	54	0·13*	Chiefly clear, *f*, *w* and *d*.
"	12th	153·1	·806	81·3	89·3	12·2	77·1	77·6	·898	76·0	84	Till 7-30 A.M. N W by N, till midnight E N E through N and N E.	69	Nil	Day chiefly clear, night clear and *w*.

* Fell at 7-20 P.M. of the 10th.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	... ...	29·747
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	...	29·804
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	... ...	82·0
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	...	82·6
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days	... ...	13·9
The maximum temperature during the seven days	... ...	91·0
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	... ...	87
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	...	81
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 6th to 12th October 1878	... ...	0·15
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	... ..	1·29
The total fall from 1st January to 12th October 1878	... .	56·04
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	... ...	61·65

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o overcast; *g* gloomy; *d* drizzling rain; *t* thunder; *w* dew; *f* foggy; ⦶ Lunar corona; *p* passing temporary showers.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 14th October 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
For Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 28th September 1878 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	128,247½	1,65,465 3 3	15,167 12 10	9,92,568 30	4,43,541 10 0	40,657 19 8	6,09,006 13 3	47,020	80,120½	127,140½
... per mile of railway ...	.....	129 4 9	11 17 0	.....	346 9 4	31 15 5	475 14 1	...	.....	.....
... previous 12 weeks of half-year	1,508,816	17,28,309 13 0	158,428 8 0	1,05,26,274 0	40,97,281 8 9	375,584 2 10	58,25,591 5 9	553,952½	791,525½	1,345,477½
Total for 13 weeks ...	1,637,063½	18,93,775 0 3	173,596 0 10	1,15,18,842 30	45,40,823 2 9	416,242 2 6	64,34,598 3 0	600,972½	871,645½	1,472,618
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	135,357	1,75,388 0 3	16,077 4 8	13,14,134 30	4,26,860 9 0	39,128 17 9	6,02,248 9 3	44,863	86,337	131,190
... per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	137 0 9	12 11 3	.....	333 8 10	30 31 6	470 9 7	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,656,252½	19,68,899 6 1	180,482 8 10	1,67,62,289 10	66,28,195 4 5	607,584 11 4	85,97,094 10 6	576,556	1,350,103	1,926,659

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 5th October 1878 on 1,279¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	140,861½	2,17,450 6 0	19,032 19 0	8,24,905 30	3,57,427 3 0	32,764 3 2	5,74,877 9 0	45,747½	74,808½	120,555½
... per mile of railway	.....	169 14 8	15 11 6	.....	279 4 8	25 12 1	449 3 4	... ..	... ..	.....
... previous 13 weeks of half-year	1,637,063½	18,93,775 0 3	173,596 0 10	1,15,18,842 30	45,40,823 2 9	4,16,242 2 6	64,34,598 3 0	600,972½	871,645½	1,472,618
Total for 14 weeks ...	1,777,925	21,11,225 6 3	193,528 19 10	1,23,43,748 20	48,98,250 5 9	4,49,006 5 8	70,09,475 12 9	646,719½	946,454	1,593,173½
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	129,227½	1,86,088 2 11	17,058 1 8	12,98,180 30	3,96,794 2 6	36,372 15 11	5,82,882 5 5	45,630	84,786	130,416
... per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	145 6 6	13 6 7	.....	310 0 11	28 8 5	455 7 5	.....	... ..	... ..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,785,480	21,54,987 9 0	197,540 10 6	1,80,60,470 0	70,24,989 6 11	6,43,957 7 3	91,70,976 15 11	622,180	1,434,889	2,057,075

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 28th September 1878 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,853	15,579 13 3	1,428 3 0	1,24,124 10	33,444 15 0	3,065 15 9	49,024 12 3	4,778½	7,841	12,619½
... per mile of railway	.. ...	69 10 1	6 7 8	...	149 7 7	13 14 0	219 1 8	.....	.. ...	.....
... previous 12 weeks of half-year	56,871½	1,50,868 10 0	13,829 12 6	7,36,388 10	2,27,559 10 9	20,859 12 9	3,78,428 4 9	52,559½	56,683½	109,242½
Total for 13 weeks ...	61,724½	1,66,448 7 3	15,257 15 6	8,60,512 20	2,61,004 9 9	23,925 8 6	4,27,453 1 0	57,337½	64,524½	121,862½
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,332	19,686 13 9	1,804 12 7	2,20,976 20	59,720 10 0	5,474 7 10	79,407 7 9	4,980	9,189	14,169
... per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	87 15 10	8 1 4	... .	266 14 6	24 9 4	354 14 4	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	76,009	1,81,984 15 1	16,681 19 0	20,03,596 0	7,18,841 0 6	65,893 15 3	9,00,825 15 7	59,441	196,534	255,975

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 5th October 1878 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,096½	14,798 12 3	1,356 11 1	1,66,059 0	45,546 14 0	4,175 2 7	60,345 10 3	4,449½	11,847½	16,297½
... per mile of railway	... ..	66 2 3	6 1 3	... ..	203 9 0	18 13 2	269 11 3	... .	.....	...
... previous 13 weeks of half-year	61,724½	1,66,448 7 3	15,257 15 6	8,60,512 20	2,61,004 9 9	23,925 8 6	4,27,453 1 0	57,337½	64,524½	121,862½
Total for 14 weeks ...	66,815	1,81,247 3 6	16,614 6 7	10,26,571 20	3,06,551 7 9	28,100 11 1	4,87,798 11 3	61,787½	76,372½	138,159½
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,420½	18,413 2 0	1,687 17 5	2,63,367 10	64,603 7 0	5,921 19 8	83,016 9 0	4,602	11,668	16,270
... per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	82 4 9	7 10 11	.....	288 11 8	26 9 4	371 0 5	.....	... ..	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	81,420½	2,00,398 1 1	18,369 16 5	31,66,963 10	7,83,444 8 0	71,815 14 11	9,83,842 9 1	64,103	208,142	272,245

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 35.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 1878.
			1st September 1877.	31st August 1878.	To 1st September 1877.	To 31st August 1878.		
1878.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
...st August ...	Northern Bengal ..	219	290 0 0	12,169 0 0	290 0 0	5,02,859 0 0	5,02,569 0 0	.....
...st August .	Tirhoot	78	6,238 0 0	6,684 0 0	1,82,522 0 0	2,89,213 0 0	1,06,691 0 0	.....
...th September ..	Calcutta and South-Eastern	28	1,652 0 0	2,324 0 0	73,304 0 0	87,468 0 0	14,164 0 0	.....
	Nalhati			Not received.				
		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	.....

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1878.

PART VI.

Bill of the India Council.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor-General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 2nd October 1878, and was referred to a Select Committee :—

No. 7 of 1878.

A Bill to define and amend the law relating to alluvion, islands and abandoned river-beds.

Preamble.

Whereas it is expedient to define and amend the law relating to alluvion, islands and abandoned river-beds; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

I.—Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Alluvion Act, 1879."

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India,

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The Acts, Regulation and Rules mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column. References to the Regulation and Rules so repealed, in enactments passed subsequently thereto, shall be read as if made to this Act.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act—

"island" includes land arising in a river or lake, submerged in the wet season and visible only in the dry season; but it excludes land arising in tidal rivers, tidal lakes or the sea, submerged by the flow of ordinary tides;

"thread of the stream" means (*a*) the middle line of the main-stream during the dry season, or (*b*) the middle line between what are the shores on each side when the water is at its average height, neither swollen by flood, nor shrunk by drought, or (*c*) the middle line of the particular channel in which the island referred to arises;

"owner" means, in the case of a bank or shore held on the raiyatwari tenure, the Crown: in the case of a bank or shore forming part of land situate in the Presidency of Bombay and wholly or partially exempt from the payment of land-revenue, or held under a grant or lease fixing the Government demand in respect thereof in perpetuity, the holder of such land; and in the case of a bank or shore held by a village community in the Panjab, such community:

"sea" includes bay, inlet, creek and arm of the sea

and a channel is said to be "fordable" when it does not exceed five feet in depth in the dry season and throughout the twenty-four hours.

II.—Alluvion.

Right to alluvial land on bank or shore.

4. Where, from natural causes, land forms gradually on the bank of a river or on the shore of the sea, of a lake, or of an island, either by accumulation of material or by recession of the river, sea or lake, the owner of the bank or shore shall be entitled to the land so formed:

Provided that, where the land forms on a site of which a private person is proved to be the owner, such person is entitled to the land so formed.

III.—Islands.

Right to islands where channel is not fordable.

5. Where an island is formed, from natural causes, in a river, the sea or a lake, either by accumulation of material or by recession of the river, sea or lake, if when the island is first formed, the channel between the bank or shore and such island is not fordable at any point, the Crown is entitled to such island.

Provided that, where the island is formed on a site of which a private person is proved to be the owner, such person is entitled to the island.

Right to other islands.

6. If, when an island is first formed as aforesaid in a river, the sea or a lake, the channel between the bank or shore and such island is fordable at any point, the following rules shall take effect (namely):

(*a*) Where the island is formed in the sea or a lake, the owners of the nearest shore are severally entitled to the island in proportion to the frontage which they respectively have on the sea or lake opposite the island:

(*b*) Where the island is formed in a river and is wholly on one side of what was the thread of the stream immediately before the formation, the owners of the bank on that side are severally entitled to the island in proportion to the frontage which they respectively have on the river opposite the island:

(*c*) Where the island is formed in a river and is partly on one side and partly on the other of what was the thread of the stream immediately before the formation, the island is supposed to be divided by such thread, and the owners of the banks are severally entitled to the division opposite their banks in proportion to the frontage which they respectively have on the river opposite the island:

(*d*) Provided that, where the island is formed on a site of which a private person is proved to be the owner, such person is entitled to the island.

Explanation.—"Frontage" means the right line connecting the corners of each holding where they strike the sea, lake or river, and the frontage is "opposite" the island when a perpendicular erected at any point thereof, in the plane of the sea, lake or river, intersects the island.

Islands formed by division of rivers.

7. If a river in forming a new arm divides and surrounds land belonging to the owner of the bank, and thereby forms an island, such owner is entitled to the island.

IV.—Abandoned River-beds.

Right to abandoned river-beds.

8. If a river, whether navigable or not, suddenly forms a new bed, abandoning its ancient bed, the ancient bed is supposed to be divided by what was the thread of the stream immediately before the abandonment, and the owners of the ancient banks are severally entitled to the division opposite their banks in proportion to the frontage which they respectively have on the ancient bed:

Provided that when the ancient bed is proved to have been, immediately before the abandonment, the property of the Crown or of a private person, it shall continue to be the property of the Crown or of such person, as the case may be.

V.—Miscellaneous.

Power to declare "main-stream," "dry season" and "thread of the stream."

9. The Local Government may, from time to time, declare, with reference to any river, or any part of any river,—

(*a*) what shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of this Act, the "main-stream" and the "dry season:" and

(*b*) which of the said definitions of "thread of the stream" shall be deemed to be in force,

Every such declaration shall be published in the official Gazette, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

In the absence of a declaration under clause (*b*) as to any river or part thereof, the first of the said definitions of "thread of the stream" shall be deemed to be in force with reference to such river or part.

Saving.

10. Nothing herein contained shall—

(*a*) affect any law relating to the assessment of land-revenue or to the enhancement or abatement of rent; or

(*b*) confer on any owner of a bank or shore in respect of which he is hereby declared to be entitled to alluvial land, to an island or to an abandoned river-bed any title to such land, island or river-bed better than that which he has to the bank or shore; or

(*c*) enlarge any holding granted by Government, the area of which has been fixed by any sanad or other document executed under the authority of Government; or

(*d*) authorize any acts of private persons done in order to divert currents or cause accretions; or

(*e*) authorize any encroachments by private persons on the beds or channels of navigable rivers; or

(*f*) prevent any officer of Government duly empowered in this behalf from removing obstacles which appear to him to interfere with the safe and customary navigation of such rivers, or which obstruct the passage of boats by tracking on the banks of such rivers or otherwise; or

(*g*) prevent any officer of Government duly empowered in this behalf from regulating the direction and flow of such rivers and the preservation and distribution of their waters.

Local usage.

And nothing herein contained shall affect any clear, definite and immemorial local usage respecting the right to alluvial land, islands or abandoned river-beds, but (except in the cases provided for by the Panjáb Land-Revenue Act, 1871, section 16) the burden of proving such usage shall lie on the person alleging it.

Burden of proof.

Right of Crown to alluvial lands, &c., not hereinbefore provided for.

11. All land and islands formed, and all river-beds abandoned, as mentioned respectively in sections four, five and eight, and not vesting under any of the provisions hereinbefore contained, shall vest in the Crown.

THE SCHEDULE.

(a). ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
IV of 1872 ...	Punjab Laws Act	So much as relates to Bengal Regulation XI of 1825.
XX of 1875 ...	Central Provinces Laws Act...	Ditto.
XVIII of 1876	Oudh Laws Act	Ditto.

(b). BENGAL REGULATION.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XI of 1825 ...	Alluvion	The whole.

(c). BENGAL ACT.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
IV of 1868 ...	Amending Act IX of 1847 ...	Sections 2 and 4.

(d). RULES.

Date.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
22nd May 1852	Alluvion and Diluvion in Sindh.	Paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 20.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

This Bill is intended to form a chapter of the Indian Civil Code, and its object is to state, in a concise, accurate, and accessible form, the law relating to the ownership of alluvial lands, islands, and abandoned river-beds. In Madras, Bombay, and Burma there is no statutory law on the subject: in Sindh there are only some executive rules which are held to have the force of law: in the rest of British India the law is contained partly in legal text-books, partly in the Bengal Regulation XI of 1825, and the Bengal Act IV of 1868, sections 2 and 4, but chiefly in the numerous decisions of the High Courts and the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council with which the former enactment is encrusted.

Regulation XI of 1825 provides rules for land gained from a river or the sea by gradual accession; for avulsion; for islands formed in navigable rivers and the sea; for islands formed in "small and shallow rivers, the beds of which with the jolkar [or] right of fishery may have been heretofore [*i.e.*, before 26th May 1825] recognised as the property of individuals." But it does not provide for the case when an alluvial deposit takes place on a site of which, though it has been submerged, the ownership is ascertained. It declares that an island formed in a navigable river belongs to the adjoining proprietor or to the Crown, according as the channel between it and the adjacent land is fordable or unfordable. But it does not define "fordable;" nor state the time with reference to which the question of fordability or non-fordability is to be decided, nor show when an island in a tidal river or the sea can be said to be formed. It declares that an island formed in a navigable river shall, where the channel is fordable, be an accession to the land "of the person or persons whose estate or estates may be most contiguous to it." But this does not, apparently, provide for cases where the island is partly on one side and partly on the other of the thread of the stream, nor for cases where there are several riparian owners, and the island cannot be said to be nearer to the property of one than to that of another.

The Bill attempts to supply these defects as follows:—

It declares, in accordance with the decision of the Judicial Committee in *Lopez* v. *Moddun Thákur*, that when land forms on a site of which a private person is proved to be the owner, such person is entitled to the land so formed. It declares that a channel is "fordable" when it does not exceed five feet in depth in the dry season and throughout the twenty-four hours; and when a channel which is not fordable when the island appears becomes fordable afterwards, it fixes the first appearance of the island as the date with reference to which the question of fordability or non-fordability is to be determined. The subsequent junction of the island to the mainland will thus not affect the right of the crown. Lastly, it includes in the term "island" land arising in a river, submerged in the wet season and visible only in the dry, but excludes from that term land arising in a tidal river, or the sea which is submerged by the flow of ordinary tides.

As regards the rights of riparian owners to islands, the Bill applies the same rules to an island formed in the sea, a lake or a navigable river, when the channel between it and the adjacent land is fordable at any point, and to an island formed in a river which is not navigable. These rules are as follows:—

"Where the island is formed in the sea or a lake, the owners of the nearest shore are severally entitled to the island in proportion to the frontage which they respectively have on the sea or lake opposite the island.

"Where the island is formed in a river and is wholly on one side of what was the thread of the stream immediately before the formation, the owners of the bank on that side are severally entitled to the island in proportion to the frontage which they respectively have on the river opposite the island.

"Where the island is formed in a river and is partly on one side and partly on the other of what was the thread of the stream immediately before the formation, the island is supposed to be divided by such thread, and the owners of the banks are severally entitled to the division opposite their banks in proportion to the frontage which they respectively have on the river opposite the island."

And as the same definition of "thread of the stream" will not suit all the rivers in British India, or even all the parts of the same river, three definitions of this expression are given, and the Local Governments are empowered to declare which of them shall in each case be applicable.

The regulation is also defective in not providing for the case of what Roman lawyers termed *agri limitati*. When land is granted by the State in a plot with a specified area, and such land is enlarged by alluvion, the increment should not become the property of the owner of the plot. The Bill (section 10, clause (*c*)) contains a provision to this effect, which, it is believed, will be especially useful in Bombay.

When a river suddenly forms a new course, abandoning its ancient bed, the Bill declares that the owners of the ancient banks are entitled to the ancient bed in proportion to their respective frontages. This is in accordance with the existing law (Suth. W. R., 1864, p. 103), and it seems less likely to encourage litigation than would be the provision (found in some systems) that the owners of the land newly occupied shall take the ancient bed, each in proportion to the land of which he has been deprived.

Where a bank or shore is held on raiyatwárí tenure, the Crown is, for the purposes of the Bill, to be deemed the riparian owner. The effect will be, in Madras and Burma, to continue the present practice, according to which the Government is, as a rule, entitled to alluvial lands and to islands arising in rivers. In the Bombay Presidency, where a bank or shore is wholly or partially exempt from revenue, or is held under a grant or lease fixing the Government demand in perpetuity, the holder will be deemed the riparian owner.

The Bill advisedly leaves untouched the law relating to the assessment of alluvial lands and lands diminished by diluvion, to the rent payable in respect of such land, and to the rights of mortgagees and lessees to alluvial increments to the lands comprised in their mortgages and leases. These matters, it is thought, are or may be more fitly provided for by special enactments. The Bill is also silent as to avulsion, an event which, though provided for in Bengal Regulation XI of 1825, is said never to occur in any part of British Indian.

WHITLEY STOKES.

SIMLA, *September 6th*, 1878.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Legislative Department.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 4666A.

GENERAL.—*The 27th September* 1878.—Moulvi Rumeezooddeen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of the Aurungabad division of the Gya district, is transferred to the Sudder Station of that district, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment at the Sudder Station.

The 10th October 1878.—Baboo Behary Lall Mookerjee, B.A., is appointed to act temporarily as a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, and is posted to Nattore, in Rajshahye, *vice* Baboo Sita Nath Mookerjee, deputed to license tax duty.

The 12th October 1878.—Mr. W. H. Page, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Jessore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of Magistrates and Collectors, *vice* Mr. C. C. Quinn.

The 15th October 1878.—Baboo Uma Churn Gangooly, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Basirhat, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to have charge of the Satkhira division of that district.

Baboo Jadub Chunder Gossami, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Satkhira, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to have charge of the Basirhat division of that district.

Mr. J. T. Jarbo, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Chittagong district.

Mr. G. E. Porter, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Sudder Station of the Patna district.

Mr. C. B. Garrett, District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Noakholly.

Mr. F. H. McLaughlin, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to Noakholly, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Mr. P. D. Dickens, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Nuddea, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Dacca.

Mr. L. R. Tottenham is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Nuddea, but will continue to be employed under the Government of India in the Home Department until further orders.

Mr. T. E. Vaughan, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Moorshedabad, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Backergunge district.

Mr. H. Cox, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Mozufferpore, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Pooree district.

Moulvi Abdool Luteef, Khan Bahadoor, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sealdah, 24-Pergunnahs, is allowed leave for two months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he may be relieved.

Mr. W. D. Blyth, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is posted temporarily to Sealdah.

Mr. S. S. Jones, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, Hazareebagh, is transferred to the Sonthal Pergunnahs, and is appointed to have charge of the Rajmehal division of that district.

Mr. C. M. W. Brett, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serajgunge, Pubna, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Hazareebagh district.

Mr. A. H. Haggard, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is posted to Pubna, and is appointed to have charge of the Serajgunge division of that district.

Baboo Ram Churn Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bagirhat, Jessore, is allowed leave for two and a half months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Baboo Hurry Mohun Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ghattal, Midnapore, is allowed leave for two months under Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Baboo Nilmoney Coomar, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rungpore, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Burdwan district.

Baboo Hurry Churn Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Banka, Bhagulpore, is allowed leave for one month under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Baboo Abinash Churn Mullick, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chumparun, is transferred to the Bhagulpore division.

Baboo Kristo Chunder Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, on leave, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Chittagong district.

Mr. R. T. Sevestre, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Jehanabad division of that district.

Baboo Mohesh Chunder Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of the Aurungabad division of the Gya district, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Backergunge district.

Baboo Kedar Nath Dutt, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan Division, is posted to Bankoora.

Mr. R. C. Dutt, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tipperah, is transferred to Burdwan, and is appointed to have charge of the Cutwa division of that district.

Baboo Mohendra Nath Bhattacharjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankoora, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Mr. W. F. Meres, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to Tipperah, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Dinagepore.

The 17th October 1878.—Baboo Anundo Chunder Bose is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade for employment on Land Registration work in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 1st proximo.

Baboo Nobin Chunder Sen is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade for employment on Land Registration work in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 1st proximo.

Mr. A. T. Maclean is appointed to act as Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. O'Kinealy, or until further orders.

Mr. J. R. Hallett, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Sudder Station of the Rajshahye district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Additional District and Additional Sessions Judge of the Rajshahye division.

The 19th October 1878.—In supersession of the orders of the 22nd August last, Mr. E. R. Henry, Assistant Commissioner, Rajmehal, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is allowed special leave for six months under Sections 35 and 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 14th ultimo.

Mr. Henry is also granted subsidiary leave for thirteen days, with effect from the 1st September 1878.

POLICE.—*The 22nd September* 1878.—Baboo Peary Lall Chatterjee is appointed to be a Second Grade Inspector of Police in that district, *vice* Second Grade Inspector Ram Churn Dutt.

The 12th October 1878.—Mr. H. L. Jones, District Superintendent of Police, Howrah, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of District Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 23rd August last, *vice* Mr. H. W. J. Bamber, on leave.

Major R. P. Davis, District Superintendent of Police, Bhagulpore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of District Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 7th August last, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Waller, on leave.

Mr. A. V. Knyvett, District Superintendent of Police, Chumparun, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Fourth Grade of District Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 7th August last.

Mr. G. M. M. Ridsdale, District Superintendent of Police, Rungpore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Fourth Grade of District Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 20th July last, *vice* Mr. A. Blair, on leave.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 19th October* 1878.—The Rev. J. W. Coe, D.D., is appointed to be Chaplain of the Seamen's Mission, with effect from the 19th September last.

REGISTRATION.—*The 24th September* 1878.—Baboo Moti Lall Dey, Sub-Registrar of Debra, in the district of Midnapore, is transferred to Sabang, in the same district, *vice* Baboo Hurrish Chunder Bose.

Baboo Pyari Mohun Das is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Debra, *vice* Baboo Moti Lall Dey.

The 27th September 1878.—Baboo Hurry Mohun Chundra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, is also appointed to be Sudder Sub-Registrar of that district, with effect from the 4th April last.

EDUCATION.—*The 18th October* 1878.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District School Committee of Hazareebagh :—

Dr. D. Basu, Superintendent of Vaccination, Ranchi Circle.
Baboo Gogan Chunder Banerjee, Officiating Sub-Deputy Collector.

Baboo Avinas Chundra Datta is appointed temporarily to be a Lecturer in the Patna College during the absence, on leave, of Mr. E. D. Archibald, or until further orders, with effect from the 19th August last.

MEDICAL.—*The 17th October* 1878.—The services of Mr. W. Forsyth, Civil Medical Officer, Dinagepore, on leave, are placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch of this Government, with a view to his being placed in medical charge of the station of Dehree, *vice* Surgeon W. Owen.

The 18th September 1878.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Purneah :—

Mr. B. L. Gupta, Officiating Joint-Magistrate.
Baboo Kally Mohun Chowduri, Head Master, Zillah School.
Mirza Mohamed Hadi, Zemindar.

The services of Surgeon W. Owen, in medical charge of the station of Dehree, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department.

The 19th October 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Mohendro Nath Gupta, in charge of the Sealdah Lock Hospital and the Bow Bazar Examination Ward, is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Assistant Surgeon Laul Behary Roy is appointed to have charge of the Sealdah Lock Hospital and the Bow Bazar Examination Ward during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Mohendro Nath Gupta, or until further orders.

The 22nd October 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Woomesh Chunder Roy, in charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Monghyr, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Assistant Surgeon Upendro Nath Sen, in charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Begoo Serai, is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Monghyr, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Woomesh Chunder Roy, or until further orders.

Assistant Surgeon Kally Prosonno Chowdry, doing duty at the Campbell Hospital, is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Begoo Serai, during the absence, on deputation, of Assistant Surgeon Upendro Nath Sen, or until further orders.

ROAD CESS.—*The 17th October* 1878.—In supersession of all previous orders the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee at Chandpore, in the district of Tipperah :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer of Chandpore, Chairman.
" Sub-Divisional Police Inspector for the time being.
Baboo Goluck Chundra Roy, Zemindar.
" Prosono Kumar Chatterjea, Sub-Inspector of Police.
" Gobind Chunder Bose, Pleader.
" Goluck Chunder Guha, Zemindar's Naib.
" Ram Doyal Dass, Pleader and Talookdar.
" Nobin Chunder Chuckerbutty, Head Master, Aided School at Nursingpore.
" Dina Nath Banerjea, Pleader and Talookdar.
" Huris Chunder Chuckerberty, Peshkar.
" Srinath Sen, Nazir.
" Chunder Kishore Ghose, Pleader.
" Proshuno Kumar Mozumdar, Sub-Inspector of Schools.
" Ram Charan Dutt, Government Pensioner and Talookdar.
" Durga Charan Ghose, Talookdar.
" Raj Mohun Ghuttack, Ditto.
" Kali Proshad Rai, Ditto.
" Jogobundhu Guha, Ditto.
" Tarini Churn Singha, Howladar.
" Anund Chundra Bose, Talookdar.
Sadhu Dewan, Howladar.

The 21st October 1878.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Julpigoree :—

Mr. J. R. Darley, Tea Planter, *vice* Mr. C. H. Hay.
" A. Vanrinen, *vice* Baboo Troylucko Nath Banerjee.
Baboo Kalli Dass Goopta, *vice* Baboo Chundro Kali Moonshi.
" Sree Nath Chuckerbutty, Judicial Head Clerk, *vice* Baboo Pran Krishto Dass.
" Kalli Krishto Dutt, *vice* Jogendro Deb Raikat.

The following gentlemen are reappointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Julpigoree :—

Deputy Commissioner of Julpigoree,
Senior Assistant to the Deputy Commissioner,
District Superintendent of Police,
Sub-Divisional Officer, Buxa,
} *ex officio.*
Executive Engineer of the Division,
Manager of the Chaklajat Estate,
Mr. R. Haughton, Tea Planter.
Baboo Preo Nath Banerjee.
" Bance Madhub Dutt.
" Hurish Chunder Dass.
Baboo Haraprosad Dass.
Roghu Nath Aswal.
Moonshee Rohim Buksh.
" Abdool Samed.

The following gentlemen are reappointed to be members of the Bagirhat Branch Road Cess Committee :—

Baboo Chunder Kumar Nag, Vice-Chairman.
Mohima Chunder Roy.
Aumbica Churn Nag.
Baboo Komolakant Ray.
" Anundo Lall Mookerjee
" Amirto Lall Neugi.
Bhubon Mohun Roy.

Baboo Ashutosh Chuckerbutty, Zemindar, is appointed to be a member of the Bagirhat Branch Road Cess Committee.

The following Notifications are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 147.—*The 4th October* 1878.—Mr. G. Godfrey, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, Second Grade, Jorhat, Sibságar, is on public grounds transferred to Golághát, and is placed in charge of that sub-division.

No. 149.—Mr. R. T. Greer, C.S., Supernumerary Assistant Commissioner, Kámrúp, is on public grounds transferred temporarily to the district of the Khási and Jaintiá Hills, and is placed on special duty at Shillong.

No. 150.—*The 8th October* 1878.—Mr. W. C. Fasson, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, 24-Pergunnahs, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam, is posted to the district of Sylhet.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd October 1878.—The next half-yearly departmental examination of Assistants and Deputy Magistrates in the Regulation and Non-Regulation districts, and of officers in the Police and Opium Departments, will begin on Monday, the 18th November 1878, instead of on the 11th November, as previously notified.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th October 1878.—It is hereby notified, under Section 4 of Act VII of 1878, that it is proposed to constitute the areas in the Julpigoree district, lying within the boundaries described below, reserved forests under the provisions of the said Act VII of 1878.

1.—*Boundaries of the proposed Rehtee Reserve.*

North, West, and South.—First the west bank of the Rehtee river, then a line running from the Rehtee river to the west, and then south approximately parallel with the Rehtee river, and then back to the Rehtee river, then again the west bank of the Rehtee.

East.—A line starting from the Rehtee river in a southerly direction, running approximately parallel with it for about 6 miles, and then rejoining the Rehtee river.

2.—*Boundaries of an addition to the Doomchee Reserve.*

North.—A line running from the Dabdoob Nuddy to the eastern branch of the Sookhan Leetee nuddy.

East and South-east.—A line following a high bank running more or less parallel with the eastern branch of the Sookhan Leetee Nuddy.

West.—The Doomchee Reserve.

3.—*Boundaries of the Leetee Block.*

North and North-east.—The Bhutan frontier and a high bank running on the north-eastern side of the Howree Nuddy.

East and South-east.—The foot of a high bank running from the Howree Nuddy to the Leetee Nuddy.

South-west.—A high bank on the south-west of the Leetee Nuddy.

The Lieutenant-Governor appoints Captain E. G. Lillingston, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Julpigoree, to be the Forest Settlement Officer under the provisions of Chapter II of the said Act VII of 1878, to enquire into and determine the existence, nature, and extent of any rights alleged to exist in favour of any person in or over any land comprised within the boundaries specified above, or in or over any forest produce to be found therein, and to deal with the same as by law provided.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF BACKERGUNGE.

The 18th October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of Backergunge have, under Section 74 of the said Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from the 1st October 1878 at the following rate, being half the maximum rate, and the said rate is published accordingly.

Three pies, or one pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF SHAHABAD.

The 21st October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Shahabad have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year beginning from the 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly:—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and sheps:—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess.		
				Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs. 100,	but less than Rs.	500	...	1	0	0
„ 500,	„	1,000	...	3	0	0
„ 1,000,	„	2,000	...	4	8	0

„ 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF MYMENSINGH.

The 21st October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Mymensing have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than	Rs. 100,	but less than	Rs. 500 ...	1	0	0
,,	500,	,,	1,000 ...	3	0	0
,,	1,000,	,,	2,000 ...	4	8	0

,, 2,000, ,, and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF JESSORE.

The 22nd October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Jessore have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from the 1st October 1878, at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

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,, 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st October 1878.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 78, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Bansbariah, in the district of Hooghly, made at a meeting convened expressly for the purpose, and of which due notice had been given, to sanction the registration by the Commissioners, under section 133 of the Act, of all carts kept or habitually used within the Municipality, and the levy, from 1st January 1879, of fees upon every cart for such registration at the rates mentioned below :—

Re. 1-8 per annum, or 12 annas per half-year.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd October 1878.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 78 of Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Cutwa, in the district of Burdwan, made at a meeting convened expressly for the purpose, and of which due notice had been given, to sanction the registration by the Commissioners, under section 133 of the Act, of all carts kept or habitually used within the Municipality, and the levy, from 1st January 1879, of a fee of Rs. 4 per annum upon every cart for such registration.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd October 1878.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 54, Act V (B.C.) of 1866, an Act to make better provision for the regulation of hackney carriages and palankeens in the town and suburbs of Calcutta, the Lieutenant-Governor is hereby pleased to extend, from the 1st December 1878, the provisions of the said Act to the tract included within the municipal limits of the town of Ooterpara, in the district of Hooghly.

2. Under section 2 of the Act it is further notified that the Vice-Chairman of the Ooterpara Municipality, for the time being, shall be the registering officer under the Act within the limits specified above, and every act, matter, or thing done by him under or by virtue of the Act shall be subject to the order, disposition, and control of the sub-divisional officer of Serampore.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

The 21st October 1878.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following notification for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 23.)

Bay of Bengal, Coast of Burma.

REPORTED SHOAL, NORTH-WEST OF CHEDUBA ISLAND.

Mr. W. E. Hutchinson, Commanding the British India Steam Navigation Company's steamer *Avagyee*, whilst on a voyage from Bassein to Kyouk Phyou, observed heavy rollers and breakers indicative of a shoal patch, with probably only 2 or 3 fathoms at low water, lying 8 miles to the north-west of Beacon island, Cheduba, coast of British Burma.

From the shoal, West point of Ramree island bears N. by E. ¼ E., and the north-west point of Cheduba island S. E. by S., which places it in latitude 19° 2′ N., and longitude 93° 21′ 30″ E.

CAUTION.—The whole of the neighbourhood of Cheduba and Ramree islands is imperfectly known, and careful navigation is necessary.

[*The bearings are Magnetic: Variation* 2° 55′ *Easterly in* 1878.]

By Direction of the Government of India,

A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, 15th October 1878.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cheduba strait and Ramree harbour, No. 832; Elephant point to Cheduba, No. 821; Bassein river to Pulo Penang, No. 830; Bay of Bengal, No. 70*b*; Indian Ocean, No. 748*b*; and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I., page 490.

If this notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the Cuttack Port Fund for the year 1877-78.

Months.	Receipts.					Disbursements.							Remarks.
	Port dues.	Miscellaneous. Fines and forfeitures.	Sundry receipts. Miscellaneous.	Cash recoveries of previous years.	Total.	Hospitals and dispensaries. Native doctors.	Port establishment. Port Master, &c.	Vessels and boats. Establishment.	Miscellaneous establishment. Travelling allowance.	Petty construction and repairs.	Marine. Establishment, &c.	Total.	
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
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May	1,625 9 0	.....	.....	.....	1,625 9 0	34 8 10	*554 0 0	.....	30 9 7	140 0 0	.....	759 2 5	* Includes Re. 1 for telegram, charged to Marine by local officers.
June	985 10 0	.....	.....	.....	985 10 0	27 10 6	450 10 1	.....	.....	.....	†4 5 0	482 9 7	† Charged to Marine in local officer's account.
July	987 6 0	.....	.....	.....	987 6 0	27 12 6	*473 10 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	501 6 6	* Includes Rs. 60 for coal, charged to Marine by local officers, and 10 annas charged by local officer in August.
August	1,160 2 0	50 0 0	.....	.....	1,210 2 0	44 12 5	†5,637 3 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,681 15 10	† Includes Rs. 5,148 on account of charges incurred in Government dock at Khidderpore for False Point during 1876-77. Will be shown in local officer's account for 1878-79.
September	1,069 15 0	.....	.....	.....	1,069 15 0	27 11 0	1,024 3 8	.....	18 12 10	.....	.....	1,070 11 6	
October	1,224 0 0	.....	.....	.....	1,224 0 0	26 0 0	784 0 3	.....	.....	.....	.....	760 0 3	
November	1,458 9 0	.....	.....	.....	1,458 9 0	71 10 8	*714 6 9	.....	92 8 0	.....	.....	878 9 5	* Rs. 70, on account of light-house, medical establishment, and repairing copper pump, have been included here, but omitted in local officer's statement.
December	1,073 10 0	.....	.....	.....	1,073 10 0	48 14 10	808 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	856 14 10	Captain Harris's full salary is charged. Rs. 220, on account of family pension subscription, is credited per contra.
1878.													
January	425 3 0	.....	.....	474 5 3	899 8 3	27 5 3	1,061 3 6	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,088 8 9	Includes Rs. 447 as a debit and credit entry on both sides, Rs. 13-12 on account of spades, debited to Marine by local officer.
February	893 2 0	75 0 0	.....	.....	968 2 0	54 10 0	654 0 0	.....	.....	..... General management.	.....	699 10 0	Includes Rs. 27-5-3 credited in a previous month, Re. 1 for telegram, debited to Marine by local officer.
March	1,313 13 0	50 0 0	.....	220 0 0	1,583 13 0	27 5 0	369 5 6	336 3 10	.....	108 5 0	80 4 0	921 7 4	Includes Rs. 108-5 on account of 10 annas per cent. for officers of the Commissioners of divisions and Accountant-General, Bengal.
Total ...	13,388 2 0	175 0 0	.....	694 5 3	14,257 7 3	460 9 0	12,619 11 2	760 11 10	154 14 5	248 5 0	84 9 0	14,328 12 5	

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th October 1878.—The following revised rules for the grant of leases for tea cultivation in the districts of Julpigoree and Darjeeling have been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor and are published for general information.

2. With reference to the provisions of the revised form of preliminary lease under which transfers, if duly registered, will in future be recognized, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to admit to registration all such transfers already completed, though made in violation of the terms of the leases hitherto in force; provided that application for their registration be made within two months of the date of this notification, and that a fee of four annas per acre be paid on the area of the lands transferred. Failing such registration, the forfeiture clause of the preliminary leases under which the lands are held will be enforced.

RULES FOR THE GRANT OF LEASES FOR TEA CULTIVATION IN THE DISTRICTS OF JULPIGOREE AND DARJEELING.

What lands will ordinarily be available.

1. THE lands that are generally available under these rules in the district of Julpigoree lie within that tract of country in the Western Dooars which extends in an easterly direction from the east bank of the River Teesta to the west bank of the River Sankos. The lands available in the district of Darjeeling lie in the Daling Sub-division of that district, and are bounded on the north by the Government Reserved Forests as notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th August 1878; on the south by the Julpigoree district; on the east by the Moortee Nuddee; and on the west by the Lethee Nuddee. Any lots of Waste Land belonging to Government, lying in any other parts of the districts of Julpigoree or Darjeeling, and which are not reserved for other purposes, may also be made available for Tea cultivation under these rules.

What lands will not ordinarily be available.

2. The following lands will not ordinarily be available under these rules:—

(*a.*)—Lands which, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, are held to constitute a reserve for the supply of timber, fuel, grazing, or any other article of general and public consumption.

(*b.*)—Lands not included in the above category, but which now bear India-rubber trees or other valuable timber (such as sal, khair, chelownee, sissoo, &c.,) in compact blocks or patches.

(*c.*)—Lands in respect of which any person or persons, or any village community, possess rights of occupancy, or such other rights or privileges as render it impolitic or unadvisable to grant such lands to any other person or persons for the purpose of tea cultivation.

(*d.*)—Lands lying within a distance of 60 feet on either side from the centre of any public road or thoroughfare. Provided that such road or thoroughfare shall have been constructed, or shall be kept in repair, from public funds, and that it be borne on the list of the district roads of the district.

(*e.*)—Lands which the local Government may at any time, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, expressly exempt from the operation of these rules.

How and to whom application is to be made.

3. Every person, company, or association, desirous of obtaining a grant of land under these rules must, in person or by a duly authorized agent, present an application on stamped paper of the value of 8 annas to the Deputy Commissioner of the district in which the land lies.

What the application is to specify.

4. The application must specify—

(*a.*)—The name, or names, and address, or addresses of the applicant or applicants, and of his or their authorized agent, if any.

(*b.*)—The area, situation, and boundaries of the land applied for, as far as they can be ascertained without a detailed survey.

(*c.*)—The particulars, if any, which may appear to the applicant to bring any part of the land applied for within the exceptions mentioned in Rule 2. The application must also state whether the land, or any part of it, is or has ever been cultivated in any manner.

5. Every lot applied for must be compact and capable of being enclosed in a ring fence; and if any part of the land touches on a public road or navigable river, the length of such road or river frontage must not exceed one half the breadth of the lot applied for.

6. Not more than 800 acres will ordinarily be granted to any one applicant, company, or association; and when more than 800 acres are applied for, the applicant must set forth specially the grounds for such application, and give *primâ facie* guarantees that he possesses the requisite capital for working such larger area. All applications for more than 800 acres will be forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner to the Commissioner, who, if he desires to recommend compliance therewith, will forward them to the Board of Revenue, who will take the orders of Government upon each case.

7. On receipt of an application for any area not exceeding 800 acres, the Deputy Commissioner must satisfy himself, as far as lies in his power, that the requirements of the rules have been complied with. If he considers that the application should be rejected he will record an order to that effect, giving his reasons for such rejection. An appeal will lie from such order of rejection to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days from the date of the order. If the Deputy Commissioner considers that an application for such area as it is within his power to grant should be entertained, or in the case of application for areas over 800 acres, when the orders of Government accepting the application have been received, the applicant or his agent will be required to deposit the cost of survey and demarcation to be made as hereinafter provided. The amount to be so deposited must be calculated at one rupee per acre of the total area applied for. If the area is found to be greater, the sum of one rupee per acre must be paid on account of such excess area before a preliminary lease is granted. Payments under this rule do not cover the cost of erecting permanent boundary marks under Rule 20.

Procedure on receipt of an application.

8. On receipt of the sum payable under the preceding rule, and of an agreement, signed by the applicant or by his authorized agent, to pay such further sum as may be required for the purposes above mentioned, the Deputy Commissioner will record an order appointing a tehsildar or other officer to visit the land, and to make full and detailed inquiries into its condition and circumstances.

9. The general object of such inquiry shall be to ascertain whether or not the land applied for can be granted under the rules in force; but the Deputy Commissioner may instruct the officer making the inquiry to furnish him with such other specific and detailed information as may seem to him to be necessary.

Preliminary inquiry to be made.

10. On completion of this inquiry, the officer making it will record the result thereof, and submit a report for the orders of the Deputy Commissioner. If the Deputy Commissioner, after considering the report, and after calling for such further explanations, oral or written, as he may deem necessary, shall be of opinion that the land applied for cannot be granted under the rules, and should not therefore be surveyed, he will record an order to that effect. An appeal will lie from such order to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days from the date of the order.

11. If the Deputy Commissioner decide that the land applied for can be granted under the rules, and should therefore be surveyed, he will record an order to that effect.

12. If the Deputy Commissioner finds the land or any part of it in the occupation of any person or persons or of any village community, he will submit a full report of the circumstances for the orders of the Commissioner, stating in detail how he proposes to deal with such prior occupants; and, if it is proposed to remove them, the compensation, if any, which the applicant undertakes to pay to such persons. The Commissioner will report his orders in all such cases for the information of the Board of Revenue.

13. If any claim or objection be preferred under Act XXIII of 1863, the Deputy Commissioner will proceed to dispose of the same in accordance with the provisions of that Act.

14. The officer who made the inquiry provided for by Rules 8 to 10 will, on receipt of an order to that effect from the Deputy Commissioner, proceed to point out to the Surveyor the boundaries of the land applied for, and such prominent features in it as may be useful for the purposes of the survey, and which should, in his opinion, be entered in the preliminary lease as hereinafter provided. The boundaries and other features above mentioned should be clearly marked and defined by the officer in presence of the surveyor, and the latter should be furnished with a list of them signed by the said officer.

How the survey is to be made.

15. The surveyor will then proceed to make the survey and put up such temporary boundary marks as are necessary for that purpose. He must prepare a map showing—

(*a*)—All natural features of the country lying within the boundaries as fixed by the officer who made the enquiry under Rules 8 to 10, *e.g.*, bheels, streams, forest clumps, &c.

(*b*)—Such features of the country lying outside the boundary of the land to be surveyed as may serve to identify the latter and connect it with the revenue survey or other existing map.

The surveyor is bound to bring to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner any fact which may come to his knowledge in the course of the survey rendering it advisable, that the land he is surveying should not be granted under these rules.

16. The map should ordinarily be on a scale of 16 inches to the mile. If possible, the surveyor's field-book should be copied at the back of it. If not, a copy of the field-book should be attached to or accompany the map. If the map be made originally in the vernacular, the Deputy Commissioner will cause it to be translated into English.

17. On the map being completed, it must be checked by an officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. If found to be incorrect, it will be amended by the surveyor in conjunction with the officer above mentioned. If found to be correct, it will be laid before the Deputy Commissioner with the report of the officer who made the preliminary inquiry under Rules 8 to 10, and with all other papers connected with the case.

18. The Deputy Commissioner will then proceed to consider the application. A date for this purpose must be previously fixed by him, and due notice of it given to the applicant or to his authorized agent.

19. The Deputy Commissioner shall have power to reject an application at any stage of the proceedings under the rules, if he sees reason to do so, refunding in such case to the applicant the deposit made by him on account of survey. He is authorized to reject an application when he does not consider that there is a *bonâ fide* intention on the part of the applicant to cultivate in tea the land applied for, or when it appears desirable to reserve the land for cultivation other than tea, or to preserve any forest standing on it. An appeal against every such order of rejection shall lie to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days of the date of the order.

20. If the Deputy Commissioner grant the application, he will without delay grant the applicant a lease in form A of the appendix, and call upon him to execute a counterpart thereof, and to pay for all valuable forest trees as provided in clause 10 of the preliminary lease. He will also direct him to mark out the land leased by a continuous trench, or in such other manner as the Deputy Commissioner may direct. Within three months of the grant of such lease the lessee must, on pain of forfeiture of all rights in the land leased, mark out the land as above directed, and must further erect, at his own expense, such permanent boundary* marks as the Deputy Commissioner may direct. On the expiry of the three months, the surveyor must test the correctness of the boundary line and permanent marks and report the result to the Deputy Commissioner, at the same time pointing out to the lessee or his representative by written notice any corrections that may be required. If the corrections indicated are not made by the lessee or his representative within 30 days of the receipt of such notice, all rights in the land shall be liable to forfeiture to Government.

21. Whenever, after receipt of an application, as provided for in Rule 3, and after making such inquiries as he may deem necessary, the Deputy Commissioner shall be of opinion that there is no *primâ facie* objection whatever to the grant under the rules of the land applied for, he may put the applicant in preliminary and provisional possession of an area not exceeding one-eighth of the estimated area of the land applied for, with the object of enabling the applicant to make preparations for commencing cultivation and getting the land in order. Provided that the applicant, before obtaining such preliminary possession, shall have erected such boundary marks as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, and that the amount of all estimated charges incurred in connection with such preliminary occupation shall have been deposited by the applicant.

22. The order for, and conditions of, such preliminary occupation shall be in the form B in the appendix, and shall be addressed to the tehsildar or other officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. A copy of the order shall be delivered to the applicant, who shall, after receipt of occupation, acknowledge such receipt by signing a copy of the order and depositing it with the Deputy Commissioner.

23. Grantees are not permitted to club or amalgamate their grants, otherwise than by transfers duly registered as provided for in the preliminary lease. Any unauthorized amalgamation will subject the holders of the grants in question to forfeiture of all rights in the lands so amalgamated.

APPENDIX A.

Form of preliminary lease of land in granted by the Deputy Commissioner of to (name) of (address).

1. THE lands covered by this lease are situated within the boundaries shown by the red lines in map No. , dated , and attached to the lease. The lands may be described as being bounded as follows:—

North.—

East.—

South.—

West.—

Their area is more or less acres, and they are situated in the pergunnahs and tehsils detailed in the margin.

2. The rights conveyed by this lease are heritable and also transferable, provided (*a*), that the entire grant, and not a portion of it, be transferred; (*b*), that the clearance conditions are duly observed by the transferor and transferee respectively; (*c*), that the transfer is registered in the Deputy Commissioner's office within 21 days of the date thereof; and (*d*), that a registration fee of 4 annas per acre be paid to the Deputy Commissioner on the occasion of every such transfer. If any transfer of the rights conveyed by this lease is made otherwise than in accordance with the foregoing provisions, all rights in the land leased shall be liable to be forfeited to Government. After the expiry of this preliminary lease, no right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly provided for hereinafter.

* These boundary marks shall ordinarily consist of a masonry platform at every point where more than two lots or patches of waste or other lands meet, with large stones or mounds at every angle and at every 100 yards of the boundary line between such platforms and other marks.

3. The rent to be paid shall be as follows :—

Year of entry (*i.e.* from actual date of entry to 31st March following) ...	Nil.
1*st* full year (from 1st April following date of entry)	Nil.
2*nd* year	3 annas per acre.
3*rd* "	6 " "
4*th* "	9 " "
5*th* "	12 " "

The rent shall be paid to the tehsildar of in the following instalments :—

1st September, one-half; 1st March one-half.

4. The lessee shall either himself reside on or near to the lands covered by this lease, or he shall appoint a manager or agent who shall reside on or near to such lands, and who shall be provided with a full legal power to act on behalf of the principal in all matters arising out of, or concerning, the lands covered by the lease.

5. The lessee binds himself to conform to all the provisions of the rules for the grant of tea leases under which this lease is granted.

6. Five per cent. of the area of the lands leased shall be cleared by the end of the second year after the grant of this lease, and 10 per cent. by the end of the third year.

7. Any land covered by the lease which may at any time be required for a public purpose, may be taken up by Government free of cost on a reduction being made in the rent payable under the lease proportionate to the area taken by Government. But the value of any improvements or property thereon shall be paid to the lessee, and shall be assessed under the provision of the law in force for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

8. All rights to minerals or quarries of all kinds are reserved to Government.

9. No right of fishery, and no right to dam up or otherwise obstruct the passage of any stream is given by this lease. A public right of way over twenty yards on either bank of every stream, available at any time of the year for local boat traffic, is reserved.

10. All valuable forest trees which are of a girth of three feet and over at the height of four feet from the ground must be paid for by the lessee before possession is given under this lease. The kinds of trees to be so paid for, and the rates of payment for each tree, are those set forth in schedules drawn up for this purpose from time to time by the Forest Department and approved by Government. All other trees and scrub jungle are at the disposal of the lessee.

11. The Deputy Commissioner may at any time enter on, inspect, or measure the area under cultivation, and the lessee may at any time demand that such measurement be made. Provided that the expenses of any such inspection or measurement demanded by the lessee shall be paid by him as rent due. If, after such inspection, the Deputy Commissioner finds that 15 per cent. of the total area held under the lease has been brought under cultivation by means of good husbandry, and actually bears tea plants, the lessee shall be entitled to the renewal of the lease for a further period of twenty years, and to renewals for similar periods in perpetuity, subject to the following conditions :—

(*a*)—Subject to any general or special orders of Government the rent to be paid shall be fixed by the Board of Revenue on the report of the Deputy Commissioner on each occasion of renewal, but shall not exceed the rate of rent per acre paid in the neighbourhood at the time of renewal for the highest class of lands under ordinary cultivation. If at any future time the administration of the tracts under tea cultivation should entail on the State any considerable increase of expenditure, it will be competent to the Government, with the sanction of the legislature, to impose such special taxation as may be deemed necessary, either by raising the rent, or in some other mode. But under no other circumstances will the rent, which has now been fixed for a term of years on the principle above enunciated, be raised during the currency of such term.

(*b*)—The title conveyed by the renewed lease shall be heritable and transferable, provided that no transfer shall be made of less than the whole, and that no transfer shall be valid as against the Government, but shall, on the contrary, be equivalent to a surrender of the lease, unless notification of the transfer shall have been given by the transferree to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of transfer, together with a fee of 4 annas per acre of the area leased.

(*c*)—In all other respects, the conditions of the renewed lease shall be the same as those of the preliminary lease.

12. The rights and privileges conveyed by this lease, and by any renewed lease granted in accordance with its provisions, shall be liable to be forfeited on failure of the lessee to comply with any condition thereof.

13. If before the expiration of this preliminary lease no application for a renewal of the lease shall have been made in accordance with the above provisions, the lessee may be allowed to hold on as a tenant-at-will, but not otherwise, until other arrangements shall have been made by the Deputy Commissioner.

APPENDIX B.

To the Tehsildar of

WHEREAS of

and (name) of

(residence) propose to enter into an agreement in regard to certain land (situated at or near the spot herein described) for the purpose of cultivating tea, and whereas

(name) of

(residence) desires immediately to enter upon occupation of some part of the above lands for the purpose of making preparations for, and for commencing such cultivation, I do hereby authorize the said

(name) of

(residence) hereby to use for that purpose any lands lying within

(here specify boundaries) and not exceeding 100 acres in all.

In the event of a lease being hereafter granted, the date of entry referred to in such lease shall be held to be not the date of this order, but the date of possession being given under such lease. In case of a lease being refused, no claim to compensation shall lie against the Government for any outlay incurred by

(name) of

(residence) on the strength of this order. No rent shall be payable for land occupied during the currency of this order, the term whereof shall expire on the 31st March next.

Occupation under this order, or after its expiry, without an express condition to the contrary, shall never be held to constitute any tenure other than a tenancy-at-will from year to year. The occupant shall keep the boundary line and marks in repair and clear of jungle. A copy of this order has been delivered to

(name) with permission to enter into occupation. You will register him as in occupation of the land under the usual amalnama.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 15*th October* 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to compensate Mohendra Narain Roy and Durpa Narain Roy, Sirdar Ghatwals, for service lands previously taken up for the road from Majia to Burjora, in the village of Bhisinda, pergunnah Mahisharah, zillah Bankoora; it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 23 beeghas 13 cottahs 10 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Beldanga; Durgahie and Assuria mouzah; south by homestead lands of Bhisinda and Kamarband tank; east by Rangametta and Dhadka mouzahs; and west by jore of Kustholia and Bawagir tank, is required within the aforesaid village of Bhisinda.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 15*th October* 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to compensate Magaram Roy and others, ghatwals, for service lands previously taken up for the road from Durlabhpore to Maliara, in the village of Durlabhpore, pergunnah Bishenpore, zillah Bankoora; it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 beeghas 3 cottahs and 5 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the west by the road leading to Ranigunge; south by the road from Durlabhpore to Maliara; east by mouzah Sirsa; and north by mouzah Pauruibad, is required within the aforesaid village of Durlabhpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4667A.

The 30th September 1878.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Baboo Ram Krishna Moonshee of his appointment of Honorary Magistrate in the Manickgunge Sub-Division of the district of Dacca.

The 10th October 1878.—Baboo Behary Lall Mookerjee, B.A., who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed to act temporarily as a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade at Nattore, in Rajshahye, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 18th October 1878.—Baboo Brojo Nauth Roy is appointed to act as First Moonsif of Moonsheegunge, in the district of Dacca, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. P. N. Banerjee, with effect from the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the Dusserah vacation.

The 19th October 1878.—Baboo Nobin Chunder Gangooly, Subordinate Judge of Beerbhoom, having resumed charge of his duties on the forenoon of the 23rd ultimo, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 3rd August last is cancelled.

Baboo Gobind Deb Mookerjee, B.L., is appointed to act as a Moonsif at Jessore during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Baney Madhub Mitter, or until further orders, with effect from the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the Dusserah vacation.

The 22nd October 1878.—Baboo Debendro Lall Shome, First Moonsif of Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts within a limit of Rs. 50.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th October 1878.—It is hereby notified that the thanas of Kudumgachee, Tababeriah, Nowabgunge, Allipore, Gobindpore, Bhowanipore, Kullingah, and Oorceaparah, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, shall be called respectively Baraset, Habrah, Barrackpore, Tallygunge, Diamond Harbour, Hoseinabad, Badooreah, and Bhangore, where the police stations are situated. The Tallygunge police station is also called the sudder police station.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th October 1878.—The site of the Debipore Police Station in the district of Maldah is removed to Ratna. The police station will henceforth be called Ratna Police Station, and will comprise all the villages that were hitherto in the jurisdiction of the Debipore Police Station.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 4th October 1878.—It is hereby notified that in the exercise of the powers vested in him by section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts' Act (VI of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor vests Baboo Debendro Lall Shome, First Moonsif of Midnapore, with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which he shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of his moonsiffee jurisdiction.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th October 1878.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the provisions of section 34 of Act V of 1861 (an Act for the regulation of police) to the village of Soopool, in the Bhagulpore district.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th October 1878.—It is hereby notified for general information that the site of thana Gouripura, in the sub-division of Brahmanbaria, zillah Tipperah, having been transferred to village Navinagar, about 12 miles to the east of the old site, the name of the thana has, from the 1st September 1878, been changed to Navinagar. The boundaries of the thana were defined in the notification published at page 630 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd June 1875.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 2nd October 1878.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of Act XIII of 1859, entitled "an Act to provide for the punishment of breaches of contract by artificers, workmen, and laborers in certain cases," the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension of the said Act to the North Suburban Municipality, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, within the limits set forth in the Government Notification No. 3, dated the 10th September 1877, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, Part I, page 1402.

2. The powers vested by the said Act in a Magistrate of Police shall be exercised in the said Municipality by the Bench of Magistrates exercising first class powers which holds sittings at Barranagore, a place within the Municipality, or by an Assistant Magistrate or Deputy Magistrate exercising first class powers at the Sudder Station of the 24-Pergunnahs, on reference by the Magistrate of the district.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 19th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a police-station at Polba, in the village of Polba, pergunnah Ameerabad, zillah Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 beegha 8 cottahs and 10 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by a tank belonging to Ram Kumar Roy and others, on the south by the Dwarbasiny road, on the east and on the west by a plot of land belonging to Ram Kumar Roy and others, is required within theaforesaid village of Polba.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 8th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to construct the portion of the road from Meckligunge to Dinhata, which falls within the limits of the village of Agurpara, pergunnah Tepa, zillah Rungpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 beeghas of standard measurement, *i.e.*, in length 3,200 feet and in breadth about 32 feet, bounded on the north by the jotes of Prem Narayan Sircar, Kasinath and Dhube Moonia; on the south by the jotes of the same persons; on the east by the jote of Prem Narayan Sircar; and on the west by the jote of Kasinath Sircar, is required within the aforesaid village of Agurpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 1st October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz. for a brick-field for the Bogra Jail, in the villages of Natai and Narioli, pergunnah Prolapbajoo, district Bogra, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 beeghas of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Nowkhilla road, east by Sundori Bil, south by the cultivated land of Andaru Shek, and west by the cultivated land of Milan Biswas, is required within the aforesaid villages of Natai and Narioli. This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870.

The plan and estimate can be seen at the Bogra Jail Superintendent's Office.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 16th October 1878.

No. 211.—*Notification.*—Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, joined the Dacca Division on the 8th September 1878, before noon.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 21st October 1878.

No. 213.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a road to connect Dipa with Ampta passing through the villages of Goureepore, Dipa, Poolgooste, Jalalshee, Ishmailpore, Ramchunderpore, Ramdebpore, Dadpore, Hurrishpore, Chandpore, Gurarpore, and Ampta, pergunnah Balea, zillah Howrah, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, varying in width from 50 to 150 feet and 5½ miles in length, measuring more or less 150 beeghas of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the large paddy maidan between the abovementioned villages and the existing road to Ampta; on the south by the villages of Goureepore, Nolda, Mullikpore, Ramdebpore, Mussulmanparah, Goozarpore, and Ampta, is required within the aforesaid villages of Goureepore, Dipa, Poolgooste, Jalalshee, Ishmailpore, Ramchunderpore, Ramdebpore, Dadpore, Hurrishpore, Chandpore, Gurarpore, and Ampta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. CADELL, *Col.*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 16th October 1878.

No. 269.—*Transfer.*—The services of Mr. G. J. R. Leeson, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Cossye Division, are placed at the disposal of the District Road Cess Committee of Midnapore, under the provisions of sections 37 and 38 of the Civil Pension Code, with effect from the 20th October 1878.

The 19th October 1878.

No. 270.—*Notification.*—With reference to the orders marginally noted, Lieutenant A. C. Foley, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, left the Arrah Division on the forenoon of the 10th October 1878 for military duty.

No. 263, dated 24th September 1878.

No. 271.—*Leave.*—Mr. H. D. Pearsall, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of sick leave for six months.

The 21st October 1878.

No. 272.—*Transfer.*—The services of Mr. A. M. Salmon, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Gunduck Division, are placed at the disposal of the District Road Cess Committee of Patna, under the provisions of sections 37 and 38 of the Civil Pension Code, with effect from the 11th October 1878.

No. 273.—*Notification.*—Mr. A. M. Salmon, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Gunduck Division, having returned from privilege leave on the afternoon of the 10th instant, the unexpired portion of the leave is hereby cancelled.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

Dated 21st October 1878.

No. 274.—*Notification.*—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 99 of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to pass the following rules for the Sone Canals is supersession of the rules passed in Notification No. 259, dated 1st August 1876:—

A draft of the rules now passed was published as provided in the aforesaid section of the said Act in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the dates noted in the margin.

The 11th, 18th, and 25th September 1878, and 2nd and 16th October 1878.

F. T. HAIG, *Col*, R.E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

RULES UNDER ACT III (B. C.) OF 1876.

1. The Collector, before awarding compensation under section 16, or making a reference under section 17, of the Act, shall obtain the written opinion of the Superintending Canal Officer, which shall form part of the record of the proceedings.

2. Water shall not be granted where, in the opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer, loss from wastage is likely to occur.

3. Water shall not ordinarily be granted where the length of the village channel, from its head to its point of contact with the village boundary exceeds two (2) miles.

4. Water for irrigation shall not be supplied, except through a village channel so constructed and maintained, that, in the opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer—

(*a*)—the water will pass without wastage;

(*b*)—the existing necessary lines of communication, the flow of drainage water, and the passage of water for irrigation, will not be obstructed.

5. The Divisional Canal Officer may withhold or postpone the grant of water to any cultivator whose fields have not been prepared for irrigation by division into compartments not greater in area than one cottah or 1361·25 superficial feet, and by the addition of small water channels as is customary in irrigation from wells.

Rice fields are exempted from the operation of this rule.

6. The above rule shall only apply to those cases in which the non-observance of it has been discovered previous to the first watering of a crop; the water having been once given cannot be withheld for that crop, but a higher rate may be levied as provided in Rule 38.

7. Persons desirous (i) of constructing a village channel, or (ii) of taking water therefrom, or (iii) of taking water from any outlet provided by Government, shall prefer a written application to the Divisional Canal Officer, or to some officer duly authorised by him to receive such applications. In the first case (i), if the application be received by an officer subordinate to the Divisional Canal Officer, it shall be forwarded to him for orders.

8. An application under Rule 7 shall, if granted, and unless otherwise specially agreed upon, be subject to the following conditions:—

(*a*)—That the water supplied shall not be used for other purposes than irrigation, without the written consent of the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer.

(*b*)—That the applicants appoint a headman, known or ascertained, to be a substantial person possessed of property, to attend to their interests, to receive and carry out the orders of the Canal Officers, to distribute the water among the shareholders in the village channel according to their shares, and to collect and pay in to the Collector, or other duly authorized person, all water-rates leviable on the lands watered from the village channel. His appointment shall be subject to the approval of the Divisional Canal Officer and of the Collector, and he shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Penal Code.

(*c*)—That in any case where persons desirous of taking water fail to appoint a headman, or cannot agree among themselves as to the headman, the Divisional Canal Officer shall appoint a headman, whose appointment shall be subject to the approval of the Collector.

(*d*)—If the Collector and Divisional Canal Officer do not agree as to the appointment of a headman under Rules 8 (*b*) and 8 (*c*), the Collector shall refer the matter to the Commissioner of the Division, whose decision shall be final.

(*e*)—That the headman shall furnish security for the payment of all sums realized by him, the stamp and registration fees on security bonds being deducted from the percentage allowed under Rule 11.

(*f*)—That for each crop, previous to water being taken for any field, application shall be made in the prescribed form (Appendix A) to the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer or other officer authorized to receive such applications, and that no water shall be taken until after the receipt of a "permit" (Appendix B) from such officer.

(*g*)—That in any case where the Divisional Canal Officer, owing to the known recusancy of any village, or of any class of cultivators, anticipates that there is likely to be difficulty in the realization of the water-rates, he shall intimate the same to the Collector, in whose option it shall be to require payment of water-rates in advance.

(*h*)—That any other cultivators in the same village, able and willing to irrigate their lands from the village channel, may, subject to the approval of the Divisional Canal Officer, be admitted as shareholders in it, on paying their proportionate share of the first cost and maintenance thereof, to be determined by the amount of irrigable land held by them.

(*i*)—That all alterations in the number of shareholders, distribution of shares, or appointment of headmen, shall be reported to the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer for the sanction of the Divisional Canal Officer.

9. The Divisional Canal Officer is empowered to pay to the headman appointed under Rule 8 the fees detailed in the rule next following, subject to the condition of satisfactory performance of duty.

10. The allowance to the headman of a village channel for duties connected with that village channel, such as arranging that it shall be kept in proper repair, seeing that no lands obtain water without a regular "permit," distributing the water to the shareholders, seeing to the outlet being closed according to the orders of the Divisional Canal Officer, and generally assisting the officers of the Irrigation Department, shall be 4 per cent on the amount of canal-water rates assessed on the lands irrigated from the village channel under his charge. The Divisional Canal Officer may retrench the whole or any part of the fees under this rule in the event of the conditions not being complied with.

11. The allowance to the headman of a village channel for collecting the water-rates shall be 4 per cent. on the amount actually paid in by him. If the headman shall satisfy the Collector that arrears have not accrued through any negligence on his part, it shall be within the discretion of the Collector to pay him the allowance on the whole or on any part of such arrears.

12. Contracts between the Divisional Canal Officer on the part of Government and private individuals for the use of water as a motive power, or for any other purpose whatsoever not included in the published schedule of rates, shall, if for any period not exceeding one year, require the previous sanction of the Superintending Canal Officer.

If proposed for longer periods, such contracts shall be submitted for the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor in the Irrigation Department.

13 Tanks may be filled with canal water without charge, and without reference to the area irrigated in any village, whenever water can be made available without injury to the cultivation dependant on any canal, under the following conditions :—

(*a*)—No tank shall be so filled unless the water is to be exclusively used for domestic purposes or for watering cattle or both.

(*b*)—No tank shall be so filled from which irrigation is practised.

(*c*)—No tank shall be so filled which, intercepting any line of drainage, is liable to overflow from accumulation of water derived from natural causes.

(*d*)—No tank shall be so filled except on the written order of the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer, issued on the written application of the parties concerned.

(*e*)—No tank shall be so filled unless the village channel used to fill it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer to be in a sound condition when the application is made.

(*f*)—The privilege herein accorded may, by written order of the Divisional Canal Officer, subject to revision by the Superintending Canal Officer, whose decision shall be final, be suspended for twelve months for breach of any of the above conditions.

14. The Divisional Canal Officer may, by written order under section 76 (*a*) (ii), stop the supply to any village channel when he is satisfied, after inspection by himself or by one of his subordinates, that the village channel is not maintained in proper repair. Immediate report of any such closure, with an explanation of the special ground for stoppage, shall be made to the Superintending Canal Officer.

15. The Divisional Canal Officer may, under section 76 (*a*) (iii), regulate the distribution of the available water in proportion to the average area irrigated from the several outlets, or in proportion to the quantities of water contracted for, and may close the outlets in rotation as shall be necessary.

Such periodical closures shall not extend beyond ten consecutive days, and shall be notified to the headmen of village channels. For longer closures the authority of the Superintending Canal Officer is required.

Nothing in the above rules shall be taken to affect the power of the Superintending or any Divisional Canal Officer to stop any supply of water in case of pressing emergency.

16. The water-gauges on distributaries, or other channels, shall be held to give authoritative data for all calculations of discharge required to verify claims for remission of water-rate on account of loss of water.

17. Claims to remission of water-rates, under section 76 (*b*), shall only be admitted on proof of actual loss caused by the stoppage of supply. On proof of such loss, the Divisional Canal Officer may remit the whole or any portion of the rates. All applications for remission of water-rates shall be made in writing by the parties concerned, either in person or through their headman, to the nearest Sub-Divisional Canal Officer, at least seven days prior to the cutting of the crop. On receipt of such application, the Sub-Divisional Canal Officer shall, after due local inquiry, forward the application with his remarks to the Divisional Canal Officer for decision.

18. Before awarding compensation under section 76 (*c*), the Collector shall obtain the written opinion of the Divisional Canal Officer, and such opinion shall form part of the record of the proceedings.

19. Under section 78 of the Act, the rates chargeable per acre on the different descriptions of crops are fixed for three years, viz. from 1st June 1876 to the 1st June 1879, and are as follow :—

WATER-RATES.

Sone Canals.

Class.	Nature of crop.	Flow irrigation per			Lift irrigation per			Per
		Cottah.	Beegha.	Acre.	Cottah.	Beegha.	Acre.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
I	Sugarcane	0 2 6	3 2 0	5 0 0	0 1 8	2 1 4	3 5 4	Crop.
II	Rice, vegetables, water-nuts, wheat, barley, cotton, tobacco, indigo, opium, garden and all crops not otherwise specified	0 1 3	1 9 0	2 8 0	0 0 10	1 0 8	1 10 8	ditto.

NOTE.

1 Cottah ... ... = 1,361·25 s. feet.
1 Beegha ... ... = 27,225·00 „
1 Acre ... ... = 43,560·00 „

20. Up to the 1st June 1879 leases for three years may be granted at the following rates, provided that the area leased in any village shall not be less than the whole irrigable area in the case of khurreef cultivation, or half the irrigable area in that of rubbee cultivation. In the latter case the area must be as far as possible in one block. In certain cases it may, at the discretion of the Divisional Canal Officer, be comprised in two or at most three blocks—

Schedule of Rates.

	Per acre.	Per beegha.	Per cottah.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Rubbee, including bhadoi ...	2 4 0	1 6 6	0 1 2
Khurreef	1 8 0	0 15 0	0 0 9

21. Three-year leases will not be granted for sugarcane.

22. By irrigable area is to be understood, as a general rule, the extent of land for which water can be supplied at the rate of 80 acres in khurreef, and 180 acres in rubbee per cubic foot of available supply.

23 Leases for three years at the reduced rates may be given (1) on the application of all the cultivators of a village, on condition of their agreeing in such application to become jointly and severally responsible for the payment of all amounts due on account of water-rates; or (2) on the joint application of the cultivators and of some person hereinafter called the contractor, who may agree to collect and pay to Government, under section 82 of Act III (B.C.) of 1876, all sums which may be due under the application on account of water-rates. The application of villagers binding themselves jointly and severally will be in the form prescribed in Appendix C. The joint application of villagers and a water-rate contractor shall be in the form prescribed in Appendix D. Every application under this rule must be signed by each applicant in the presence of at least one respectable witness.

24. Contractors shall be entitled to collect water-dues at the rates given in the schedule attached to Rule 20 from the cultivators who have applied for the water supplied. Every due from a cultivator to a contractor on account of water-rates shall be deemed a sum due to Government under sections 82 and 85 of Act III of 1876.

25. A contractor (or in case there be more than one, each contractor severally and jointly) shall be responsible for all sums payable on the application (Appendix D), except such sums as may be remitted by competent authority under the rules in force, and shall be entitled to a deduction of 5 per cent. for cost of collection.

26. When the lease under Rules 20 to 25 is for the supply of water to khurreef crops, or to all irrigable rubbee crops in the village, a list in Form E should be submitted with the application, showing the number of each field in the map, the area of the field, crop to be grown, and amount payable, and this should be signed by each cultivator. Water will be supplied in accordance with this list during the period of the lease. Similar lists must be submitted each year before water is supplied to rubbee lands when the area leased is less than the whole area of irrigable rubbee land in the village. In such cases the fields receiving water may vary from year to year, but the total area for which the water-rates shall be calculated shall never be less than the area specified in the three-years' lease. Should more land be irrigated than is specified in the three-years' lease, the same shall be chargeable with annual water-rates.

27. No water shall be taken previous to receipt of a permit (Appendix B) signed by the Divisional Canal Officer. When an agreement has been made for the collection of the rates by a contractor, the Divisional Canal Officer shall, under section 82, furnish such contractor with a written authority to collect the amounts due by the cultivators according to the list furnished under Rule 26, one copy of which is to be sent to the Collector.

28. Every contractor shall nominate a headman to be approved by the Divisional Canal Officer to perform the duties specified in Rule 10. Such headman shall receive five per cent on the assessment, but the Divisional Canal Officer may retrench the whole or any part of these fees if the duties are not properly performed.

29. If only a portion of a field be irrigated, the water-rate shall be chargeable on the whole field, unless such portion shall have been clearly demarcated, previous to the admission of the water, by a ridge not less than half a foot high.

30. When a portion of a field has been irrigated with canal water and a portion with well or reservoir water, the whole field shall be liable for canal water-rate, unless a clearly distinguishable boundary exists between the two portions.

31. If well or reservoir water is conveyed in the same channel as canal water, the whole of the irrigation from that channel shall be liable to canal water-rate. The headman will be held personally responsible for the due observance of this rule and of Rules 29 and 30.

32. Irrigation from natural or artificial escape channels, when the supply is permanent, shall be governed by the same rules as irrigation from other parts of the canal.

33. Irrigation from such channels, when the supply is intermittent, may be allowed at such reduced rates as shall from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor.

34. Persons irrigating lands from a canal without a written permit for water for such lands, or taking water at times prohibited by proper authority, shall be chargeable with double water-rates on the area irrigated.

35. The charge leviable for water suffered to run to waste on uncultivated lands shall be calculated at the highest rate specified in the schedule, viz. five rupees per acre on the area flooded; provided that in every such case the Divisional Canal Officer may impose a lower rate if he thinks fit. The headman to be held responsible for the collection of the amount of charges so imposed.

36. If mixed crops be grown in the same field, the water-rate shall be calculated on the highest rated crop.

37. When the original crop sown in a field, irrigated by the canal water, fails and is ploughed up, and a fresh crop is sown in the same season, the water-rates shall be levied on the second crop.

38. When a field is irrigated which has not been prepared by division into compartments and by the addition of small water channels as prescribed in Rule 6, an additional charge may be imposed equal to half the amount of water-rate leviable on the field. In each case the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer must certify that the field was not properly prepared for irrigation according to the terms of the rule.

39. The statements of the amounts demandable for water-rates levied under the rules in force shall be prepared under the supervision and signature of the Divisional Canal Officer in such form as shall from time to time be sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor.

40. All water-rates shall become due on the dates noted on the "permits," as herein below stated, and shall be paid within one month of such dates :—

Water-rate on sugarcane and spring crops, wheat, barley, peas, poppy, &c.,—15th April.

Water-rate on summer crops, cheena, &c.,—15th August.

Water-rate on bhadoi crops, early rice, Indian corn, murwa, &c.,—30th November.

Water-rate on annual and winter crops, aghani rice, joaur, &c.,—31st January.

41. In the case of lands held in bhaoli, the water-rate shall be recoverable from both the cultivator and the person or persons in receipt of the bhaoli rents, in the same proportion as the produce is divisible amongst them.

42. Collection of all water-rate shall be made by the Collector in accordance with the statement of demands furnished to him by the Divisional Canal Officer.

43. Objections to the demand addressed to the Collector shall, if remission be claimed on the score of short supply or of any matter affecting the Irrigation Department, be referred for orders to the Divisional Canal Officer. The collection of the demand shall not be suspended on account of any such objection.

44. Claims for remission referred by the Collector and admitted by the Divisional Canal Officer shall be reported by him for the sanction of the Superintending Canal Officer.

45. A remission statement signed by the Superintending Canal Officer shall be sufficient authority for a refund by the Collector.

46. If the Divisional Canal Officer reject the claim, an appeal may be made to the Superintending Canal Officer, provided that it is preferred within forty days from the issue of the order of the Divisional Canal Officer.

47. In special cases not otherwise provided for by these rules, and in cases in which water-rates are not recoverable owing to the absconding or bankruptcy of the defaulter, the Collector will obtain the sanction of the Commissioner of the Division to the remission of such sums as he may deem irrecoverable. The details of such remission shall be communicated at the close of each official year to the Divisional Canal Officer.

48. If a cultivator is dissatisfied with the entries made against him in the khatianni, whether as to the fact of the land having been charged "flow" instead of "lift," or as to the measurements and entries of class of crop, he must lodge a complaint, either personally or through the headman of his water-course, with the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer at least seven days prior to the cutting of the crop.

49. No person shall, without the permission in writing of the Divisional or Sub-Divisional Canal Officer, pass, or cause any animal or vehicle to pass, on or across any of the works, banks, or channels of a canal or drainage work after he has been desired to desist therefrom, excepting by means of such bridges, fords, and ferries, and their approaches, as are provided by the Divisional Canal Officer.

50. No Canal Officer, unless specially exempted by the Lieutenant-Governor from the operation of this rule, shall have any interest in the distribution of water from any of the canals, or purchase or bid for any Government property sold thereon, either in his own name or in the name of another, or jointly, or in shares with others.

51. The ameen appointed to measure up the area irrigated in any village shall, before leaving it, make over the khusras to a mohurir, who will then compile the khatianni. A copy of the khatianni will be taken by the putwaree, who must as a rule make it himself; but if he cannot from any cause do so, the mohurir must make it, and the putwaree is to be held responsible that he gets a copy.

52. The copy of the khatianni thus made shall be hung up in some conspicuous place in the village, and slips in the prescribed form (Appendix F), showing the amount he will have to pay, area irrigated, &c., shall be prepared by the putwaree and given to each ryot.

53. The allowance to the putwaree for the above work shall be 2 per cent. on the collections, and shall be paid to him by the Collector on his being satisfied that the work has been properly done. No allowance will be made to putwarees in leases granted under Rule 25.

54. The measurements of each crop irrigated shall be made as soon as practicable, and every care should be taken to have the khatianni hung up in the village at least fifteen days before the crop is cut, so that the ryot may make his complaints, if he have any, in good time.

55. In case of any subsequent alteration of the khatianni owing to correction of clerical errors, &c., such alteration shall be at once communicated to the putwaree to enable him to correct the village copy and slips accordingly.

56. The zilladar shall submit his check measurements in a form (Appendix G) which shall be sent in for the inspection of the Divisional Canal Officer. The Sub-Divisional Canal Officer shall also check the ameens' measurements as often as he possibly can. If it be found that any ameen systematically makes wrong measurements, he shall be punished by dismissal, and shall be declared incapable of obtaining further employment under Government.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R. E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

Darjeeling, the 16th October 1878.

No. 25.—*Notification.*—With the approval of the Government of India, "ether" has been included in the list of dangerous goods referred to in paragraph 21 of the general rules for State Railway goods traffic, to which a minimum charge as for 20 maunds has been applied.

Darjeeling, the 19th October 1878.

No. 26.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. W. Parry, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is granted three months' leave to study the native languages under Public Works Code, Chapter II, section IV, paragraph 28, with effect from the forenoon of the 15th October 1878, and two months' privilege leave in continuation thereof.

G. F. WILSON,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO UMESH CHUNDER BUTTOBYAL has been placed in charge of the 24-Pergunnahs treasury from the 19th ultimo, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Officiating Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESDY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 14th October 1878.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

IT is hereby notified that at the next half-yearly examination of Junior Civilians, Deputy Magistrates, &c., commencing on Monday, the 11th November 1878, two local Committees will be appointed in this division, viz. one at Midnapore for the examinees employed in the district of Midnapore, and another at Burdwan for those in the districts of Burdwan, Bankoora, and Beerbhoom. The officers employed in Hooghly and Howrah, who have to appear at the examination, will be examined by the local Committee at the Presidency, and must appear in the office of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division at No. 3, Theatre Road, Calcutta.

F. H. PELLEW, *Officiating Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, the 15th October 1878.

IT is hereby notified that at the next half-yearly examination of Junior Civilians, Deputy Magistrates, &c., commencing on Monday, the 11th November 1878, four local examination committees will be convened in this division—(1) at No. 3, Theatre Road, Calcutta, for officers stationed at the Presidency or employed in the 24-Pergunnahs, (1) at Kishnaghur, for officers employed in the district of Nuddea, (1) at Jessore Sudder Station, for officers employed in that district, and (1) at Berhampore, for officers employed in the Moorshedabad district.

R. L. MANGLES, *Commissioner.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1256B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November 1878, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares ,, ...	2,000
Total ...	4,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 23rd November 1877, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 20th November 1878 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 11th November 1878, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 20th November 1878.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 2nd December 1878 ...	2,500	2,000	4,500
Total ..	2,500	2,000	4,500

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 24th September 1878.

No. 1297B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

IT is hereby notified that the 230 chests of Behar opium of the manufacture of 1876-77, which were reserved for the French Government and have not been cleared, will be re-sold on account of Government at the opium sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November next, immediately after the conclusion of the sale of 4,500 chests already advertised for that day.

The conditions of the re-sale will be the same as those of the sale referred to.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th September 1878.

S. BIRD, *for Secretary*

No. 1290B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

SEALED tenders are invited for the supply of iron-machine cut clasp nails required for the Opium Factory at Ghazipore for the season 1877-78.

2. Tenders will be received in the office of the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, up to noon of Wednesday, 23rd October 1878.

3. All particulars as to time and place of delivery, as well as to quantity, description, and quality of the articles, can be obtained on personal application at the said office.

4. The party or parties whose tender may be accepted will be required to enter into an engagement, and as security for its fulfilment, to deposit with the Board such amount as they may think proper to demand.

5. The Board reserve to themselves the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for doing so.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th September 1878. W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly, subject to Customs Duty, on the 30th September 1878.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	4,89,107	22,284	6,63,168	11,74,559
Italian Punga	82	.....	.....	82
Ditto Kurkutch	6,897	.....	.....	6,897
Bombay ditto	80,680	.....	48,980	1,29,660
Arabian and Persian Gulfs, Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ...	74,606	.....	86,600	1,61,206
Ceylon Kurkutch	36,700	.....	6,942	43,642
Egyptian ditto	54,890	.....	.....	54,890
Total ...	7,42,962	22,284	8,05,690	15,70,936

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 17th October 1878.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly subject to Customs duty on 15th October 1878.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	4,82,432	22,284	7,58,610	12,63,326
Italian Kurkutch	1,032	.....	.....	1,032
Bombay ditto	1,01,094	.....	66,103	1,67,197
Arabian and Persian Gulfs, Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ...	73,254	.....	1,54,499	2,27,753
Ceylon Kurkutch	41,936	.....	.....	41,936
Egyptian ditto	54,890	.....	.....	54,890
Total ...	7,54,638	22,284	9,79,212	17,56,134

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 22nd October 1878.

COMPTROLLER-GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 17th October 1878.

No. 1447.—The rate of conversion of Indian into sterling money for Overland Money Orders has been changed to 1*s.* 7¼*d.* per rupee. Schedule 20 of the Tariff Table is therefore in force until further notice.

W. WATERFIELD,
Officiating Comptroller, General.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th October 1878.

No. 24.—Mr. J. V. Woodman, Chief Reporter and Reporter for the Indian Law Reports in the High Court, Calcutta, has been granted an extension of one month's leave, with effect from the 3rd January next.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 11th October 1878.

No. 1067.—Mr. J. S. Drummond is permitted to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Monday, the 18th November 1878, corresponding with 3rd Agrohun 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th March 1878:—

Toujee No.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4028	Ten annas share of a zemindary chakla Amirabad, pergunnah Rajnagor.	Guru Prosad, Premchand, Kishori Mohun, Gopi Mohun, Bykanto Mohun and Horlal Roy, Sita Mom and Janoky Devia and Nagor Cashi Kundu.	4,078 7 9½	73 1 7	Entire es to be sol
6308	Two plots of new char kismut Khasotia in Chur Madan Sankor	Mr. J. Pogose, Kashi Chandra Roy, Brojendro Coomar Roy Chowdhry, Anond Mohun, Govindo Mohon, Mohesh Chandra, Ram Krisno, Kali Krisno Pal Chowdhry, Guru Prosad, Prem Chand, Kishori Mohun, Horlal Roy, Modhu Sudon, Kristo Mohon Dass and Monnalal Michree.	1,242 11 7	105 14 1	Ditto.

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 10th August 1878. J. E. B. JEFFERY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2.—Taraf Ajodhya Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Chandi Charan, Uma Charan, Kailas Chandra Choudhuri, and Jugal Kishor Datta; sudder jumma Rs. 723-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 7.—Kismat Ambika Babait, taraf Trilok Chandra Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Kailas Chandra Nandi; sudder jumma Rs. 745-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 31.—Taraf Abdul Mazid; recorded proprietor Ram Kanta Choudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 3,597-3-5. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Ali Rohollah; recorded proprietors Kamala Kanta Sen, Bharat Chandra Tapadar, and Raj Chandra Sen for self and on part of Bangsi Mohun Sen, minor; sudder jumma Rs. 994-0-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 41.—Taraf Abdul Fozal; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan and Abdul Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 643-3-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 51.—Taraf Aleyar Khan; recorded proprietors Shahamat Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,606-0-9. Share No. 2 of Agbar Ali Khan, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 811-6-3, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 54.—Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimote Anandmoyi and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 849-6-9. Share No. 5 of Raj Chandra Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Isvar Chandra Rai, Bharat Chandra Rai, Srimote Amala, Srimote Pyari, Nanda Kumar Rai, Raj Chandra Rai, Gour Hari Kanungoe, Bhairab Chandra Das, Bisvambar De, Kali Kumar De, Bhairab Chandra, Jugal Kishor, Bisvambar Mahajan, and Kali Kumar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 256-12-10; share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari, Kukur Chand Nan, Krishnomoni, Srimote Perati, Bisvambar Mahajan and Kali Kumar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 66-1-3; and share No. 24 of Brajo Mohun, Bishwanath, *alias* Baidyanath, Brejo Mohun, Bholanath, Ghoneshyam, Hara Das Kanungoe, Jan Bibi, Kalicharan, Udayachand, Ulmila, Ranjit Ram, Ram Das, Ram Kishore, Ram Dayal De, Ram Dayal, Ram Dulal, Siva Das Kanungoe, Tonurám, Mrityunjai *alias* Jugal Kishor, Ram Dayal De, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, Shekh Mahamed Assanullah Chowdhry, Pitambar Potdar, Kali Kumar Bhattacharjya, Kamal Kumar, minor, Bisvambar De, and Kali Kumar De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 35-15-10, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 55.—Taraf Aziz Nassarat; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 791-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 127.—Kismat Anandamoye, Jeban Krishno Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishor; recorded proprietors Ram Kumar, Kishori Mohun, Nityananda Rai, Pratab Chandra Rai, and Anandamoyi; sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-10. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 391.—Taraf Bashanta Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Bashanta Ram, Ram Jiban, Ram Chandra, Gouri Charan, Deboo, Shib Charan, Chamaru, Komar Ali, Mohobollah, Agbar, Doman, Magon Das Potdar, Mahamed Daim, Jaffer Ali, Judhishtir Mahajan, Madan Mohan, Bishnupriya, Kamar Ali, Somod Ali, Korban Ali, Ram Shebok, Ramjai, Baisnab Charan Chaudhuri, Gour Chandra Das Chowdry, Pyari Mohun Das Das, Shonaullah, Sharot Chandra Das; sudder jumma Rs. 557-14-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 396.—Taraf Baksha Ali; recorded proprietors Nyamatullah, Nassu, Sher Khan, Dewan Ali, Nurollah, Fatteh Ali, Shamsher Ali, Umar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 937-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Bassir Hanif; recorded proprietor Mossumat Jahiranissa Khanam; sudder jumma Rs. 513. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 467.—Taraf Braja Lal; recorded proprietors Braja Lal, Ram Dayal, Kali Das, Brindaban, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Abid, Damodar Mohanta, Ramjan Ali, Warish, Gouri Shunkor, Ram Sharan Sarkar, Mahamed Jomil, Chandi Din Shukul, Raj Chandra Kerani, Nil Kamal and Akhil Chandra Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 508-7-3, The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 486.—Taraf Barai Charan; recorded proprietors Golam Ali and Hyder Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 502-9-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 522.—Kismat Bisheshwari, Babait Traf Gouri Sanker Kanangoe; recorded proprietors Mrityunjai, and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,228-13-4. Share No. 3 of Prasunna Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Sen, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Dataram Chowdhry, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Sarat Chandra, Jagat Chandra, Juramoni Bhattacharjya, Boloram Bhattacharjya, Shyama Sundari, Karam Ali, Arban Ali, Ram Goti Chakravarthi, Krish Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra Anandamoyi, and Kailas Chandra Rai Kanungoe; bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,032-3-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 746.—Taraf Siri Dowlut; recorded proprietor Shekh Abdullah Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 2,930-1-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 764.—Taraf Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Chandra Prabha, Narayani, Muktakeshi, Srimoti Ambabati, Gurudas, Baisnab Charan, Kali Das, Mohesh Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra, Tarini Charan, Pitambar, Lokomudra, Ram Sundar, Muraridhar, Abdul Ali, Belayet Ali, Abdul Ali, Azgar Ali, Ahassan Ali, Nanagazi, Durga Kripa Rai, Ram Kinkar Purohit, Mirhan Ali, Golam Ali, Arop Ali, Pyari Mohun, Syama Charan Rai, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailash Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romesh Charan Rai, Shristidhar Khansama, Agbar Ali, Parbatti Charan, Udaya Chand Bosu, Nur Ali, Gopi Nath, Dataram, Chandra Kola, Chandra Kola, Syama Charan Rai and Uma Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,905-3-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 805.—Taraf Dullab Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Nemai Charan Nundi, Fakir Chand Nundi, Srimote Bishnupriya, on part of her minor sons Prossanna Kumar and Kamal Kumar Nundi, Bishnupriya and Pitambar Shaha; sudder jumma Rs. 819. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 942.—Nilam Fakirchand; recorded proprietors Uma Charan Chowdhry, Gour Hari, Degambar, Pyari Mohun, and Ambica Charan Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 646-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1017.—Taraf mouza Garangya, Babait taraf Mangad Ram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Hamed Khan, Gaja Rai Senha, Omrao Senha, and Taran Senha Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 2,015-5-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Romes Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No 1024.—Taraf Gobinda Anandi; recorded proprietors Chhatranarayon; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,061-13-1. Share No. 10 of Chhatranarayon, Darpanarayon, Mahamed Ashrof, Ramjai, Ramjai, Ram Chandra Datta, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Sheik Mahamed Assanullah, and Shekh Mahamed Rohimullah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 707-14-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gouri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share No. 1 of Gour Chandra Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 54-6-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1119.—Taraf Hari Shona; recorded proprietors Azimuddin, Hassan Ali, Kartik, Kanuram Mahajan Mobarek Ali, Mahamed Daem Nazir, Mahamed Mukim, Nanni, Lokiatullah, Bosson Bibi, and Oliullah; sudder jumma Rs. 1,539-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1143.—Taraf mouza Harina, Babait taraf Mangatram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan, Abdul Ali, and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 692-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6; share No. 1 of Warish Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9; share No. 2 of Mahamed Somid, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 91-0-6; share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 51-7-5; share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-2; No. 5 of Yassin Khan, Amir Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9. No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-3; No. 7 of Bishwanath Surma, sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6; and the remaining share No. 9 of Alaka, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,265-7-8, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1242.—Taraf Imambaksha; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari and Abdul Ali Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 697-5-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1269.—Taraf Jashmanta Singha; recorded proprietors Fatteh Ali, Magon Potdar, Umar Ali, Shaffar Ali, Sarang, and Fatteh Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-10-2. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1281.—Taraf Joynarayan Kerani; auction purchasers Sarat Chandra Monohar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 563-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1285.—Taraf Jorip Mahamed; recorded proprietors Jan Bibi, Mahamed Bashirullah Choudhuri and Ram Kanto Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 784-3-1. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1363.—Taraf Jadu Madan; recorded proprietors Ali Raja and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,227-14-9. Share No. 1 of Lal Singh, auction purchaser Shekh Assanulla Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 571-14-5; and share No. 2 of Ali Raja, Ram Krishna, Shib Narayan, and Shib Lochan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 656-0-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1513.—Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Anandamoye, Mahamaya; sudder jumma Rs. 853-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1546.—Taraf Karkan Roshan; recorded proprietor Baishnab Charan Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 616-7-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1552.—Taraf K. Fernandez; recorded proprietors J. D. Barros, Nityanunda Rukhit, Parbote Charn Rukhit, and Ram Sundar; sudder jumma Rs. 1,640-5-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1671.—Taraf Keoja Hoashang; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 1,129-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1714.—Nilam Lakhinarayan; recorded proprietors Ram Doyal Choudhry, Rahamat, Warish; sudder jumma Rs. 1,199-15-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1747.—Taraf Manohar Rai Choudhry; recorded proprietors Ramjai De, Srimote Anundamoye, Ram Kumar Roy, Hara Sundari, Raj Mangal Rai, Anundamoye, Syama Sundari, Roghunandan, Ram Kumar Roy, Durga Kripa Rai, Nityanunda Rai, Pran Krishna Rai, Bonomali De, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romes Chandra Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoye, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoyi, Anandamoyi, Pratab Chandra Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,491-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1751.—Taraf Modon Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Lakhi Kanta Datta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 688-6-5. Share No. 1 of Lakhi Kanta Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 55-13-3; No. 2 of Ram Hari Datta, sudder jumma Rs. 52-7-1; No. 4 of Keshoiya Debya, sudder jumma Rs. 141-10-1; and share No. 5 of Bisvambar Shaha, Ram Ballob Shaha, Guru Das, Ram Komal De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 424-11-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1884.—Taraf Mahamed Sona Mir; recorded proprietor Shekh Hashmat Ali Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 785-10-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1887.—Taraf Mahamed Raja Mir; recorded proprietors Uma Charan, Gour Hari, Digambar Pyari Mohan, Ambika Charan Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1894.—Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 560-1-0. Share No. 1 of Syam Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 135-8-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1900.—Taraf Mahamed Monohar; recorded proprietors Alfa Bibi, Ahamadullah, Chand Bibi, Etbar Ali sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2099.—Kismat Muraridhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, Babait Taraf Gouri Shankor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimate Annapurna Thekurani, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar Sarat Chandra, Anandamoyi, Jagat Chandra, Latoo Miya, Umed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,230-3-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2201.—Kismat Naziruddin Ahmed, Babait Taraf Hossan Wali; recorded proprietor Naziruddin Ahmed; sudder jumma Rs. 1,227-6-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2203.—Taraf Nossim Choudhury; recorded proprietors Jan Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 659-7-6. Share No. 2 of Yakup Ali Choudry, Abdul Rozok, Abdul Bari, and Abdul Golil, minor, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 49-7-3-0; and No. 3 of Jan Ali, Mohesh Chandra, Ramjan Ali, Nityanunda Sen, Gour Chandra Rudra, Nityanunda, Jan Ali, Jagat Chandra Sen, and Wahed Ali, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 362-11-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2368.—Taraf Waz, Abdul Hossen; recorded proprietors Shekh Jaker Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 731-11-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2389.—Taraf Paran Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Ulmila, Fakir Chand Nundi, Chandra Kanta Pal, Nokuleshwar Pal and Bakreshwar Pal; sudder jumma Rs. 601-3-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2411.—Kismat Pravabati, Babait Taraf Braja Kishore; recorded proprietors Abdul Khoyer Mahamed Mahassom Billa and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 667-11-10. Share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and of his mother Sharfannissa Tamaliat Khatoon Choudria, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 41-13-10; and share No. 14 of Baishnab Charan Datta, Fatteh Ali, Gour Hari Biswas, Khulan, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Ali, chaprasi, Warish, Nur Bibi Rahamat Syat, Ram Das, Ram Das, Ram Das, Sarat Chandra, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Amir Ali, Nur Mahamed, Tarak Charan Datta, Uma Charan Datta, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Sarat Chandra Waddar on part of Romes Chandra Biswas, and Srimote Nasseban Bibi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 186-11-11, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohun, Guru Das, Hara Das Rai; recorded proprietors Hara Das and others; sudder jumma Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share No. 1 of Kali Kumar, Chandra Kumar, Prasanna Kumar, and Sharada Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 763-1-6; and share No. 2 of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, and Hara Das Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2433.—Taraf Pranbollob; recorded proprietors Jag Mohun and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 944-5-5. Share No. 2 of Jag Mohun, Ram Das Chowdhry, Ramjai Chowdhry, Ram Das Chowdhry, Gobordhan Dhar, Abhaya Charan and Srimate Parameshwari, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 708-4-1, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2542.—Taraf Raja Ambika; recorded proprietor Akbar Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 608-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2544.—Taraf Ram Mohun Sen; recorded proprietors Bisvambar Sen, Kasi Chandra Sen, and Golok Chandra Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 884-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Annapurna, Jagat Chandra, Tarak Chandra, Assad Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 819-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7; share No. 12 of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemanta Ram De, Chaitanya Charan and Pran Hari Lala, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 163-.2, and share No. 35 of Ram Dhan Barnik, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2565.—Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 819-1-7; share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 70, No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar and Shekh Dhonu Shadagar, sudder jumma Rs. 358-7-9, and share No. 5 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Baisnab Charan Chowdhry, Gour Kishor, Gouri Mohun Biswas, Jaduram Thakur, Lolita, Modhuram, Udaya Tara Paran Das Chowdhry, Ram Joy Boidya, Ram Das Sarma, Ram Dhan, Prem Narayan, Ram Chandra Biswas, Radha Ram, Ruhi Das Pal, Shamsher Ali, Sasti Chandra, Srimate Pran Kishori, Rukkini, Nara Sinha Surma, Digambar Bangze, Bodhan Biswas, Pran Hari Laha, Karim Baksha and Baisnab Charan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 119-13-7, will be sold

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2566.—Kismat Ram Dulal Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 823-4-10; share No. 2 of Krishna Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 156-15 and the remaining share No. 4 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Brindaban Bhairab Chandra, Kanungoe, Lolita, Mohesh Chandra, Mrityun Jai, Nava Kishor Dastidar, Nyamat Ali, Ram Lochan, Ram Jai, Ram Das, Ramgoti, Ram Das, Shamsher Ali, Udoy Nath De, Ram Kinu De, Kashi Prasad Tewari, Shubal Chundra Roy and Jiban Krisna Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 107-0-7, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2588.—Nilam Ram Mohun, Imam Shorip; recorded proprietors Srimoti Pran Kishori, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Kashi Shwari; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2861.—Taraf Sadaram Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Kishori Mohan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,097-3-2; share No. 2 of Kishori Mohun Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 549-3-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2929.—Taraf Shachi Roshan; recorded proprietors Rustum Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 752-11; share No. 1 of Shekh Sadak Ali Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-3 and No. 2 of Karamat Ali Chowdhry, sudder jumma Rs. 183-2-9, and share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-4, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2933.—Taraf Shachi Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Aitton and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 826-14-3; share No. 1 of Oloka, Ram Dayal Sen, Srimoti Brajobashi, Jagat Chandra Sen, Tarak Chandra Sen, Babait Malik Gopal Das Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Rasick Chandra Sen, Gogan Chandra Sen, Purna Chandra Sen, Akhil Chandra Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Gagan Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 125-10-11; share No. 6 of Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, auction purchaser babait histcha Pran Krisna, Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, Golok Chandra Kanungoe, babait malik Gopinath, Pyari Mohun and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 18-3-3; share No. 8 of Srimoti Tarakishwari babait malik Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 3-5-6, share No. 37 of Srimoti Purna Dasi babait malik Gopi Nath, Ram Dulal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 8-11-0; share No. 38 of Srimoti Narayani, *alias* Bashi babait malik Lakshmi Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 9-13-9; share No. 39 of Srimati Oloka Sundari babait malik Nimai Charn Kanungoe, recorded proprietors Oloka Sundari, Ram Ram Dayal Das, Tara Das Das and Nunda Kumar Das, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 11-3-1; and share No. 46 of Shekh Assanullah Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 102-4-5, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3054.—Taraf Shiba Durga Sharam Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Brindaban, Krishna, Mohan Ghosal, Brindaban Mazumadar, Srimoti Anandamoyi, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohan Rai, Srimoti Tareni, Pratap Chandra Rai, Nityanunda Rai, sudder jumma Rs. 2,942-8-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3098.—Taraf Shurat Sinha; recorded proprietors Mohes Chandra, Shib Ratna Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 669-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3125.—Taraf Srimanta Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,737-12-0; share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan, recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan, Boidya Nath, Ananda Mohun Naha, Srimoti Waz Khatun, Jan Ali Chowdhry, Boidya Nath Sen, Syam Sundar Sen, Raj Chandra Sen and Bangsi Mohun Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 843-13-9, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3880.—Taraf Shekh Obedullah, Shekh Mahamed Ossi, Shekh Mahamed Ali; recorded proprietors Armana Bibi, Aman Ali, Bonnijan, Abdullah Khan and Mahamed Boshirullah Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 678-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhab; recorded proprietors Balak Das Mohanta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4; share No. 1 of Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 441-14-2, and share No. 5 of Balak Das Mohanta and Monohar Das Mohanta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 468-6-7, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Baraghona.

No. 13407.—Taluq Gouri Sankar, Baidya Nath; recorded proprietors Srimati Lolita Thakurani and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 701-4-3; share No. 2 of Lolita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 350-10-1 10 kranta, will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which the remaining proprietors have opened separate accounts under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Ramu, mouzah Rajarkul.

No. 23916.—Taluq Obedullah, Shekh Badiaz Zama, Dewan Bibi, Assalat Khan; recorded proprietors Fazal Ahmed Chowdhry, minor and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 963-11-3; share No. 2 of Assalat Khan, Srimati Thanda Bibi, Agbar Ali Khan, Assad Ali Khan, Choonnoo Jan Nuran Nissa and Amiran Nessa, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 662-9-2 will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Chakaria, mouzah Shurazpur.

No. 33534.—Taluq Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Shilkope.

No. 33673.—Kaimi taluq Anwar Ali Babait, ijara Azgar Ali, Aman Ali; recorded proprietor Shekh Mahamed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 612-2-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Tripura Charan and Annada Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878. G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, under Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Khurushkhul.

No. 41.—Taluq Srimati Tajannissa; recorded proprietor Tajannissa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,904-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Totak-khali.

No. 48.—Taluq Jaffer Ali; recorded proprietor Srimati Tajannissa Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 627-5-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Chakmarkul.

No. 84.—Taluq Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; recorded proprietors Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 835-6-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Ukhiarghona.

No. 142.—Taluq Magan Das Chaudhuri, Indranarain Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipriya, Manorama; recorded proprietors Baidya Nath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 575-14-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bhomoriaghona.

No. 160.—Taluq Kamalapuru; recorded proprietors Baidyanath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 531-13-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Isakhali.

No. 168.—Taluq Mobarek Ali; auction purchasers Fazal Ali and Fazal Ali 2nd; sudder jumma Rs. 508-1-6 The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Pokekhali.

No. 170.—Taluq Gauri Sankar, Baidyanath Kanungoo; recorded proprietors Srimati Alifabanu and Abdul Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 506-13 0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Choufaldandi.

No. 173.—Taluq Aman Chaudhuri; recorded proprietor Mussamut Tajannessa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-9-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bharwakhali.

No. 177.—Taluq Mahomed Raja, Jamsher Ali; recorded proprietor Jaffer Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,000-3-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Bheolamanikchar.

No. 274.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Magon Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 757-10-0. The entire taluq will be sold

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Barabakia.

No. 286.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Shekh Dewan Ali Chaudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 687-9-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Baraitoli.

No. 293.—Taluq Ali Mahomed Sikdar; occupant Roshan Ali Darogah, Mahomed Ashrof and Mahomed Azim; sudder jumma Rs. 2,270-6-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Harbang.

No. 295.—Taluq Lal Mahomed Daroga; recorded proprietors Lal Mahomed Daroga; and Srimati Jamal Hossen Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 941-1-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Pinchari.

No. 304.—Taluq Krishna Rangit, auction purchaser Madhuram Bahaddar; sudder jumma Rs. 500-14-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Chambal.

No. 307.—Taluq Srimati Tajanissa Chaudhuri, babait taluq Aminullah, Karimullah, auction purchaser Hassen Ali, registered proprietor Farkanda Bakhta and Ohidal Alam; sudder jumma Rs. 1,193-4-10. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza South Nhillah.

No. 460.—Taluq Srimati Khamah Chaudhuria, Srimati Umari Chaudhuria, Lhatong Choudhuri Lhapoe Choudhuri, Lhapechu Chaudhuri, Srimati Chymerao Chaudhuria, babait taluq Fando, auction purchaser Ishan Chandra Das; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 677-11-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Town, mouza Char Shabek Bakalia.

No. 559.—Taluq Ahmed Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi; recorded proprietors Ahmad Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi and Mahomed Noshim Sadagar; sudder jumma Rs. 686-4-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Fatlikchari, mouza Kanchannagar.

No. 635.—Taluq Srimati Ronu Debya; recorded proprietor Dewan Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 890-15-8. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza Teknaaf.

No. 1401.—Taluq Khepong Chaudhuri, Ampuru, Man, Srimati Lan, Srimati Chymepori, Angri Chaudhuri, Kasim Ali, auction purchasers Akhil Chandra Nandi and Abhoya Charan Ghos; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 699-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878.

G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' import warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1878.			
Sept. 23	8 Cases, 1043, with A below in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Order ...	S. S. Queen Anne.
„ 23	1 Case, A H	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	1 Case, A B R, bottom H. S. K. & Co.... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	1 Case, 250 in a diamond, top C. & Co.... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	1 Cask, 424 in a diamond, top C. & Co.... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	1 Case, H in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	1 Case, 507 in a diamond, top M S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	5 Cases. N S in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	1 Case, 481 in a diamond, top S D	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	1 Case, 495 in a diamond, top T S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	1 Sample Package, O & H in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	11 Packets Hinges, no mark...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	81 Pieces Loose Tin Plates, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 23	11 Bundles Pipes, no mark, or S C R in a diamond...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 19th October 1878. (620—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 17th October 1878.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
October 11th 1878 ...	48 9 9	51 14 6	90 14 6	50 12 0	242 2 9	
„ 12th „	59 5 6	58 15 3	112 9 6	68 14 9	299 13 0	
„ 13th „	72 4 6	72 14 6	113 11 0	55 5 3	314 3 3	
„ 14th „	64 9 6	63 10 9	132 5 6	72 6 6	333 0 3	
„ 15th „	56 15 6	58 12 9	102 0 9	55 14 0	273 11 0	
„ 16th „	62 13 6	62 14 3	120 15 9	66 11 0	313 6 6	
„ 17th „	58 13 3	59 0 0	128 4 9	63 5 0	309 7 0	
Total ..	423 7 6	423 2 0	800 13 9	433 4 6	2,085 11 9	
Total of previous 40 weeks ...	18,601 6 6	18,114 1 9	34,005 15 6	19,589 1 3	90,310 [illegible] 0	
Grand Total ..	19,024 14 0	18,542 3 9	34,806 13 3	20,022 5 9	92,396 4 9	

CALCUTTA, the 19th October 1878. (621—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 15th Oct. 1878.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000 0 0
Reserve Fund		20,28,120 0 0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 1,16,28,588 2 3	2,59,21,699 14 6
Ditto at Branches ...	„ 1,42,93,111 12 3	
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,48,26,836 8 0
Bank Post Bills, &c.		11,01,749 5 8
Sundries		7,45,679 10 2
Rupees ...		7,46,24,085 6 4

ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Government Securities		1,16,63,693 7 7
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches . ..		45,79,552 9 10
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		53,27,338 14 0
Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches		1,42,57,344 8 9
Balances with other Banks . ..		9,00,698 11 4
Bullion		....
Dead Stock		9,79,845 0 10
Stamps		8,609 8 8
Sundries		2,29,744 0 10
		3,78,46,826 13 10
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,81,28,894 11 11	3,67,77,268 8 6
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	„ 1,86,48,303 12 7	
Rupees ...		7,46,24,085 6 4

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 17th October 1878.*

W. WESTLAND, *Offg Chief Acctt. and Dy. Secy.* (617—1)

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th September 1878.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS							4½ PER CENT. LOANS					Transfer Loan of 1879, seven Shillings Sterling per cent. Portion.	5 per cent. Debenture for 15 years, Re-payable June 1882.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	Total amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	of 1878.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent Portion.					
Balance of 15th September 1878 ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,46,720	30,89,100	2,30,24,600	1,13,19,500	1,92,46,500	43,59,400	3,36,000	3,06,07,200	46,21,500	.....	.....	33,12,000	79,800	5,34,24,000	15,49,62,772
ADD—																		
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 30th September 1878 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000
Ditto at Bombay between 16th and 30th September 1878 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	1,500	1,00,000	600	.....	13,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,16,600
Ditto at Calcutta between 16th and 30th September 1878 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	75,900	6,800	18,000	.....	.....	11,000	29,000	5,500	14,000	.....	.....	.....	1,60,200
TOTAL ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,46,720	30,89,100	2,31,02,500	1,13,27,800	1,93,64,500	43,60,000	3,36,000	3,06,31,700	46,50,500	5,500	14,000	33,12,000	79,800	5,34,24,000	15,52,40,572
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	.....	640	1,800	3,88,000	16,200	2,52,600	1,000	.....	33,400	10,000	.....	.....	2,000	.....	1,29,000	8,34,640
Balance on 30th September 1878 ..	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,46,080	30,87,300	2,27,14,500	1,13,11,600	1,91,11,900	43,59,000	3,36,000	3,05,98,300	46,40,500	5,500	14,000	33,10,000	79,800	5,32,95,000	15,44,05,932

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st July 1878—Enfaced from India 2,803 lakhs; re-transferred from London 2,591 lakhs.
" 1st Aug. 1878 to 15th Aug. " " " 11 " " " 4 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " 6 " " " 3 "
" 1st Sept. " to 15th Sept. " " " " 1 " " " 12 "
" 16th " " to 30th " " " " 2 " " " 8 "

2,823 — 2,618 "
2,618

Balance against India ... 205 "

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 16th October 1878.

(624—1)

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
244	O 40—02204 to ,, —02213	10 each	Tarapada Bhattacharjee.
246	L 93—64930	50	Shaik Goorad.
247	L 93—59796	50	The Sub-Inspector of Shanuggur, Azimgunge.
250	O 29—50807	1000	Messrs. Schroder, Smidt and Co.
252	O 27—23295	500	Sreedhur Narain.
253	O 15—45902	10	The Officiating Post-Master General, Bengal.
	O 17—76531	10	
	L 42—92615	10	
	O 12—01394	10	
	O 11—36412	10	
	L 31—19937	5	
	,, —22485	5	
254	L 93—61713	50	Bhagoban Chunder Das.
255	L 53—91993	1,000	Taraprosad Bose.
256	O 27—86301	500	Mungun Lall.
257	O 34—46965	100	Gopal Ram Ojoodhya Ram.
	L 93—52595	50	
258	L 93—66567	50	W. Currie.
259	O 34—09198	100	Srimuti Kunjo Lutta Dasi, widow.
260	O 34—60241	100	Gobind Chunder Auddy.
261	O 34—67906	100	Chingee.
262	O 29—54649	1,000	E. Bland.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

264	O 2—96315	20	Kali Shankur Singha.
	O 3—27247	20	
265	O 6—45566	10	Sergeant J. Quinn.
266	L 78—18192	20	Baney Madhub Mullick.
	O 6—80243	10	
267	L 30—27888	5	T. T. Sowminada Pellai.
268	O 33—31425	100	Ram Chunder Shaha.
269	L 80—71338	20	Moonshi Abdool Kadir.
270	L 97—67272	10	Poorna Chandra Chakravarti.
271	L 76—72374	10	E. P. Allnutt.
272	O 34—44662	100	Messrs Nathonee Lal and Gopaul Chand.
273	L 93—20017	50	Prosunno Chunder Mitter.
	O 33—72898	100	
	,, —72899	100	
274	L 94—54096	100	Lt.-Col. Garden.
275	L 30—22900	5	The Post Master-General, N.-W. Provinces.
276	O 11—75695	10	Ambica Churn Mitter.
161	L 46—72393	20	Mathoora Nath Roy Chowdhury.
	,, —36947		
162	L 9—88026	5	J. A. Thompson.
	,, —61912		

R. A. STRENDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 15th October 1878.

Notice.

List of unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
1	Case, [A. J. & Co.] M 257	Star of Bengal.
2	Cases, [G C D] W B D	Ditto.
1	Cask, [G & C] P	Ditto.
6	Pieces Iron, G	Ditto.
1	Cake Spelter, F G	Ditto.
1	Piece Spelter, George Hultee	Ditto.
2	Cases, M A W 2225-2226	Mirzapore.
6	Pieces Spelter, no mark	Statesman.
3	Bars Angle Iron, no mark	City of Ningpo.
4	Bundles Sheet Iron, no mark	Cathcart.
12	Bars Tyre Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Bundles Hoop Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bar Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
15	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Pieces Pig Iron, no mark	Ditto.
12	Pieces Spelter, no mark	Ditto.
1	Hogshead, [B] G S	Star of Greece.
1	Cask, J M B	Sheila.
3	Bundles Rod Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bundle Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bar Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Keg, [J B T C] A L L	Almora.
1	Pole, [J D]	Ditto.
3	Casks, [A]	Brodrick.
2	Bundles Sheet Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, no mark	Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	Ditto.
2	Cases, no mark	Ditto.
2	Cases, no mark	Ditto.
3	Cases, [T]	Ditto.
2	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bundle Rod Iron, no mark	Ditto.
10	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
14	Pieces Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
3	Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto.
3	Bars Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Cask, A 50	Navarino.
1	Cask, [222] C. & Co.	Ditto.
3	Cases, 47-48 & 70	Ditto.
1	Case, no mark	Ditto.
2	Robbins, J G	Ava.
6	Bundles, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bag, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, [J E & C] C	Hydaspes.
5	Cases, [R] C	Ditto.
10	Cases, [D G S] W C S K 91-100.	Orion.
1	Parcel, [T D C] M M 25-29	Discoverer.
2	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	City of Edinburgh.
1	Fire Bar, no mark	Ditto.
1	Iron Pillar, C Z	City of Carthage.
2	Cases [222] C. & Co. 70-71	Merkara.
2	Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, [J & F T] 50	Ditto.
1	Case, [P C A A] 26 H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto.
1	Case, [627] W L	Ditto.
2	Cases, [A W N] 423-424, Akyab.	Ditto.
2	Bundles Hoop Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, [B L] D 257	Star of Persia.
5	Casks, [M] 902-906 F. T. B. & Co.	Ditto.
3	Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Cask, [21] S	Ditto.
1	Case, R R D	City of Madrid.
6	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bundle Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
3	Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bar Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Cake Spelter, G H	Naworth Castle.
2	Bars Round Iron, no mark	Australia.
4	Cases, [V. S. & C] 9-12	Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	Star of Denmark.
1	Case, [P] S. C. D. & Co.	Ditto.
1	Barrel, [X]	Ditto.
3	Kegs, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, [116]	Chychassa.
8	Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Casks, O M, 28th Regt., Rawul Pindee	Ditto.
6	Cases, [355] S B D & S 1-6	Ditto.
17	Packages, [S E] S B D & S	Ditto.
6	Packages, [28] R B	Ditto.
1	Parcel, Badam Ross, Esq., care of King, Hamilton & Co.	Ditto.
1	Bag, [M] R E	Pemba.
1	Chest, no mark	Fathe Salem.
2	Plates, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, [N T]	Japan.
1	Bag, J N	Africa.
64	Piece Crockeryware, &c., no mark	Merkara.
1	Bag, [R B] F P	Star of Denmark.

N.B.—The above will be sold, if not cleared within the 9th of November 1878.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
2	Bars Iron, no mark ...	... City of Ningpo.
1	Bundle Rattan, no mark...	... Arratoon Apear.
3	Bars Iron, no mark ...	... Peter Stuart.

N.B.—The above landed under the Act, will be sold, if not cleared within the 9th of November 1878.

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS, the 19th October 1878.

Government Cinchona Febrifuge.

AN EFFICIENT SUBSTITUTE FOR QUININE.

PRICE to the general public rupees twenty per pound tin. To Government Offices for Government purposes, and to wholesale purchasers of not less than twenty pounds, rupees sixteen and annas eight per pound. Postage of each tin annas twelve extra. Cash to accompany all orders.

Apply to Superintendent, Botanical Garden, Howrah, near Calcutta.

Notice.

THE Public are hereby informed that the well known Kartick Baruni Mela, which is held on the banks of the Dhaleshwari, near Munshigunge, in the Dacca district, will commence on the 9th November 1878 A.D., corresponding with the 24th Kartick 1285 B.S., and continue to the 8th December, corresponding with the 23rd Ugrahayan. Tradesmen, dealers, and others may, during this month, buy and sell there with advantage.

Notice to Contractors and others.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of fitted iron work and tiles needed for the construction of a Leslie's patent roof at Burisaul.

All information on application to undersigned at the E. E. Hotel, between the hours of 2 and 6 o'clock, on the 20th instant.

(612—2) R. S. GLOVER, *District Engr., Burisaul.*

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot
22 " " 2-12 "
23 " " 2-14 "
24 " " 3 "

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at " 2-4 "
Under 7 feet, at " 2 "

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
ON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

Th 1877.

Manning Municipal Estate.

hy given that a further payment er cent. on the total admitted estate will be made to debenication to the undersigned on 1878.

W. M. SOUTTAR,
of 24-Pergunnahs,
f the Attached Estate.

(619—4)

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Execution Case No. 103 of 1878.

Bidyadharee Dassee, decreeholder, *versus* Mahomed Ahia and others, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold pursuant to a decree of the First Subordinate Judge of 24-Pergunnahs made in suit No. 15 of 1875, wherein Hera Lall Seal was plaintiff and Surfunnessa Begum and others were defendants, dated 20th July 1875, by the Nazir of the Court of the District Judge of 24-Pergunnahs, on 5th November 1878, the following property for realization of Rs. 72,575-4-6:—

Lot No. 1.—Judgment-debtor's right, title, and interest in the ten annas share of the 165 beeghas 14 cottahs 8 chittacks of land, paying an annual jumma of Rs. 178-9-0, situated in Dum-Dum, appertaining to sub-district and police-station Dum-Dum, in zillah 24-Pergunnahs, and bounded on the west by the paddy field of Bojlol Rohaman; on the south by Dum-Dum road; on the east by Bawa Kaha gardens; on the north by the public road leading to Dum-Dum, and of the garden called Muti-jhill, tank, trees, and two-storied building, &c., standing thereon. Supposed value of the said property is Rs. 20,000.

KRISHNA MOHUN MOOKERJEE,
(586—2) *Second Sub. Judge.*

CHARUCHANDER MITTER intends to apply for enrolment as Vakeel of the Calcutta High Court.
(623—4)

NOTICE.—Opendro Nath Chatterjee, B.L., Pleader, Bhagulpore Court, intends to apply to the High Court for enrolment as Vakeel thereof. (610—4)

NOTICE.—We have this day commenced business as publishers, &c., under the style of Day & Co.

H. L. DAY.
S. L. DAY.
K. L. DAY,

The 1st October 1878. (626—1)

Partnership.

THE partnership heretofore existing between Arnold Beer and Charles Reinhold, under the name and style of Beer, Reinhold and Company, carrying on business as country produce merchants and commission Agents at Agra, Cawnpore, Patna, and Rivelgunge, has been dissolved by mutual consent from this day's date.

The 30th September 1878. (604—1)

The East India Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is herewith given that the Thirty-second Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Thursday, the 31st instant, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report, passing the account for the half-year ending 30th June 1878, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAMSON MAGOR AND CO., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 16th October 1878. (616—2)

Great Eastern Hotel, Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the 33rd Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Old Court House Street, Calcutta, on Thursday, the 30th November 1878, at 3 o'clock P.M., to receive the Directors' Report, and an *ad interim* statement of account for the half-year ended 31st August last, to declare a dividend, and transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Directors,
A. CUMMING, *Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, the 21st October 1878. (622—2)

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the 4th Quarter ending 30th April 1878, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1876-77.

PARTICULARS.	In the 4th quarter ending 30th April 1878.	In the 4th quarter ending 30th April 1877.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance at credit of the Fund in the Government books at the end of the previous quarter.	56,79,292 12 0	52,67,567 4 1	4,11,725 7 11	.....
ADD RECEIPTS—				
Subscriptions from February to April in the Widows' Branch	1,03,187 5 0	1,00,778 5 11	2,408 5 1	.....
Ditto ditto Children's Fund ...	70,799 10 8	67,717 3 1	3,082 7 7	.....
Entrance fee, &c., ditto	716 8 0	895 5 0	.....	178 13 0
Amount received from Government of India for sums advanced to Widows and Orphans on account of the Mutiny, 1857 ...	3,357 10 5	3,427 9 3	.....	69 14 10
Interest on Reserve Funds and Divisible Surplus Children's and Widows' Funds passed to debit of one subscriber ...	57 12 0	686 4 0	.....	628 8 0
Interest received from the Government of India for 1876 77 ...	.....	3,22,941 1 5	.....	3,22,941 1 5
Total receipts ...	1,78,118 14 1	4,96,446 6 8	5,490 12 8	3,23,818 5 3
Grand total ...	58,57,411 10 1	57,64,013 10 9	a4,17,216 4 7	3,23,818 5 3
DEDUCT PAYMENTS—				
Pensions paid to incumbents in the Widows' Fund	59,623 12 7	55,493 15 8	4,129 12 11	.....
Ditto ditto ditto Children's Fund ...	40,090 7 1	38,855 10 8	1,234 12 5	.....
Cost of office establishment including house-rent, &c.	15,564 8 0	12,821 15 7	2,742 8 5	.....
Total payments ...	1,15,278 11 8	1,07,171 9 11	8,107 1 9	.....
Net balance in favour of the Fund on 30th April	57,42,132 14 5	56,56,842 0 10	4,09,109 2 10	3,23,818 5 3
Proportion of interest on Reserve Fund payable to subscribers of five years standing.	30,119 1 0	25,948 0 0	4,171 1 0	.....
Proportion of divisible surplus as per votes of subscribers ...	12,400 5 0	25,124 0 0	.....	12,723 11 0
Total ...	42,519 6 0	51,072 0 0	4,171 1 0	12,723 11 0

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of Subscribers	1,352	903	1,294	868	58	35	.....	..
Ditto of Incumbents	297	441	277	420	20	21	.....	..
Ditto of Subscribers sharing interest on Reserve Fund ...	739	521	674	467	65	54	.....	..
Ditto ditto ditto ditto divisible surplus ...	927	624	851	596	76	28	...	....

	Rs. A. P.
(a) Net increase	93,397 15 4
(b) " "	85,290 13 7

H. ANDREWS,
Accountant and Collector.

E. W. KELLNER, G. W. MACLEOD, } *Auditors.*

Published by order of the Directors,

W. H. RYLAND, *Secretary.*

FUND OFFICE, the 28th September 1878.

(618—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of GUNGARAM, of Puggiaputty, in Burra Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, and SEWLALL, of the same place, carrying on business in the premises No. 23, Puggiaputty, as traders, in co-partnership under the name and style of Gungaram Sewlall, Insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 16th day of October instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Kallynath Mitter, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of GUNGARAM and SEWLALL, Insolvents.

On Wednesday, the 16th day of October instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said court.

Kallynath Mitter, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 16th day of October 1878.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P.M.	23rd Oct.	*Pemba.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 "	25th "	*Umballa.*
Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland, New South Wales and Victoria, *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed)	6 "	26th "	From Bombay.
Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo.	6 "	27th "	*Madras.*
Persian Gulf	6 "	28th "	From Bombay.
Port Blair and Camorta	6 "	29th "	*Satara.*

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 25th October 1878.*

* Mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, and Reunion, can be forwarded.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 24th October 1878.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA.
The 21st October 1878.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M. 6 ,, 8 ,,	5 P.M. 5 ,, 7-30 A.M.	
Howrah	2-30 P.M.	2 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,, 6 P.M.	7-15 ,, 5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts ..	4 ,,	3-15 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Pubna, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
Ooloobariah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays Sundays..	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M. 7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		HOURS AT WHICH THE BRANCH POST OFFICE DESPATCHES TO THE GENERAL POST OFFICE ARE EFFECTED.				REMARKS.
		1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	11-20	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	11-15	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	11	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	11-40	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	11	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	10-50	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	11-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	11-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	11-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	11-25	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	8-32	1-2	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	11-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	11-20	3-7	5-30	
Baliaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.		First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	REMARKS.
		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office		8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar	N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar	C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla	N. E.	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla	N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-15	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
* Dhurmtolla	W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
* Napit Bazar	E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Baliaghatta	E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley	S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
* Park Street	P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore	S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore	S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Allipore	A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach	W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Sept. 1878.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post-Office on the 22nd October 1878.

Agabeg, Miss Mabel.
Anderson, R. Z. J.
Balwin, W. H.
Bowles, C. O.
Brown, R. H.
Brown, Miss A. D.
Brydges, H.
Burke, A. D.
Buskin, E. G.
Calp, H. Monsieur.
Campbell, W.
Christie, Miss.
Churcher, Miss.
D'Cruze, W.
DeNecchis, Esq.
Durio, J.
Elmslie, W. Wallace.
Findlay, Mrs. J.
Garrick, Mrs.
Hay, C. J. D.
Hepburn, Miss Mary H.
Hodges, J.
Jones, Mrs.
Joseph, A. M.
Keogole, M.
Lengis, D.
McGovern, W.
Moss, Henry.
Peglar, Thos. B.
Ravenscroft, Mr.
Smith, T. M.
Spear, Elizabeth.
Sutton, John.
Trotter, Miss.
Wills, W. H.
Wynn, John.

Letters marked "Care of Post-Office, to be kept till called for."

Ackhaya Chunder Dutta.
Adamson, Captain.
Aitchison, H.
Arun, G
Baloo Muljee.
Barton, John E.
Beattie, M. H.
Blanchard, Joseph.
Bridges, Colonel.
Brown, H. A.
Cadell, Colonel.
Campbell, J. F. M.
Cooper, Thomas.
Criniccass, Geo. A.
Daniell, Mrs.
Davis, James.
Dundas, P. A. C.
Edward, George.
Egerton, Brian.
F. S. L.
Fagan, N.
Farrel, Robert D.
Fazool Uddin (draftsman.)
FitzGerald, C. M. Lieut.
Frear, Aneta.
Gidden, Thos.
Gates, Henry.
Gayapershad.
Grief, Lieb.
Grant, F. W.
Griffin, G. E.
Harris, G. C.
Hart, J.
Hill, E.
Hormusjee, D.
Hubbard, Chas.
Hyne, Mrs. Isabella.
James, C. H.
Jennings, N. E.
Johnston, Captain R.
Kopenhagen, M.
Layborn, Daniel.
Linnes, G.
Littlewood, J. H.
Macartney, Miss.
MacIntyre, A. M. E.
"Marine."
Mann, John.
McDomell, E. H.
McWilliam, Miss.
Mahoney, H. C.
Maxwell, W. P.
Minton, J. O.
Muldoon, Thomas.
Rae, Lieut. R. I., R.N.R.
Rankin, Capt. H.
Ray, Surgeon-Major S. K.
Rutter, Mrs.
Sheldrake, Miss Hannah.
Sherriff, James.
Smith, Mrs. H.
Stern, W.
Stobie, J. C.
Street, T.
Sumner, J.
Taker, Miss P. C. O.
Thomas, Lt. R. E. N.
Toogood, J. H.
Trigido, T. (Engineer.)
Vaillan, H. J.
Vander, A.
Waller, A. B.
Warner, Daniel.
Walker, Hugh.
Wilson, Harry B.
Wilson, John Harvey.
Wilson, Mr.
X. Y. Z.
X. Y. Z.

Newspapers.

Betschart, Thomas C. O.	Leslie, Miss.
Cuthell, Jno.	Ludrick, Geo.
Dunkin, C. J.	McWilliam, Daniel.
Fagon, J. N.	Parrick, E.
Goode, Jas T.	Peglar, Mr.
Hormusjee, D.	Prince, John.
Hubbard, Chas.	Wallace, F. E.
Kingsley, S. Omer.	

Registered Letters.

Anderson, T. B.	Mackenzie, C. J.
Croyden, Mrs.	Mathews, Chas.
Fastena, F. F. V.	Proby, F. M.
Foster, Chas.	Ranier, H. (Inspr. Tra. P.O.)
Graves, H.	Robinson, Peter.
Konig, Frederick.	Rodgers, F.
Koru, L.	Stern, Philip.
Lean, E. Sergt.	

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master, Calcutta.*

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 18th October 1878.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	REMARKS.
BHAGIRUTTEE.			
Entrance below Joyrampore	4	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction.	4	0	
Entrance below Chourasia...	5	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	11	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	14	0	Goeriah.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	10	3	Lalbagh.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	12	9	Kalligunge.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	12	9	Gopeepore.
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance	12	0	
Thence to Tatarparah ...	4	0	Tatarparah.
From Tatarparah to Hat Bolia.	7	0	Dewangunge.
From Hat Bolia to Boalmaree.	13	0	Dasparah.
From Boalmaree to Alickdeah.	12	0	Moonsoegunge.
From Alickdeah to Kissengunge.	12	0	Bastoopore.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.			
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges.	5	6	
Thence to Junction with the Byrub.	4	0	Jellinghee and Boscmaree.
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	11	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	12	0	Dabeepore.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	12	3	Modoopore.
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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.—FORESTS.

Darjeeling, the 21st October 1878.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The Progress Report of Forest Administration in Bengal for the year 1877-78.

The report is again late in submission, owing, it is explained, to the adjustments in the annual accounts rendered necessary by orders of the Comptroller-General. It is, however, both full and interesting, Dr. Schlich having endeavoured, in view of his approaching transfer from Bengal, to place on record all the information regarding the reserves and their treatment that could be of use to his successor and to Government. The Lieutenant-Governor takes this opportunity of expressing his regret at the prospect of losing Dr. Schlich's services, and his high appreciation of the progress that forest conservancy has made in Bengal under that officer's able and conscientious supervision.

2. The only new forest area inspected during the year was that of the Koderma reserve, in the north of Hazareebagh, which was notified as a reserve

forest in July 1876, without having been subjected to detailed examination. The result of the Conservator's inspection in February 1878 went to show that the forest is in a very poor and reduced condition, and that it is desirable to release from the reserved area some 24 square miles of country in order to provide a supply of wood for the neighbouring villagers, who could then be excluded without hardship from the remaining area.

3. Only 40 square miles of forest were added to the Government reserves during the year, bringing the total area up to 3,430 square miles. It is in contemplation, however, to take up an extensive tract in the Chittagong Hills, and to increase the area considerably in Darjeeling and Julpigoree; while, on the other hand, the forests in the Damin-i-Koh have been made over to the care of the local officers. At the close of 1878-79 it is expected that there will be 4,406 square miles of forest under this Government, of which 823 square miles lie in the lower Himalayas and the adjoining Terai and Dooars, and the rest in Chittagong, the Sunderbuns, Chota Nagpore, and Shahabad. The open Sunderbun forests, which are Government waste, are also to be declared a protected forest and to be managed by the Forest Department. In view of this extension of forest conservancy in Bengal, the propriety of dividing the province into two Conservators' charges has been mooted and is advocated by Dr. Schlich. The Lieutenant-Governor would prefer to have one Conservator only, who should be at the head-quarters of Government, and to strengthen the staff of trained Deputy Conservators, but it may not be possible for the Government of India to arrange this.

4. The reserved forests as they now stand may be thus classified :—

		Square miles.
1.	Sâl forest, with savannah, mixed forest, and lower hill forest containing sâl	1,090½
2.	Khair and sissu forest	113½
3.	Upper hill forest	75
4.	Sundri forest	1,581
5.	Chittagong mixed forest	570
	Total ...	3,430

5. Demarcation was extended over 323 square miles during the year, and there are now only eight square miles in Darjeeling, 18 in Julpigoree, and 460 in Chota Nagpore remaining to be demarcated out of the 3,430 miles already taken up.

6. The policy of the Conservator has been to divide the forest charges into small manageable areas such as one executive officer can properly administer. He considers that there should be ten such charges in Bengal, to manage which two Conservators and 13 other superior officers are required. The present sanctioned scale gives nine officers of the rank of Assistant Conservator and upwards, and (say) two Sub-Assistant Conservators. Even if there be only one Conservator allowed, the Lieutenant-Governor concurs with Dr. Schlich in thinking that some increase of the forest staff will very soon be required.

7. For subordinate establishments of all kinds a lump sum of Rs. 3,500 per mensem is at present sanctioned, but this must be raised to Rs. 4,000 to enable the department to manage the areas now being added.

8. It is satisfactory to observe that there were during the year only 112 prosecutions for breach of forest rules as against 233 in 1876-77. The Conservator reports that the decrease is owing to forest protection having become more effective, and he considers that the few attempts made to violate the rules prove that forest conservancy does not press too hardly upon the people. The great majority of the cases occur in the Sunderbuns, where, however, conviction is difficult owing to the immense area under forest and the existence of private grants in the neighbourhood of the Government reserves. In 95 Sunderbun cases, conviction followed in only 26. In 17 cases instituted elsewhere, conviction followed in 11.

9. The forest officers cut during the year 55½ miles of new fair-weather roads in Kurseong, Buxa and Chittagong, besides repairing 63 miles of old road in Buxa and Kurseong and clearing 250 miles of boundary paths. The Conservator again refers to the advisability of opening out the old Teesta Valley road.

A survey of this route has already been ordered, and a good bridle-path will be constructed on general grounds.

10. During the year 111 acres were added to the plantations, making the total area 524 acres. The chief plantations are those of oak, chestnut, magnolia, and walnut (144 acres) in Darjeeling; of teak, toon, sâl, and sissu (406 acres) at Bamunpokri (in Kurseong) and Sitapahar (in Chittagong); and of sâl (36 acres) in Buxa. Systematic planting for the maintenance of the firewood supply of Darjeeling will now be undertaken, and 30 acres have already been planted in June and July 1878.

11. Dr. Schlich reproduces, in paragraph 29 of his report, a communication from Dr. King, Superintendent of Botanical Gardens, showing the result of the continued experiments carried on with certain economic plants and trees. There can be no doubt that neither the encalypti nor the carob tree are at all likely to thrive in the Gangetic delta. The prospects of Para and Ceara rubber plants are more promising. But neither the baobab nor the bamboo can be cultivated so as to yield a cheap paper stock. Some information should have been given by Dr. King as to the character of the plants grown from the seed supplied by Dr. Forbes Watson in October 1876. Though the seed was received without name, it is presumed that the plants, which have germinated to the number of 2,354, can be identified. The seedlings of *Prosopis pallida* would seem to be fairly thriving.

12. The year under review was particularly unfortunate as regards fires owing to continued dry and windy weather. Arrangements were made to protect 122,728 acres, but failed as regards 43,894 acres. The sum spent on fire protection during the season was Rs. 1,983. This is a most important part of the duty of the Forest Department, and it will be better to spend even more money if it will secure success in keeping out fires.

13. The financial results of the working of the Forest Department in Bengal for the last seven years are given in the following table—

Years.	Receipts.	Charges.	Surplus.	Area of reserved forests.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Square miles.
1871-72	87,260	67,506	19,754	106
1872-73	1,16,690	62,554	54,136	106
1873-74	1,23,732	81,068	42,664	120
1874-75	1,85,914	98,654	87,260	1,467
1875-76	1,98,274	1,39,086	59,188	2,585
1876-77	2,22,401	2,11,689	10,712	3,390
1877-78	4,32,363	2,61,112	1,71,251	3,430

Upon this Dr. Schlich remarks—"These figures show that the revenue has been nearly doubled during the year under review, and the cash surplus has risen from Rs. 10,712 to Rs. 1,71,251. The value of stock on hand has fallen by Rs. 14,913: hence the value of the year's transactions amounts to Rs. 1,56,338, as compared with Rs. 87,468 in 1876-77, so that a great improvement has taken place in every respect. The Conservator feels confident that the surplus in future years will be still greater, and that the Government forest estates in Bengal may now be said to have become a source of permanent and increasing returns to the State."

14. Arranging the receipts and charges of 1877-78 according to the main budget heads, they show as follow:—

Receipts.

		Rs.
Departmental timber operations.	From wood brought to depôt by departmental agency; from confiscated, drift and waif wood	1,70,621
Other revenue ...	From wood removed by private purchasers, &c.; from minor produce and miscellaneous	2,61,742
Formation, protection, and improvement of forests		
	Total ...	4,32,363

Charges.

	Rs.
Cost of timber operations by the department and in recovering drift; half the total cost of departmental cattle, plant and tools, and one-quarter the total cost of the establishment	1,24,366
Cost in connection with removal by private purchasers; collection of dues on minor produce; miscellaneous charges; one-quarter of total cost of cattle, plant and tools, and half the cost of establishment	74,068
Cost of forest organization; treatment and creation of forests; works for development of forests; one-quarter of total cost of cattle, plant, and tools, and one-quarter cost of establishment ...	62,678
Total ...	2,61,112

Upon these results the Conservator remarks—

"From these figures it follows—

"1st.—That the departmental timber operations have yielded a surplus of Rs. 46,255, equal to 27 per cent. of the receipts on account of timber sold from depôts, although the expenditure charged against these operations includes a portion of the pay of establishments, &c., of the Palamow, Sunderbuns, and Chittagong divisions, where no departmental timber operations have been conducted.

"2nd.—In spite of our having spent Rs. 62,678 on the formation, protection, and improvement of the forests, we have still a cash surplus of Rs. 1,71,251, which is equal to 40 per cent. of the gross receipts."

The Lieutenant-Governor considers that forest conservancy in Bengal may now be reckoned an assured success from a financial point of view, and, as it is elsewhere stated that with proper management the Government reserves will suffice to meet the wants of by far the greater portion of the province, there is every reason to be satisfied with both the present position and future prospects of the department.

15. The Lieutenant-Governor regrets to note that so many officers of the department, including the Conservator himself, suffered in health during the year, and that one very promising officer, Mr. Bonham Carter, died of dysentery contracted upon duty.

16. In the foregoing paragraphs the working of the department has been treated as a whole. The leading facts in connection with each of the forest divisions may now be briefly noticed.

I. The Darjeeling Division.—The division known in former years by this name has now been sub-divided into three forest charges, styled the Darjeeling, Teesta, and Kurseong divisions. In the division of *Darjeeling* proper there are at present 26 square miles of gazetted reserves, but the area will by the end of the current year be 38 square miles, stocked with oaks, chestnuts, magnolias, laurels, maples, and a great variety of other trees. The maple is assuming a very important place in the forests near Darjeeling, yielding as it does a very fair firewood, and being raised with the least amount of trouble. It will in future form the main standby in reproductive measures, the more valuable trees being planted here and there among the maple woods. There are now five acres under Spanish chestnut at Rungaroon, but the results are not satisfactory, and it is not intended to send more seed of this kind to Bengal.

17. The large and growing demand for firewood and charcoal for the cantonment and station of Darjeeling, and the tea gardens near, made it necessary to bring the working of the forests entirely under departmental control, and to exclude private purchasers from the forests entirely. The Conservator is thus able to clear and thin the blocks systematically, and to plant them up again. During the year 1,67,173 maunds of firewood and 5,872 maunds of charcoal were sold at an average cost of Rs. 24-2-3 per 100 maunds, giving a profit of about Rs. 8 per 100 maunds.

18. The receipts of this division were altogether Rs. 49,790, and the charges Rs. 36,692; the result being a surplus of Rs. 13,098.

19. *II. The Teesta Division.*—This division has not yet been fully formed. A large area in the Daling sub-division is about to be added to it, which will raise the area from the present figure of 61 square miles to 255 square miles. It will then be sub-divided into two charges—(1) the Teesta division, with 132 square miles, and (2) the Daling division, with 154 square miles. These areas contain all the various classes of forest found in the Darjeeling district at all elevations, and the lower ranges at any rate are certain to prove very valuable. This is not, however, as yet a paying division, its receipts being only Rs. 1,946, against an outlay of Rs. 10,188. But it is expected that the demand for timber, firewood and charcoal, likely to arise from the opening out of tea gardens in the Daling sub-division, will very soon bring the balance to the right side of the account.

20. *III. The Kurseong Division.*—This division comprises the reserves lying on the outer hills from Kurseong downwards, and in the adjoining

Terai. The total area, after adjustments with the Teesta division, and including certain blocks purchased from private parties since the close of the year, will amount to 75 square miles. There is no oak or rhododendron in this division, but with that exception most of the characteristic trees of the district are found. In the Terai, sâl is the prevailing wood, and there is also a good deal of khair and sissu on the river banks. The management of this division is peculiarly difficult, owing to the unhealthiness of the Terai and lower hills. It includes the Bamunpokri plantation already noticed, which now covers an area of 215 acres. In this originally only teak was planted, which so far was not done badly, but toon, sâl, and sissu have since been added. A few plants of mahogany were tried, but only three are now alive. The total outlay on planting up to date has been Rs. 28,118, and by 1880 it will probably amount to Rs. 35,000, after which the plantation will, it is hoped, be self-supporting. The expenditure will have been about Rs. 160 per acre, and, considering that the locality is one where the rank grasses have to be cleared five or six times each season, the Conservator thinks it not excessive, especially as every stick from the plantation will command a ready sale. A small plantation of India-rubber trees is also thriving. Fortunately, although the division suffered severely from fires, Bamunpokri escaped; but the average cost of this protection for the last two years has been 12 annas 6 pie per acre.

21. This division has supplied during the year large quantities of timber for the Northern Bengal State Railway and for the construction of bridges on the Ganges-Darjeeling road. Indeed, the Conservator is of opinion that these forests have now been overworked, and that the cutting of sâl should, if possible, be reduced for a year or two, until the extra cuttings of 1877-78 have been made up. The receipts of the division were Rs. 98,451, and the charges Rs. 45,930; showing a net surplus of Rs. 52,520, or Rs. 543 per square mile of the area actually worked.

22. *IV. The Julpigoree Division.*—This division consists of the forests between the rivers Teesta and Tursa in the Western Dooars. The area will at the close of this year amount to 169 square miles. It stood at 140 square miles on the 1st April 1877, and 12 miles were added in 1877-78. The forests suffered severely from fires during the year, no less than 5,900 acres having been burnt. These forests were much exhausted when taken up, and it was intended not to work them for large timber for at least 25 or 30 years. But the demand for sleepers for the Northern Bengal State Railway compelled the cutting of sâl both in 1876-77 and 1877-78. The receipts of the division were Rs. 12,580, and the charges Rs. 16,546. It is hoped to make it pay its expenses in future by the sale of firewood, charcoal, &c., to the tea gardens in the neighbourhood.

23. *V. The Buxa Division.*—The Buxa reserves cover an area of 250 square miles between the Tursa and Sunkos rivers in the Western Dooars. In this division an attempt is being made to protect the reserves from fire by planting a thick belt of sâl, 100 feet broad, along the boundary. Good progress is being made with this, but meantime the injury done by fires is very great, no less than 36,440 acres having been burnt in the year out of an area of 103,900 acres sought to be protected. The Conservator observes, however, that the people in the neighbourhood of the forests are beginning to understand better the necessity of caution in setting fire to grass and to co-operate better with the department. He is sanguine of success eventually.

24. This division also has felt the demand for sleepers and timber for the Northern Bengal State Railway, and 2,776 green trees and 1,932 dry trees and pieces were cut during the year. The actual receipts were, however, only Rs. 37,153, against charges amounting to Rs. 50,658. This deficit is, however, owing to the fact that Rs. 12,095 were disbursed during the year on account of former years, and that a large stock of sleepers cut and carted during the year were only made over and paid for in April. The division is now really a *surplus* division.

25. *VI. The Palamow Division.*—The blocks of forest to be reserved in this division were re-arranged during the year so as to secure greater compactness. It now comprises 216 square miles—179 in Palamow and 37 in Shahabad. There are difficulties in connection with the boundaries of the Rhotas block in Shahabad, which the revenue authorities are now investigating.

Nothing has yet been done in this division beyond demarcation. The forests need rest, and only minor produce and a small quantity of timber to meet local requirements can be sold. The receipts of the year were Rs. 1,006, and the charges Rs. 16,088.

26. *VII. The Sunderbuns Division.*—The area of the reserves is here unchanged, amounting to 1,581 square miles. The area outside the reserves, used chiefly for fuel forest, is to be shortly placed under departmental management as a protected forest, and the establishment will have to be reorganised accordingly. But, meantime, great progress has been made in checking the removal of wood without payment. Thus, in 1876-77, the department had cognizance of the removal of only 43,18,157 maunds, but in 1877-78 it collected dues on 91,03,250 maunds. The receipts were Rs. 1,73,999, and the charges only Rs. 33,453; giving a surplus of Rs. 1,40,546, or Rs. 89 per square mile. The actual charges made are extremely low—one anna per maund for sundri timber, and one pice per maund for any other timber and firewood.

27. *VIII. The Chittagong Division.*—The present area of the reserves in Chittagong is 570 square miles, but it is in contemplation to increase the reserves to 1,350 square miles; and it has been decided in any case to give over all the rest of the district forests to the management of the Deputy Commissioner, reducing the rate of river tolls on produce from these open tracts to a small *ad valorem* fee. The Sitapahar plantation in this division has now 185 acres under teak. With this it is proposed to mix toon, and it is intended to plant jarul in the lower parts of the reserve where teak does not flourish. The reserves have not yet been worked for timber, and the income from river tolls during the year showed a still further falling off as compared with 1876-77, the receipts being Rs. 57,378 and charges Rs. 27,132; giving a surplus of Rs. 30,246, against Rs. 39,445 in the previous year, Rs. 64,953 in 1875-76, and Rs. 98,608 in 1874-75. The people have been suffering from bad seasons, and there is an import of cheaper timber from Arrakan.

28. *IX. Koderma and Saranda Pir.*—The Koderma reserve in Hazareebagh is to be reduced to 36 square miles. Nothing has yet been done in it or in the Saranda Pir reserve of 400 square miles in Singbhoom.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE BOARD'S REPORT UPON THE LAND REVENUE ADMINISTRATION OF THE LOWER PROVINCES FOR THE YEAR 1877-78.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.—LAND REVENUE.

Calcutta, the 22nd October 1878.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The Board's report upon the Land Revenue Administration of the Lower Provinces for the year 1877-78.

The Board again complain of the delay in the submission of the divisional reports. These delays are almost invariably caused by the want of proper arrangements in the district and sub-divisional offices. Until district officers insist on their sub-divisional officers submitting their reports strictly up to time, they cannot hope to get the district reports out upon due date, the divisional and departmental reports are delayed, and Government finds itself annually reviewing facts that are stale, and giving orders that only take effect a year after the event that called them forth. The Lieutenant-Governor is determined to enforce greater punctuality in future, so far as it may be possible for Government to enforce this, and orders will shortly issue to that end.

2. The chief features in the land revenue administration of the year have been the operations under the Land Registration Act VII (B.C.) of 1876, and the introduction of the Public Works Cess Act II (B.C.) of 1877. It was only in April 1877, towards the close of the six months' term of grace allowed by the notifications under the first of these Acts, that proprietors of estates came forward generally to comply with its provisions. The work thrown thereby upon Collectors and their establishments has been extremely heavy and will be noticed in detail below.

3. The total number of estates on the revenue roll in 1877-78, as compared with 1876-77, is shown in the following table:—

Class of estates.		1877-78.	1876-77.
I.—Permanently settled estates	...	136,228	132,571
II.—Temporarily ditto	...	7,560	7,498
III.—Government estates ...	...	2,569	2,432
IV.—Ryotwari tracts ...	...	23	27
		146,380	142,528

The increase in Class I is said to be mainly due to partitions of estates in the Behar division. Of the total increase of 3,657 estates, 3,284 would seem to be accounted for in this way. Of the remainder, 332 are explained by the separate enrolment in Dacca and Backergunge of blocks hitherto lumped up with other estates, while 41 estates were added in Mymensingh, which had been omitted by mistake. No explanation is given of the fluctuations in the number of estates under Classes II, III and IV.

4. The Board remark that the increasing number of estates, and the increasing number of shareholders who make separate payments, have caused serious embarrasment in the treasury and account departments of many districts. A committee is now sitting to consider whether it may not be possible to simplify the system of land revenue accounts, and strengthen at the same time the treasury establishments. Something has also been done to prevent further increase of work by amalgamating the accounts of the road cess and Public Works cess to a certain extent.

5. The current land revenue demand for the year, including malikana, revenue of police lands, and quit-rents of tributary mehals, stood thus, as compared with 1876-77, for each class of estates :—

	1877-78. Rs.	1876-77. Rs.
Class I	3,23,37,283	3,24,05,915
„ II	24,01,457	23,00,897
„ III	16,38,545	15,39,444
„ IV	5,18,682	4,81,085
Total ...	3,68,95,967	3,67,27,341

The demand shows fluctuations in nearly every district, but these are for the most part nominal, caused by transfers and adjustments of account. The report should have stated clearly the amount of the actual increase, but the only fact noted is that in Midnapore an increase of Rs. 60,000 is due to the settlement officers' proceedings, and that some further unspecified sum is due to the settlement of Tooshkhally and other estates. The Lieutenant-Governor would like to know what department was to blame for the failure to inform the Deputy Commissioner of Hazareebagh of the increased rental of the Kurhurbaree mines, referred to in paragraph 13.

6. The arrear demand was Rs. 20,73,191,* against Rs. 17,87,823 of the year preceding. The total demand of the year was thus Rs. 3,89,69,158.

	Rs.
* Class I	9,18,606
„ II	3,92,458
„ III	6,48,654
„ IV	1,13,473
Total ...	20,73,191

7. The current collections in each class of estate compare thus—

	1877-78. Rs.	1876-77. Rs.
Class I	3,16,24,007	... 3,15,40,506
„ II	21,63,506	... 21,06,082
„ III	10,63,036	... 10,80,301
„ IV	4,20,244	... 3,94,153
	3,52,70,793	3,51,21,042

The percentage on current demand was 95·59, against 95·35, or slightly in favour of 1877-78. The arrear collections were in—

	Rs.
Class I	8,16,078
„ II	2,20,909
„ III	3,66,225
„ IV	91,661
	14,94,873

or 72·10 per cent., against 78·23 in 1876-77. Current and arrear collections together were Rs. 3,67,65,666, or 94·34 per cent. of the total demand, against 94·81 in 1876-77. The general result was slightly less favourable than in 1876-77.

8. The remissions granted during the year aggregated Rs. 84,056 thus—

	Rs.
In class I	8,598
„ II	3,888
„ III	58,363
„ IV	13,206

Dividing according to the character of the remission, the tables show—

	Rs.		Rs.	
Nominal remissions ...	17,888	against	48,818	in 1876-77.
Remissions of right ...	44,306	„	18,236	„
Ditto of grace ...	21,862	„	9,063	„
	84,056		76,117	

Remissions of right and of grace show a large increase. They are due to diluvion, sale of B class railway lands revenue free, taking up of lands for public purposes, redemptions, unoccupied holdings, and the like. They were heaviest in the 24-Pergunnahs, where they amounted to Rs. 15,507, and were swelled by the transfer of an estate to the Suburban Municipality. Remissions of grace were largest in Pooree—Rs. 15,067—where lands lay waste owing to the temporary falling off in the salt manufacture.

9. The unrealised balances at the close of the year were as follow:—

			Rs.			
In class	I	...	8,07,206	or 2·42	per cent. of the	gross demand,
"	II	...	4,05,612	or 14·51	"	"
"	III	...	7,99,575	or 32·96	"	"
"	IV	...	1,07,043	or 16·93	"	"
			21,19,436	or 5·43	"	"

against Rs. 19,19,294 at the close of 1876-77.

Of the total balance, Rs. 20,26,039 were in course of realization, and much has been collected since the year closed. About Rs. 93,397 will ultimately have to be remitted.

10. Under the heading of *permanently settled estates*, Class I, the heaviest balances were due in the following districts:—

	Rs.
Moorshedabad	1,92,644
Chittagong	1,59,177
Noakhally	94,731
Backergunge	40,632

The first three districts were the only ones in which the percentage of collection to total demand fell short of 95 per cent. Of the gross arrears, Rs. 1,00,433 represent revenue, the payment of which was suspended in Chittagong in consideration of damages done by the cyclone of 31st October 1876. Rs. 1,44,428 were being realised under the sale laws, Rs. 18,640 of this being in Backergunge, which also suffered from the cyclone. Of the remaining balance (Rs. 5,62,345), Rs. 2,49,290 have been realised since the year closed, and Rs. 3,12,929 represent sums due from Wards' estates.

11. The Board draw special attention to the very heavy arrears due from Wards' estates, of which Rs. 1,83,695 are due in the district of Moorshedabad alone. Under the law, the Government revenue is the first charge on each estate after the necessary maintenance allowances and charges for management. It would seem, however, that Collectors have been in the habit of postponing the payment of Government revenue to the claims of private creditors, acting under a desire to save, if possible, the estates in their hands from ruin and sale. The Board have, however, very rightly pointed out the illegality and impropriety of such a procedure. It is not the business of Government ordinarily to save the families of improvident landlords from the natural consequences of their own extravagance. In some few backward districts political considerations may point to the necessity of preserving old families and tribal leaders even in their own despite, but in the greater part of Bengal the Court of Wards exists, as the Board remark, mainly for the protection of the Government revenue. The Lieutenant-Governor trusts that the Board will see that these heavy arrears are liquidated as soon as possible, and a correct practice followed in future.

12. Of the balance of Rs. 4,05,612 due from *temporarily settled estates*, Rs. 21,170 have been realised, and Rs. 44,104 are said to be irrecoverable. The remainder was under recovery by various processes; Rs. 1,60,692 under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868. In Midnapore Rs. 89,912 were due from Majnamutha, a temporarily settled estate, but at present under direct Government management. The bulk of the arrears in other districts seems also to be due from estates either farmed or under the management of Government officers, and the Board refer to their remarks upon the balances in Government estates as applying under this head also.

13. The Board's contention appears to be that the standard of 90 per cent. collections required by Government in its own estates is altogether an impracticable one, if intended as a percentage on the arrear and current demand

combined; and they urge that, if the collections, current and arrear, amount to 90 per cent. on the current demand alone, they are really satisfactory. "The true test of efficiency is" (the Board submit) "the year's collections weighed against current demand, and separating the account of arrears and its percentage on the annual demand. If the collections fall short of 90 per cent. of the current demand, or the arrears exceed 50 per cent. of a year's demand, some good reasons ought to be adducible." The Lieutenant-Governor is unable to accept the Board's proposition in the form in which it is put. If every year 10 per cent. of the current demand is to be added to the arrears of previous years, which seems to be the effect of the suggestion, he cannot certainly admit that the management is satisfactory. The Lieutenant-Governor is, however, willing to allow that undue importance may have sometimes been attached to the bare percentage of collections, looked at with reference to the total arrear and current demand of a single year, and he is aware that it is impossible in zemindari management to avoid at times allowing a considerable proportion of the current year's demand falling over into the year following. What has really to be looked at is whether the arrear demand in each estate is inordinate in amount, and whether it is increasing or lessening. When an estate is in a healthy state, the collections, taken one year with another, should be equal to the full current rental of the property. That a part of such collections is nominally on account of arrear rents makes no real difference. The management is so far entirely satisfactory. When, owing to bad seasons or other calamity, the collections of one year have been bad, it is obviously the duty of the management to recover the short collections as soon as practicable from the harvests of future years together with the current rental; and in that case the results cannot be considered satisfactory, unless the collections exceed the gross annual rental of the property by an amount proportionate to the short collections of the past. It is, however, in all cases better to write off rents really irrecoverable than to keep them for years on the books of an estate as an arrear demand against the ryots. Nothing disheartens a ryot so much as the knowledge that his payments of to-day are being credited to the rents of three years ago. Current collections would, the Lieutenant-Governor believes, be in many estates materially improved by a final, and even liberal, clearance of arrear accounts, and he would wish the Board to direct their special attention to this matter.

14. Adopting the test proposed by the Board, and applying it to the current year, it appears that the actual collections in the *Government estates* during the year were, as shown above, Rs. 14,29,261, or only 88 per cent. of the current demand, and the balances Rs. 7,99,575, or about 49 per cent. of that demand. At the close of 1876-77 the balances were only 41 per cent. There has therefore been a falling off in results, but this is mainly attributable to short collections in the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions, due partly to the cyclone and partly to bad administration in Noakhally. Omitting those divisions, the collections of the year were only Rs. 17,943 short of the current demand, and the balances were less than 25 per cent. of that demand. It is hoped that the results of the current year may show a general improvement.

There are still great differences between the results obtained in different districts, to which the attention of the Board should continue to be directed.

15. The *ryotwaree tracts* are practically Government estates, and here the collections were nearly 99 per cent. of the current demand, and the gross balance at the close of the year was about 20 per cent. of a year's demand, most of it being realizable. The results are on the whole satisfactory.

16. During the year 56 Government estates, with an area of 2,113 acres, and a Government demand of Rs. 1,541, were sold for Rs. 35,225; 52 plots of railway B lands, with an area of 201 acres, were sold revenue free for Rs. 9,677; and seven plots of C lands (area 23 acres) for Rs. 549. The price originally paid for these railway lands was Rs. 294. Eight plots of A land were given up and sold for Rs. 4,523, the area being 52 acres.

17. In paragraphs 62 to 74 of their report, the Board discuss the general features of the direct management of Government estates, especially with reference to the working of the tehsildari system. There were 8,380 estates under direct management during the year, or 139 more than in 1876-77. The collections were Rs. 8,29,042, against Rs. 7,65,063, and the charges amounted to

7 per cent. on the collections, slightly in excess of those of the preceding year. In Chota Nagpore direct management does not answer. The ryots there are accustomed to look up to the village head man, who generally acts as petty farmer of the village, and it has been admitted that a farming system of this kind is not open to the same objections as the *ticcadari* farms of Behar. In Julpigoree and Darjeeling the tehsildari establishments work satisfactorily, though the revenue systems of those districts are not in all respects satisfactory at present. In the Chittagong Division the results are extremely unsatisfactory. The Lieutenant-Governor would wish the Board to report specially on the results in Chittagong and Noakhally, and to submit any suggestions for improving or modifying the system as now applied there. In the Dacca Division also the results are unfavourable, and it seems very doubtful whether the scattered churs of Backergunge can ever be brought under cultivation, and be settled and properly managed by any such Government agency. There is no object in perpetuating a system which is found to be entirely unsuited to the circumstances of a tract, merely because it is of recent introduction. The Lieutenant-Governor agrees with Mr. Peacock that "in large, well-cultivated, compact-lying groups of estates there should be no difficulty, if the tehsildari establishment is properly supervised, in making this kind of management a success." But where ryots have to be brought in and settled, reclamation effected, and advances made, or where the Government estates are small and widely scattered, there is no avoiding the necessity of introducing middlemen, such as the *howladars* of Backergunge, making it their interest to do what the machinery of Government is too inelastic to undertake with efficiency. In Behar, on the other hand, the direct system has worked well and benefits both the ryots and the revenue, and in the Presidency Division also, where the condition of the estates is more settled, and the people more advanced, the results are also satisfactory as a rule. The Board must re-consider carefully the whole subject of direct management in the light of the foregoing remarks. Where it can be worked with any reasonable prospect of success, it should be maintained. Where it is clearly unsuited to the circumstances of the tract or estates, it should be modified or abandoned. Where it is continued, the Lieutenant-Governor would like to see young Assistant Collectors put more frequently in charge of that department in the Collector's office. They should be sent out to visit and report upon the Government estates, to look after the tehsildars, to enquire into the state of the royts, and in this way be allowed to gain a more intimate knowledge of the country and its land system than they are likely to gain from trying cases of assault and petty theft in court. The Sub-Deputy Collectors might also be more fully utilised in the inspection and supervision of tehsildari establishments and in the management of Government estates.

18. The *miscellaneous revenue* of the year amounted to Rs. 2,13,277, against Rs. 1,38,551 in 1876-77. The outstanding balance at the close was Rs. 83,768, but of this the greater part was nominal, and should be written off.

19. There were 200 original settlements effected during the year, giving a revenue of Rs. 19,090. There were 316 re-settlements, involving a revenue of Rs. 76,483, and 217 summary settlements with a revenue of Rs. 1,41,246. The net increase of revenue from all these settlements was Rs. 43,224. The work actually finished was thus of comparatively small importance. But there were 1,187 settlements pending at the close of the year involving a revenue of Rs. 9,77,083.

20. In Chittagong the noabad settlement is progressing, and the following table shows the outturn of the last two years :—

	Area measured.	Number of separate plots.	Cost of measurement.	Cost per 100 acres.
	Acres.		Rs.	Rs. A. P.
1877-78	137,082	166,674	24,083	17 14 2
1876-77	107,405	138,973	20,288	18 14 3

It has now been decided to make a survey of the whole thana of Chukerea in the ensuing field season in the hope that the result may serve as a guide to the further noabad operations, and as a test of the results likely to be gained by a

thorough re-survey of the district. Meantime, the Lieutenant-Governor has, in communication with Mr. Dampier, the Senior Member of the Board, settled many important questions in connection with the settlement of the noabad talooks themselves.

21. Of the other pending settlements, the most important are those of Khoorda, the Western Dooars, the Darjeeling Terai jotes, and the Majnamutha and Jellamutha estates in Midnapore. In Khoorda the settlement is being preceded by a cadastral survey ordered some years ago which has hitherto been worked on a plan costing far more than the results are practically worth. The question of altering the system is under consideration, meantime but little progress has been made with the settlement. In the Dooars, out of 242,819 acres, 187,554 had been measured. The rates have recently been referred to Government for orders, and the work is going steadily on. In the Terai, out of 125,000 acres under settlement, there were only 22,000 acres remaining to be measured in April 1878. There is much work still to do in settling the rates and other matters, and the operations are not likely to close before December 1879. The settlement of the temporarily settled estates of Majnamutha and Jellamutha in Midnapore has now practically been completed, and is expected to give an increase to the Government revenue of Rs. 1,36,514, or 63¼ per cent. over the former revenue. The Lieutenant-Governor has satisfied himself that, notwithstanding the large increase, the rates are really extremely moderate, and the enhancement is nothing like proportionate to the rise in the value of the produce since the estate was last settled thirty years ago.

22. In connection with the Midnapore settlements, the Board sum up the result of the labours of the special settlement officer, Mr. Price, who has now left the district after working there since December 1871. Notwithstanding the fact that for two years of that time he was chiefly occupied in supervising the cadastral survey of the irrigable area of Midnapore, besides having charge of the office of Senior Superintendent of Survey, Mr. Price has settled about 80 estates in all, including the large properties of Majnamutha and Jellamutha, comprising 21 pergunnahs in themselves; pergunnah Palaspur with its 18 estates, and pergunnahs Kalianpore and Balorampore, both of considerable size. A large number of the estates settled consisted of relinquished salt lands, difficult to trace, and now settled for the first time. The aggregate proposed increase of revenue is Rs. 1,82,750, or 68·4 per cent. over the former jumma, and of this it may safely be assumed that at least Rs. 1,60,000 will eventually be obtained. The total expenditure has been Rs. 4,70,074, on which the increase of revenue may be taken to represent interest at about 34 per cent. per annum. The results are satisfactory, though, as the Board point out, it must not be forgotten that much of the increase is really secured by the embankent works in Hidgellee, the outlay on which is not taken into account here.

23. The work of settlement in Bengal has been much facilitated by the passing of Act III (B C.) of 1878, which lays down a procedure to be followed for bringing the under-tenants and ryots to an early decision with respect to the settlement officers' rates, and giving *a priori* validity to these until they are set aside by a decree of court.

24. The Estates Improvement Fund showed receipts of Rs. 1,10,702 and disbursements of Rs. 1,06,950 during the year. Some account should have been given of its administration.

25. The paragraphs of the report which deal with irrigation, drainage, and embankments, will be considered in the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch.

26. The Subordinate Executive Establishments of Sub-Deputy Collectors and Canoongoes have continued to render excellent service. There is some difference of opinion as to whether they are most usefully employed in out-door work or in assisting the regular staff, sub-divisional officers and others, with their office work, so as to enable these last to go more frequently into the interior. The Board hold that, though the Sub-Deputy Collectors should be employed on out-door work, and should be systematically sent out once or twice a month on special enquiries, they can do most good by relieving sub-divisional officers of routine, and enabling them to give more time to more important work. It is also urged that the pay of second class canoongoes should be increased.

The Lieutenant-Governor is disposed to think that the primary duties of Sub-Deputy Collectors and Canoongoes should be in the interior amongst the people, and they should be made to supply a link in the communication between the sub-divisional officers and the villagers, which is very much required, though of course it is open to a sub-divisional officer to place them temporarily in charge of office duties when he is himself in the interior of his district. They must not be allowed to become mere office assistants, but should be two thirds of the year at least travelling about their circles.

27. The following table shows the statistics of land registration work for each division :—

Division.	Applications received to 31st March 1878.	Disposed of up to 31st March 1877.	Disposed of in 1877-78.	Pending on 1st April 1878.	Expenditure during 1877-78.
					Rs.
Burdwan	69,885	825	30,991	38,069	10,729
Presidency	53,761	184	18,116	35,461	7,229
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar ...	28,102	88	10,825	17,189	4,547
Dacca	76,619	214	29,102	50,303	15,441
Chittagong	55,687	297	9,188	46,202	12,286
Patna	234,994	2,917	97,313	134,764	28,159
Bhagulpore	52,563	2,263	16,852	33,448	5,833
Orissa	136,364	945	12,245	123,174	16,392
Chota Nagpore	3,952	9	3,381	562	756
Total ...	7,11,927	7,742	2,28,013	4,79,172	10,172

Both in Dacca and Chittagong the work to be done is much greater than appears in the table, owing to the numerous cases in which applications regarding different shares, and even different properties, have been filed in one and the same petition. Notwithstanding the minute sub-division of properties in Behar, as clearly marked in the figures of the table, the work has made better progress in that division than in any other, there being less doubt as to the actual shares, owing probably to their having generally been split off by formal partition. In Orissa the number of rent free tenures is very large, and as these were treated by the settlement officers as revenue free properties, the work of registration will be very heavy, unless it is decided to exempt petty estates of this class. The matter is under consideration. On the whole, in most districts satisfactory progress has been made in disposing of applications under the Act, and recognizing the importance of completing the work as soon as possible, the Lieutenant-Governor has expressed himself willing to sanction extra agency wherever the Board think this to be really required.

28. The Lieutenant-Governor approves of the Board's proposal that Commissioners and the Board should in future, in their Annual Land Revenue Reports, notice the main facts in connection with the working of the Road Cess and Public Works Cess Acts as regards valuations, assessments, and collections. But it is unnecessary to go into minute detail in this report, as the returns of the road cess must still, owing to the difference between the financial and the road cess years, be separately compiled and reviewed long before the land revenue report is due. The Public Works cess came into force in June 1877, and three quarters' cess became due within the financial year 1877-78. The demand for the three quarters was Rs. 25,91,062, and the collections were Rs. 20,47,680. For convenience of collection, however, the Public Works Cess year has now been made coincident with the Road Cess year, which runs from 1st October to 30th September. The demand of Public Works cess for the cess year 1877-78 is Rs. 34,99,334, while the demand for road cess is Rs. 30,63,845. In connection with the road cess, it is interesting to observe the manner in which districts group themselves as regards income from the cess on lands. Taking this at maximum rates, the districts with incomes of over a lakh of rupees would stand thus—

		Rs			Rs.
1.	Gya ..	1,96,736	9.	Shahabad ...	1,48,115
2.	Backergunge ...	1,93,455	10.	Mozufferpore ...	1,44,084
3.	Burdwan ...	1,60,045	11.	Rungpore ...	1,22,057
4.	Patna ...	1,59,944	12.	Bhagulpore ...	1,12,883
5.	Durbhunga ...	1,57,958	13.	Monghyr ...	1,09,387
6.	Sarun ...	1,54,070	14.	24-Pergunnahs ...	1,07,698
7.	Midnapore ...	1,52,150	15.	Hooghly ...	1,06,346
8.	Mymensing ...	1,49,057	16.	Jessore ...	1,02,287

with which may be compared the results in the temporarily settled districts—

	Rs.
Cuttack	40,729
Balasore	29,323
Pooree	27,348

The current road cess demand on lands and mines for 1876-77, the last cess year for which the statistics are complete, was Rs. 28,65,506, of which Rs. 25,04,911, or 87·4 per cent. were collected during the year. The arrears outstanding at the beginning of the year were Rs. 1,36,623, and of this Rs. 1,26,312, or 93 per cent. were collected. The arrear balance at the commencement of 1877-78 was Rs. 3,68,515, but this is accounted for by the fact that there had been a material increase in the number of districts paying cess. The house cess collections compare unfavourably with the land cess. Out of Rs. 49,812 in arrear at the beginning of the year, Rs. 8,225 remained unrealised at the end. Out of a current demand of Rs. 1,94,104, only Rs. 1,40,677, or 74·7 per cent. were collected. The expediency of abolishing the house cess altogether, now that the License Tax Act is in operation, is under consideration.

29. The Lieutenant-Governor is awaiting a report from the Board on the amendments which experience has shown to be necessary in the Road Cess Act. In many districts the time for re-valuation is coming round, and although the Lieutenant-Governor has decided that a general re-valuation of all estates is unnecessary, and that the rolls need only to be corrected where this is desired by the landholders, or where manifest error has crept in, the Board might consider in connection with those operations whether the road cess statistics compiled by the Deputy Collectors employed in the assessment might not be made more complete in form than they are at present. It seems to the Lieutenant-Governor that they just fall short of being a very useful index to the economical condition of each district. He would wish to have a special report on this at an early date.

30. The table of operations under the sale laws shows a very large increase both in the number of estates and shares liable to sale (8,077, against 4,825 in 1876-77), and in the number actually sold (907 as against 496). The Board remark that in neither year are the numbers of estates liable to sale accurately given, as in some districts an erroneous practice has been followed of showing under this heading only the numbers actually sold. This should have been detected before in the Board's or Commissioners' offices. It is, however, easy, by an examination of the tables, to see in what districts the practice has prevailed, and they only number some five or six at the outside. Comparing then the returns for the other districts for the last two years, the Lieutenant-Governor regrets to observe evidence of very considerable pressure upon the petty landlord class during the past year. The following table shows clearly where this was most felt—

District.	Number of estates defaulting in		Number of estates sold in	
	1876-77.	1877-78.	1876-77.	1877-78.
Burdwan	121	242	12	80
24-Pergunnahs	42	128	5	20
Jessore	79	151	3	9
Moorshedabad	48	240	15	46
Dacca	11	71	9	28
Furreedpore	50	116	5	12
Chittagong	1,2 5	4,032	286	373
Noakhally	67	213	4	15
Durbhunga	175	305	15	8
Bhagulpore	50	121	5	11
Purneah	118	211	6	12
Hooghly	.....	.....	5	24
Nuddea	.....	.....	10	24
Shahabad	.....	.....	8	48

Looking to the great number of defaults, it is satisfactory to observe that in most districts the sales actually made were comparatively speaking so few. Of the total number of sales (907), 851 consisted of whole estates, 50 of shares, and six of rights and interests. The revenue demand on them was Rs. 1,57,188, and their average revenue Rs. 173. The amount due was

Rs. 37,807, and the purchase money realised was Rs. 13,30,826, or a little less than nine times the Government revenue,—a result slightly less favourable than last year. Government had to buy in 84 estates with a demand of Rs. 16,416, as against 59 estates with a demand of Rs. 1,348 last year. Appeals against sales were preferred in 42 cases, and in 19 cases the sales were annulled: in 10 other cases the sales were set aside on the ground of hardship. The number of sales in Shahabad was swelled by the disposal in this way of the Solano estates, 30 in number, of which 10 were bought by the ryots for Rs. 2,19,320. It appears that the number of sales in the Patna Division has been increased, and is likely to be still further affected by a ruling of the Privy Council which is calculated to disturb the rights of purchasers under civil court decrees in cases where the judgment debtor was under Mitakshara law. To avoid this, estates are, it is said, allowed to default.

31. The Board consider that, on the whole, the sale laws have worked well, and that, if under-tenure-holders occasionally suffer, it is through their own laches in not registering and protecting themselves. It is suggested that it would prevent many temporary defaults from carelessness or intention if the Collector were required to impose a small penalty before exempting from sale. It may be possible to meet this by imposing a higher stamp on such applications under the stamp law, and the Board should submit definite proposals without delay, as that law is now under amendment. It is satisfactory to learn that there is no trace of any serious decline in the value of property on account of the Road Cess and Public Works Cess Acts, and that the results of sales under the cognizance of the Board goes to show that land is still the most coveted investment in the country, and capitalists are willing to take less than half the interest they would demand for loans on good security as an adequate return for an investment in land.

32. The total number of partition cases disposed of was 584, against 638 in 1876-77. In the Patna Division, where most of these cases arise, the number of institutions was only 89, against 331 in the preceding year, and the number pending on 1st April 1878 was only 688, against 1,056. A check would seem to have been imposed on institutions for the present chiefly by the new law, VIII (B.C.) of 1876, which forbids applications from those who are not recorded proprietors, while making the preliminary proceedings in partition cases more strict and formal. Proprietors have therefore in many cases to await the result of the land registration operations before they can proceed with the partition of their estates. The actual working of the new partition law cannot yet be reported on, as all the cases that have come up to the Board on appeal up to date have been under the old law.

33. There were only 40 cases of redemption of land revenue, all in petty holdings in Calcutta and the Suburbs. The total amount of revenue redeemed was Rs. 113, and the price paid Rs. 2,816. The total number of petty estates on which the revenue has been redeemed with their revenue, the price realised up to the end of 1877-78, and the number remaining to be redeemed, stand thus—

In	Number of estates.	Revenue redeemed.	Price realised.	Estates remaining to be redeemed.	Revenue to be redeemed	Price expected.
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta	803	2,014	32,553	10,687	20,216	5,05,400
Punchanogram	438	2,030	40,061	16,067	50,702	12,67,559
Chittagong	14,227	5,583	55,940	13,539	5,340	1,33,494
Chinsurah	21	67	1,360	2,050	4,061	1,01,525
Other districts	774	436	4,359	.....	.....	.....
	16,263	10,130	1,34,253	42,343	80,319	20,07,976

34. The total area of the lands acquired for public purposes during the year was 3,636 acres at a total cost of Rs. 8,43,794 plus abatements of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 240. The total area acquired under the old law (VI of 1857) up to the close of 1877-78 was 32,447 acres at a cost of Rs. 57,06,624; while 38,117 acres have been acquired under Act X of 1870 at a cost of Rs. 59,30,451. The average cost of all the land taken has been Rs. 167 an acre, but this includes all the lands taken up in and about Calcutta

for the Port Commissioners and Municipality, as well as for Government, lands which sometimes averaged over Rs. 70,000 an acre. The Board report that the Act of 1870 works fairly and well in most respects, and that the chief drawback is the necessity which exists under it for referring even the most petty cases to the civil courts when any single person interested fails to appear before the Collector. The rules under the Act have recently been revised and improved.

35. There were no sales of waste lands during the year, but in Julpigoree 118 leases, covering 6,744 acres, were given. Revised tea lease rules for Julpigoree and Darjeeling have just been published, and rules for the Sunderbuns, Chittagong, and other parts of the Lower Provinces are under consideration.

36. The working of the canoongoes and putwaries in Orissa is unfavourably spoken of by the Collectors of Cuttack and Balasore. The Board are to call on the Commissioner for special report, and the Lieutenant-Governor will await the submission of this with such suggestions as may be necessary for modifying the system. In Behar the reorganization of the putwari system is going on *pari passu* with land registration operations, and it is hoped that good will result from the measure, and that the rules laid down will prove to be efficacious. But in Bengal proper there seems great reason to fear that the practice introduced a few years back of appointing putwaries in every estate under settlement is, as the Board say, "vexatious and irritating to the landlords, absolutely useless for all practical purposes, and a waste of valuable Government money." The Lieutenant-Governor would wish to have a careful report on this point from the Board, after they have consulted the district officers and Commissioners. It should be specially stated what efforts have been made to render the institution practically useful; what rules, if any, have been laid down for the guidance of putwaries in these scattered estates; and how the rules have worked.

37. The following table shows the number of notices of enhancement and relinquishment under the rent law in each division for the last two years:—

Divisions.	Enhancement.		Relinquishment.	
	1876-77.	1877-78.	1876-77.	1877-78.
Burdwan	471	556	2,650	2,945
Presidency	1,719	1,384	1,302	1,237
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar	582	963	1,610	2,901
Dacca	1,674	1,501	485	388
Chittagong	476	909	206	302
Patna	1,779	497	483	355
Bhagulpore	1,089	665	2,250	1,451
Orissa	103	163	10	2
Chota Nagpore	323	188	25	24
Total ...	8,216	6,826	9,051	9,665

No general inferences can be founded upon these figures. The great decrease in the notices of enhancement in the Patna Division is accounted for by the figures of Durbhunga alone, which fell from 1,042 to 7. As has been repeatedly observed, the total number of notices is so small that the action of a single zemindar may materially affect the tables. In connection, however, with this subject, the Board re-produce quotations from district and divisional reports regarding the relation of landlords and tenants. Most of these have already been noticed by the Lieutenant-Governor in reviewing the annual general reports of the Commissioners. The Board, however, express a strong opinion that the whole subject of the rent law, and of the relation between landlord and tenant, will ere long have to be dealt with in a comprehensive manner. They say—

"The Board are of opinion that the whole subject of the rent law and of the relation between the landlord and tenant, will ere long force itself before the Government, and require to be dealt with in a comprehensive manner. It is an enormous subject to face, and so beset with difficulties, that there is great danger of its raising such a controversy as may destroy the possibility of any useful measure being passed; but such a measure is urgently called for. Whether the old condition of status, which is now rapidly receding, was inferior to the present relations of mere contract, which are year by year supplanting

it, may be an open question, but that the one system must disappear, and the other replace it, is now inevitable. That being so, it is the more necessary to be prepared with a code of law which may admit of being applied with equity and constructive effect, and the Board cannot say that the present code fulfils these conditions. Act X of 1859, replaced by Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869, have no doubt their merits, but the last 18 years' experience has shown many defects and mistakes in them which are continually sapping the agricultural prosperity of the country, and that the more effectually as the law is the more resorted to. The important subject of occupancy rights for instance, a most beneficial provision in its original conception, has now been reduced to a state of chaos by conflicting decisions, and it is uncertain whether more than one person can have an occupancy right in the same land, and if not, who of the many grades of under-tenants can successfully claim it. Again, the zemindar's right of suit for every kist the day after it is due, the ryot's right of depositing anything he likes and calling it his rent, all require to be carefully re-considered and kept within safer limits. Still more, the need of a simpler machinery for recovering arrears of rent, including cesses, is urgently called for. The difficulties of legislation may be postponed perhaps for another year or two, but the Board are disposed to think that the sooner the subject is grappled with the better."

The Lieutenant-Governor thinks it very possible that the revision of the Rent Law, desired by the Board, may have eventually to be taken in hand, though there is at present apparently no very marked demand for this, and he will be very glad to receive from the Board a draft of such a law. It is, however, of urgent importance to give the zemindar the means of realising more readily his undisputed rents, and at the same time to place the tenant-right of the ryot on a firmer basis, and these two ends the Lieutenant-Governor hopes to secure at no very distant date. He could not hope for any such result were the necessary measures made a part of a general codification of the Rent Law, which it might take years to settle.

38. In the districts in which rent suits are still tried by Collectors (Orissa, Chota Nagpore, Julpigoree, and Darjeeling), there was an increase of suits in all districts save Julpigoree, Singbhoom, and Manbhoom, the total number of institutions being 19,364, against 17,601 in 1876-77. The number of cases pending at the end of the year was 2,838, of which only 211 were of more than six months' standing.

39. The Lieutenant-Governor desires that the Board will impress upon district officers very strongly the great importance of their making a careful inspection of their offices in *all* departments at least once every six months. Officers of very junior standing are now-a-days of necessity frequently put in charge of districts before they have been able to gain a thorough knowledge of collectorate routine. They are thus entirely at the mercy of their clerks and amlah, and it would be a useful guide to them, and indeed to officers of all ranks, if the Board would prepare an inspection manual (on the model of the detailed queries already drawn up for the inspection of treasuries and sub-divisional offices), pointing out item by item the matters to which attention should be directed in the course of such an inspection. The Board might distribute the duty of drafting the *interrogatories* on the various departments among the most experienced and careful district officers, and after revision print and circulate them to all districts.

40. The Lieutenant-Governor presumes that the great number of pending cases in the Collector's business statement No. XX is explained by the number of undisposed of applications under the Land Registration Act. The Board might usefully examine this table a little more closely, and satisfy themselves that arrears of other work are not allowed to accumulate under cover of this registration work.

41. The receipts and disbursements of sub-divisional treasuries again show a falling off thus—

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
1876-77.	1877-78.	1876-77.	1877-78.
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1,30,89,157 ...	1,24,90,857	1,16,18,939 ...	1,06,55,544

In some instances this is due to special causes, such as the completion of large public works for which disbursements were made through sub-divisions. In many districts the cause assigned is the diminishing number of recoveries of the famine advances, which would of course affect receipts only. But the general cause which operates throughout Bengal on both receipts and disbursements is said by the Commissioner of Dacca, in the Board's letter No. 340, dated 16th May last, to be the short supply of currency notes and the restrictions placed on their use for purposes of remittance.

42. The paragraphs of the Board's report (206-7) making favourable mention of the services of particular officers will be forwarded to the Appointment Department of this office for information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

following Statement shows the quantities of the principal staples of Traffic imported into Calcutta from the interi during the month of July 1878.

IMPORTS INTO CALCUTTA.

hence imported.	FOOD-GRAINS.							FIBROUS PRODUCTS		OILSEEDS.					SUGAR.	
	RICE AND PADDY.			Wheat.	Gram and pulses.	Other food-grains.	Total.	Jute.	Gunny-bags.	Linseed.	Mustard.	Tea, Indian.	Cotton, raw.	Silk, raw.	Refined.	Unr fine
	Rice.	Paddy.*	Total (in rice).													
BENGAL.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Md
...van	2,04,197	4,653	2,07,105	5,032	3,750	622	2,16,509	507	17,750	3,298	785	179	... ..	43	.....	.....
...hoom ...	75,329	.....	75,329	.....	.....	.....	75,329	.....	... .	... .	346	.....	... ..	69	.....	.....
...pore	84,108	30,125	1,02,936	... ..	128	.....	1,03,064	.....	100	3,519	.....	.....	4	451	75	4
...ily	78,049	1,755	79,146	4,436	9,871	1,667	95,180	7,013	611,877	31,305	11,738	.....	650	5	4,126	13,8
...gunnahs	1,53,484	20,083	1,66,036	312	310	6	1,66,694	20,317	451,762	3,623	... .	.....	584	.....	6,716	18,7
...ca	52,876	.....	52,876	22,314	69,653	6,532	1,51,375	4,415	250	46,761	10,254	1,610	.....	1,227	2,314	5,5
...re	7,325	.....	7,325	410	2,753	.....	10,488	5,080	.....	6,628	150	.....	.....	... ..	... ..	25,7
...hedabad	72,565	.....	72,565	13,689	19,944	477	1,06,675	263	26,050	27,824	12,841	.....	.....	730	1,422	8
...epore	2,04,997	.....	2,04,997	.....	.....	.....	2,04,997	588	521,700	.....	... ..	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	...
...ahye	9,894	.....	9,894	1,151	4,158	.....	15,203	2,795	... ..	137	... ..	.....	.....	... .	.....	...
...pore	7	.....	7	41	.....	.....	48	2,867	4,150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
... ...	11,122	.....	11,122	.....	.....	.....	11,122	... ..	...	... ..	.....	.....	...	. ..	.....	...
... ...	380	.....	380	2,590	1,765	.....	4,735	1,23,391	240,200	9,729	6,233	.....	... ..	. ...	.....	...
...gorce	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	... ..	.....	.....	.....	...	2,381	... .	.....	.....	...
... ...	51,296	2,084	52,599	1,016	3,563	953	58,130	14,680	425	721	409	406	980	.....	.....	...
...edpore	70,199	450	70,180	1,148	10,668	1,122	83,418	73,,180	950	23,672	6,695	112	.....	.....	.....	2
...rgunge	1,49,175	.....	1,49,175	.....	150	.....	1,49,325	... ..	.....	458	953	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	...
...nsingh	1,725	.....	1,725	.....	100	.....	1,825	7,424	... ..	786	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
...rah	13,753	.....	13,753	.....	.....	.....	13,753	.....	5,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	...
...gong	... .	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	1,486	.....	... ..	.....	...
...nolly	6,533	.....	6,533	.....	... ..	.....	6,533	.....	.. ..	. . .	. ...	... ..	... ..	.....	.....	...
...tal of Bengal ...	12,47,014	59,150	12,83,983	52,228	1,26,813	11,379	14,74,403	2,65,835	1,880,654	1,58,261	49,804	6,174	2,218	2,525	14,653	64,1
BEHAR.																
... ...	17	.....	17	8,766	47,272	15,839	71,894	.....	... ..	1,78,802	56,771	.....	.....	2	700	
...bad	.....	.....	.....	2,274	2,217	.....	4,491	.. ..	.. ..	716	2,210	... .	... .	.....	1,153	...
...Herpore	.....	.....	.....	... ..	63	.....	63	.....	.. ..	8,939	10,303	... .	600	.....	.....	...
...nunga	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,618	.... .	2,618	.....	... .	24,324	9,908	... ..	.....	... ..	2,737	...
... ...	.....	.....	.....	28,458	1,421	262	30,141	.....	... ..	38,678	51,621	... ..	... ..	.....	300	...
...hyr	9	.....	9	16,082	62,719	1,015	79,825	.... .	... ..	22,161	7,066	.....	.....	... ..	.....	...
...alpore	1,038	... ..	1,038	81,801	30,787	18,484	1,41,110	400	.....	64,917	20,007	.... .	.....	.....	.....	...
...ah	.....	.....	... .	6,972	4,212	168	11,352	41	... .	7,996	7,524	3,952	.....	.....	.....	...
...h	2,021	.....	2,021	12,679	2,516	551	17,767	545	6,050	4,995	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	...
...al Pergunnahs ...	5,352	.....	5,352	9,337	11,620	825	27,134	.. ..	.....	5,318	1,020	... ..	... .	.....	.....	...
...otal of Behar ...	8,437	.....	8,437	1,66,369	1,74,445	37,144	3,86,395	986	6,050	3,56,846	1,66,439	3,952	600	2	4,890	
ORISSA.																
...ck	6,441	.....	6,441	.....	.....	.....	6,441	.....	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
...ore	18,249	966	18,853	.....	... ..	.....	18,853	... ..	4,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
...otal of Orissa ...	24,690	966	25,294	.....	.....	.....	25,294	.....	5,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
CHOTA NAGPORE.																
...roebagh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	521	8	. ..	.....	.....	...
...bhoom	512	.....	512	.....	.....	.....	512	.....	. .	. .	.....	87	.. ..	.....	.....	...
...l of Chota Nagpore	512	.....	512	.....	.....	.....	512	.....	.... .	.....	521	95	... ..	.....	.....	...
...d total of supplies in the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	12,80,653	60,116	13,18,226	2,18,597	3,01,258	48,523	18,86,604	2,66,821	1,891,904	5,15,107	2,16,494	10,221	2,818	2,527	19,543	65,
OTHER PROVINCES.																
...n	400	.....	400	.... .	.....	.....	400	.... .	.... .	....	2,409	25,755	17	1	.....	...
...-Western Provinces	303	.....	303	26,612	2,240	15	29,170	.... .	. .	1,65,714	1,32,844	804	3,294	7	3,910	
...ab	2	.....	2	5,140	252	264	5,658	.... .	. .	. .	1,819	779	373	57	.....	...
...tral Provinces	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.... .	... .	... ..	. ....	2,444	... ..	.....	...
...ootana States ...	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	... ..	... ..	.....	. ...	1,394	.....	.....	...
...bay	.....	.....	.... .	1	.....	.....	1	.....	3,600	. ..	.....	.. ...	12,894	.... .	.....	...
...ras	9	80	89	.....	5	.....	64	.....	23,100	... ..	... .	.. ...	2,964	.....	.....	...
...sh Burmah	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	. ..	800	. ..	. .	..	11	.....	.....	...
...r places	84	.....	84	.....	.....	.....	84	... ..	60,630	988	. . .	... ..	1,853	211	163	
...al import in July 1878	12,81,451	60,196	13,19,074	2,50,350	3,03,755	48,802	19,21,981	2,66,821	1,980,034†	6,81,809	3,53,566	37,559	28,259	2,797	23,616	65,
...July 1877	28,37,814	1,14,026	29,09,080	16,37,717	8,91,206	91,918	55,29,921	1,39,404	Not available.	10,35,900	4,38,808	Not available.	35,743	3,071	Not available.	N av at

The Sea-borne Trade of Calcutta in these staples during the month of July 1878 *was as follows:—*

...RTED FROM CALCUTTA—	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	M
...dian Ports, viz.—																
...ombay	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,962	.....	3,962	6,981	442,759	.....	.....	575	.....	.....	.....	
...adras	64,462	18	64,473	10,598	78,204	45	1,50,320	244	7,200	75	199	1	... ..	455	859	
...ther ports in Madras	1,12,372	.....	1,12,372	1,630	36,459	208	1,50,675	3,081	.... .	. . . .	.....	1	.....	59	2,042	...
...ritish Burmah ...	30	.....	30	12	131	22	204	172	11,300	... ..	45	13	.....	5	5,451	
...ther Indian ports...	5,319	.....	5,319	30	50	.....	5,399	3	19,785	... ..	1	4	.....	29	298	
...ondicherry	.....	.....	.....	549	3,207	.....	3,756	... ..	.....	. . .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
...otal of interportal trade	1,82,192	18	1,82,203	12,825	1,19,013	275	3,14,316	10,481	580,044	75	245	594	.....	548	8,650	1,
...oreign Ports—																
...nited Kingdom ...	28,285	80	28,335	58,167	1	.....	86,503	70,246	1,271,283	5,26,360	2,10,156	42,764	.....	645	.....	3,
...ther foreign ports...	6,54,399	24	6,54,414	31,035	75,885	19,487	7,80,821	67,292	3,437,231	42,012	5,120	68	4,585	1,067	1,690	
...otal of foreign trade	6,82,684	104	6,82,749	89,202	75,886	19,487	8,67,324	1,37,538	4,708,514	5,68,272	2,15,276	42,832	4,585	1,712	1,690	3,
...rand total in July 1878 ...	8,64,876	122	8,64,952	1,02,027	1,94,899	19,762	11,81,640	1,48,019	5,288,558	5,68,347	2,15,521	43,426	4,585	2,260	10,340	
...rand total in July 1877 ...	28,59,188	.....	28,59,188	14,91,202	6,80,663	56,749	50,96,802	1,00,819	3,296,117	6,63,329	2,58,385	45,331	16,254	2,205	1,13,695	

'he following Statement shows the several routes followed by the trade in the principal staples of Traffic imported into Calcutta during the month of July 1878.

IMPORTS INTO CALCUTTA.

Specification of routes.	Food-grains. Rice.	Paddy.	Wheat.	Gram and pulses.	Other food-grains.	Fibrous products. Jute, raw.	Gunny-bags.	Oilseeds. Linseed.	Mustard seed.	Tea, Indian.	Cotton, raw.	Silk, raw.	Sugar. Refined.	Unrefined.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
ountry boats	8,23,155	55,233	2,05,145	1,75,876	25,548	1,17,284	1,633,284	4,20,023	1,71,351	.....	2,705	548	15,315	40,734
iver steamers	.....	.....	41	.....	.....	59,558	.....	.....	2,887	23,792	17	1	.....	.....
ail { East Indian	2,22,461	.....	41,634	94,855	21,163	.....	.....	2,20,033	1,72,628	5,809	9,555	810	4,051	616
ail { Eastern Bengal	1,28,752	.....	3,187	33,009	2,085	87,189	246,225	41,560	6,694	6,472	.....	1,227	240	5,596
oad	81,886	3,917	342	10	6	2,790	7,195	193	6	.....	113	.....	2,047	9,574
ea	20,197	1,046	1	5	.....	.....	93,330	... ..	.....	1,480	15,869	211	163	385
nd total of imports July ... ... 1878...	12,81,451	60,196	2,50,350	3,03,755	48,802	2,66,821	1,980,034*	6,81,809	3,53,566	37,559	28,259	2,797	23,616	65,905
1877...	28,37,814	1,14,026	16,37,717	8,91,206	91,918	1,19,404	Not available.	10,35,900	4,38,808	Not available.	35,743	3,071	Not available.	Not available

The following Statement shows the quantities, values, and numbers of the principal staples of Traffic exported inland from Calcutta during the month of July 1878.

EXPORTS FROM CALCUTTA.

Whither exported.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
BENGAL.	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
rdwan	1,30,448	1,134	34,077	86,306
erbhoom	44,800	719	9,724	45,936
dinapore	56,601	1,098	2,300	6,926
oghly	1,60,418	2,903	4,121	78,285
Pergunnahs	1,45,937	485	11,251	8,069
ddea	2,91,547	2,083	17,622	7,636
ssore	1,200	4	25,065	.....
orshedabad	1,36,085	151	17,963	56,040
nagepore	23,490	25	8,445	3,400
jahahye	1,32,640	164	9,163	.....
ngpore	52,820	1	1,600	450
gra	8,400	20	1,650	.....
bna	2,64,160	502	62,965	100
lpigoree	71,120	51	100	.....
oca	4,88,760	1,888	39,645	2,600
rreedpore	1,59,120	1,551	34,888	2,500
ckergunge	25,920	1,339	32,490	.....
ymensingh	1,760	.....	8,850	.....
pperah	.....	.....	3,100	.....
ittagong	42,310	82	.....	.....
akholly	200	260	7,081	150
Total of Bengal ...	22,37,736	14,760	3,32,100	298,398
BEHAR.				
tna	5,05,890	497	66,454	230,822
ahabad	1,45,360	106	15,476	6,732
ozufferpore	57,120	.....	1,016	4,836
rbhunga	78,800	321	7,242	35,378
ruu	.....	.....	6,850	5,825
onghyr	48,720	260	10,418	51,010
hagulpore	1,32,800	536	23,543	51,233
rrneah	1,46,720	379	7,763	5,001
aldah	.....	.....	3,478	800
nthal Pergunnahs	1,62,160	514	9,958	28,870
Total of Behar ...	12,77,570	2,613	1,52,198	420,507
ORISSA.				
uttack	70,157	953	60	2,675
alasore	6,588	538	189	5,667
Total of Orissa ...	76,745	1,491	249	8,342

Whither exported.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
CHOTA NAGPORE.	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
Hazareebagh	12,320	13	1,772	1,476
Manbhoom	38,320	216	4,830	1,512
Total of Chota Nagpore ...	50,640	229	6,602	2,988
Grand total of supplies into the provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	36,42,691	19,093	4,91,149	730,235
OTHER PROVINCES.				
Assam	1,63,253	143	15,686	.....
N.-W. Provinces	14,68,210	3,334	8,940	205,714
Punjab	13,90,000	1,738	.....	120,756
Central Provinces	47,520	295	.....	756
Rajpootana States	76,560	34	.....	.....
Nizam's Territory	800	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	64,753	7	.....	442,759
Madras	56,332	456	766	7,200
British Burmah	3,50,893	329	.....	110,300
Other places	25,312	32	508	4,721,810
Grand total of exports in July ... 1878 ...	72,96,436	25,461	5,17,049	6,345,530
1877 ...	60,46,988	19,657	9,48,410	Not available.

The Sea-borne Trade of Calcutta in these staples during the month of July 187 *was as follows :—*

IMPORTED INTO CALCUTTA—	Rs.†	Mds.	Mds.	No.
From Foreign Ports—				
United Kingdom	66,13,957	14,962	5,76,112	4
Other foreign ports	47,311	478	89,808	60,626
Total of foreign trade ...	66,61,268	15,440	6,65,920	60,630
From Indian Ports—				
Bombay	2,592	.....	48,954	3,600
Madras	4,000	.....	.....	23,100
Other ports in Madras ...	.....	.. ...	8,800	.....
British Burmah	1,800	.....	.....	800
Other Indian ports	... .	.....	.....	5,200
Total of interportal trade ...	8,392	... ..	57,754	32,700
Grand total in July 1878 ...	66,69,660	15,440	7,23,674	93,330
1877 ...	84,40,837	15,339	8,91,665	77,968

The following Statement shows the several routes followed by the Trade in the principal staples of Traffic exported from Calcutta during the month of July 1878.

SPECIFICATION OF ROUTES.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
by country boats	1,16,404	4,004	2,06,960	165,540
„ river steamers	2,07,675	242	6,936	.....
„ rail ... { East Indian	46,41,040	10,517	1,64,574	884,088
„ rail ... { Eastern Bengal	14,40,570	5,427	44,724	.....
„ road	2,81,962	2,928	2,840	7,344
„ sea	6,05,785	2,343	935	5,288,558
Grand total of exports in July ... 1878 ...	72,96,436	25,461	5,17,049	6,345,530
1877 ...	60,46,988	19,657	9,48,410	Not available.

* Exclusive of bags obtained by local manufacture.
† As per tariff declaration value.

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT. RAJENDRA NATH MITRA.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 19th October 1878.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.		
	Western Districts.		
Burdwan Divn.			
1	Burdwan, Oct. 19 '78	1·26	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the crops are generally very good; but a little more rain would do great good.
	Culna ...	Nil	
	Cutwa ...	0·89	
	Bood-Bood ...	Nil	
	Raneegunge ...	0·50	
	Jehanabad ...	0·82	
2	Bankoora, „ 19 „	0·58	Hot sun by day. Nights getting colder with fog over low ground. The rain that fell during the week was just sufficient to save further damage; but the *haimanta* and *auan* crops, as the ear is forming, are in a somewhat critical state. Epidemic fever grows worse in the east.
3	Beerbhoom, „ 19 „	0·42	Weather—sufficiently rainy to keep the crops in good order. The early rice now being secured is an excellent crop. The late rice is fast ripening, and promises very well indeed. This and sugarcane would be benefited by more rain.
4	Midnapore, „ 19 „	0·27	Weather—sultry and cloudy. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. One more shower is wanted to secure a good harvest.
5	Hooghly, „ 19 „	0·05	Weather—sultry, with occasional showers. The harvesting of *aus* has been completed; the outturn is fair. The *amun* crop promises well. The prospects of the other crops are generally good. Fever is prevailing throughout the district.
	Howrah, „ 21 „	0·97	Weather—seasonable. The *amun* crop is making good progress. Jute is still being cut. Sugarcane has suffered a little from flood in the north.
	Mohesrakha ...	0·87	
	Central Districts.		
Presidency Divn.			
6	24-Pergunnahs Oct. 19 '78	0·35	Weather—hot, with showers that do good The state and prospects of the crops are favourable, with the exception of a few water-logged patches. Ordinary fever continues.
7	Nuddea, „ 19 „	0·74	Weather—fine, and somewhat cooler The *amun* crop is favourable everywhere. The sowing of winter crops is going on.
	Kooshtea ...	0·12	
	Meherpore ...	0·92	
	Chooadanga ...	1·44	
	Ranaghat ...	0·21	
	Bongong ...	1·04	
8	Jessore, „ 19 „	0·10	Weather—clear; growing cooler. The state and prospects of the crops are good; but damage is said to have been done to the *amun* crop by *majia* insects in the sub-divisions of Narail, Khoolna and Bagirhat.
	Jhenida ...	1·93	
	Magoora ...	0·3	
	Narail ...	0·66	
	Khoolna ...	1·85	
	Bagirhat ...	0·15	
9	Moorshedabad „ 19 „	0·31	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the crops continue to be good, and prices are slightly falling, although still high. Public health is generally good, except in thana Suti, where a severe outbreak of fever has occurred.
	Lalbagh ...	0·17	
	Rampore Hât ...	1·39	
	Jungipore ...	2·38	
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn.			
10	Dinagepore, „ 18 „	0·25	Rain fell on the 15th instant. The weather is favourable for the winter rice. The ground is being prepared for the cold-weather crops. New rice is selling at 15 to 22 seers per rupee.
11	Rajshahye, „ 19 „	1·19	There has been heavy rain during the week throughout the district. The prospects of the *dhan* crop are everywhere satisfactory. The rain of the week has done much good to the *ropa dhan* crop. The land is being ploughed for the *rubbee* crops. *Kalai* is thriving Public health is good.
12	Rungpore, „ 18 „	0·10	The weather has been dry and hot during the week, with the exception of the 15th, when there was a shower of rain followed by a foggy morning. The state and prospects of the *amun* crop are satisfactory. Public health is good.
	Gaibanda ...	0·8	
	Bagdogra ...	Nil	
	Kurigram ...	1·60	
13	Bogra, „ 19 „	1·02	Weather—clear and bright, with south-east wind blowing. The standing crops are doing well. Fever, as is usual at this time of year, is prevalent in the district, especially in Khetlal, Panchbibi and Badalgachi. One case of cholera and one case of small-pox were reported from Gohail; the former ended in death, and the latter in recovery.
14	Pubna, „ 19 „	Nil	Weather—fine and seasonable; northerly air. The *amun* is flourishing. Some lands are being prepared for the winter crops. Health is good.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)		
	***Central Districts.*—(Contd.)**		
RAJSHAHYE & COOCH BEHAR DIVN.—*contd.*			
15	Darjeeling, Oct. 19 '78	Nil	Clear sunshine during the week. The condition and prospects of the crops are reported to be satisfactory.
16	Julpigoree, „ 19 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. It is becoming cool and pleasant in the early mornings and evenings, but the midday sun is still very powerful. The *kaimanta dhan* crop is reported as forward, and *kalai*, jute and sugarcane doing well. The ground is being prepared for the tobacco crop It is reported from the east of the Dooars that prices range high in consequence of large quantities of rice having been exported. These high prices are likely to prevail till the *kaimanta dhan* comes into the market.
	Cooch Behar, „ 17 „	Nil	Weather—fair The sun is still powerful. Though the prosects of the late rice continue good, the price of rice in the town varies from Rs. 3-4 to Rs. 4; in some parts in the interior the rate is Rs. 4-8. There is some pressure among the poor people in pergunnah Lall Bazar. Rice is being exported in large quantities to other districts. The outturn of jute is reported to be satisfactory. People are busy in preparing fields for the cold-weather crops. Public health is good.
	Dinhatta ...	0·27	
	Mathabhanga ...	0·23	
	Meckligunge ...	Nil	
	Eastern Districts.		
DACCA DIVN.			
17	Dacca, Oct. 19 '78	0·67	Weather—seasonable; the state and prospects of the crops are fair.
	Manickgunge (for week ending 18th).	0·78	
	Moonsheegunge for week ending 16th.)	0·80	
18	Furreedpore, „ 20 „	0·95	Fair rain in the beginning of the week; weather latterly very hot. The crops are excellent. Reaping has commenced in some places. Public health is good for the time of year, though cholera has appeared in the Goalundo and Gopalgunge thanas.
	Goalundo ...	1·54	
	Madaripore ...	1·14	
19	Backergunge, „ 17 „	0·75	Weather—sultry, with occasional showers. The prospects of the rice crop are very good. Prices are stationary. Health is good.
20	Mymensingh, „ 18 „	0·23	Weather—fine and hot, with occasional showers. The rice crop on all except the low lands is favourable. No cold season crops are sown yet.
21	Tipperah, „ 18 „	1·15	Weather—fair. Rain fell on the 15th instant. *Amun dhan* is in a thriving condition.
	Brahmunbaria ...	0·60	
	Chandpore ...	0·90	
CHITTAGONG DIVN.			
22	Chittagong, „ 17 „	0·88	Weather—showery. *Amun* promises very well. 1,200 maunds of rice and 200 maunds of paddy have been imported.
23	Noakholly „ 17 „	1·28	The weather has been very warm, unusually so for this time of the year. The crops are doing well, but there are some complaints of injury from insects. Public health continues good.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 15 „	1·45	Weather—cloudy and rainy, with occasional sunshine throughout the week. The gathering of the joom paddy crop is nearly over The prospects of the late rice crop of the plough cultivators are good. The land is being ploughed for the mustard crop.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 16 „	2·60	There has been less rain than in the previous week. The weather was cloudy and threatening at the time of report. The outturn of joom rice is good, but in many places the cotton crop has been seriously injured by insects.
	BEHAR.		
PATNA DIVN.			
25	Patna, Oct. 19 '78	Nil	Weather—hot. Good rain is now required for *rubbee* sowings.
	Barrh ...	0·25	
26	Gya, „ 19 „	0.22	Weather—hot, and a little cool in the morning. Maximum reading in the shade 94·5° The prospects of the *aghani dhan* are favourable, but more rain is required. A few cases of cholera and fever have been reported The health of the plough cattle is good.
	Nowada ...	Nil	
	Aurungabad ...	Nil	
	Jehanabad ..	Nil	
27	Shahabad, „ 19 „	Nil	Weather—hot; occasionally cloudy. Misty in the morning of the 16th. *Rubbee* sowings have commenced, but the ground is very dry. The late rice crop is suffering from want of rain. Prospects are doubtful, unless there is immediate rainfall. Flights of locusts causing some local injury have been reported from the Bhuboosh sub-division. Fever is on the increase
28	Durbhunga, „ 19 „	Nil	The weather has become warmer. The crops should be fair in every case, but a further fall of rain would be a great advantage.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 19 „	Nil	Weather—very hot The condition of the rice crop continues generally good, but rain is wanted on the high lands. The *rubbee* sowings are progressing favourably.
	Hajeepore ...	Nil	
	Seetamurhee ...	0·91	

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
BEHAR.—(*Contd.*)			
PATNA.—(*Contd.*) 30	Sarun, Oct. 19 '78 Sewan ... Gopalgange ...	Nil Nil Nil	Weather—hot during the day, but mornings and evenings are cool. Heavy dew at night; sky clear; no signs of rain; east and west wind. *Rahar* and sugarcane are looking well and promise a large yield. Paddy in the high lands is being scorched for want of rain. *Rubbee* is being put in the ground. Prices of all grains are rising in consequence of the failure of *hateya* rains. Fever is still prevalent.
31	Chumparun, „ 19 „	Nil	Hot days. The prospects so far are good, but more rain is required for the *dhan*. The sowing of the *rubbee* crops has commenced. Prices have slightly risen.
BHAGULPORE DIVISION. 32	Monghyr, „ 19 „ Begusarai ... Jamui ..	1·07 0·02 0·99	Hot weather, with a little rain. All round the prospects of the crops are excellent. Cholera has broken out.
33	Bhagulpore, „ 19 „	Nil	Weather—sultry, with ever varying winds Seasonable good weather for the growing crops. The *bhadoi* is harvested; the outturn is excellent. Prices are falling. Fever is very prevalent.
34	Purneah, „ 19 „ Kissengunge ... Arrareah ..	Nil Nil Nil	Weather—still very hot. The mornings are pleasant. The crops still promise well.
35	Maldah, „ 19 „	1·02	Excellent rain fell on the 15th instant. Since then the weather has been fine and fairly cool and frequently cloudy. The crops have been greatly benefited by the rain of the 15th. Excellent reports of prospects have been received from all parts of the district. Fever is still very rife, but is rarely attended with fatal results.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 20 „ Deoghur ... Godda ... Rajmehal .. Pakour ... Jamtara ...	1·77 0·56 1·72 0·68 2·63 0·66	Alternate clouds and hot sun. The light rain during the week, which has been pretty general, has secured the *Kartick dhan*, which promises everywhere to be a very good crop. In the Sudder sub-division, on a line of country 50 miles long, which may be taken as a sample of about a quarter of the district, the early *dhan*, which ripens during Kartick, is both far beyond the average in extent sown, and extraordinarily good in quality. It is a bumper among bumper crops. The prospects of the late rice are excellent.
ORISSA.			
ORISSA DIVN. 37	Cuttack, Oct. 19 '87	0·55	Weather—fair and hot. The reaping of the *beali* crop is now almost finished, and the average outturn is 14 annas. The *laghu* or early *sarad* is in ear in some places, and the late *sarad* is progressing well, but it requires more rain. Cholera and much fever still prevail.
38	Pooree, „ 17 „ Khoorda ...	2·84 0·49	Weather—seasonable. Rain is reported from all parts of the district. *Beali* and *mandia* are being harvested. *Sarad* rice is progressing well. Prospects are fair Common rice sells at $11\frac{3}{16}$ to 21 seers for the rupee. Exportation continues.
39	Balasore, „ 18 „	2·40	The rainfall of the week has been highly beneficial; the early harvest proceeds; the winter crop is in good condition; cattle disease is still destructive.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Oct. 18 '78	1·98	Weather—generally cloudy, with breaks of sunshine. Heavy showers on the 15th and 17th instants. The state and prospects of the crops have improved by the late rain. Ploughing for the *rubbee* is proceeding. A few more showers will increase the outturn of the ripening *dhan* and the area of the cold-weather sowings.
41	Lohardugga, „ 19 „	Nil	Weather—unsettled, with clouds banging about. Rain is much wanted. The bright hot weather of the past three weeks has dried up the higher lands, and unless there be a heavy shower or two, the crops will be short, particularly in the Palamow sub-division. Rain is also urgently needed for the *rubbee* crops, and unless some fall immediately, there will be no *rubbee* to speak of.
42	Singbhoom, „ 18 „	0·70	Weather—warm and cloudy, but seasonable. The rain has done great good, but more is wanted. Prices have fallen a good deal. Sickness is again rife, especially fever and dysentery.
43	Manbhoom, „ 19 „	1·04	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable on the whole, but rain is still wanted for some of the higher transplanted lands. The fall of rain has been local, *e. g.* it rained hard at Purulia one day, doing a great deal of good where the rain fell, and a few miles off there was no rain. Ryots complain of ravages by insects in some of the higher transplanted lands.

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the

DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																	
	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL.															
Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Burdwan	A 11 8	12 0	12 12	20 0	20 0	30 0	12 0	11 12	14 4	12 12	12 4	15 4	...	...	...
Bankoora	B 12 0	11 12	13 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	13 12	15 0	17 8	15 0	17 8	20 0	...	...	...
Beerbhoom	C 10 8	11 0	13 0	...	14 0	20 0	10 0	9 8	11 0	14 0	12 12	14 4	...	...	...
Midnapore	10 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	17 0	...	...	...
Hooghly	D 11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 8	11 0	12 0	...	...	...
Howrah	11 0	11 2	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 8	9 0	11 0	11 8	...	...	...
Central Districts.															
Calcutta	11 4	11 0	11 8	16 0	16 0	21 0	5 14	5 11	8 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	..	...
24-Pergunnahs	E ...	...	...	...	...	..	6 8	6 0	6 4	8 8	9 0	10 0	...	..	...
Nuddea	F 11 7	11 7	12 13	14 8	13 5½	27 14	9 7	9 7	10 10	10 0	10 0	11 7	...	...	...
Jessore	G 10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 8	13 0	...	...	...
Moorshedabad	H 12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	30 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	11 0	11 8 to 12 0	13 0	...	...	...
Dinagepore	I 10 13	10 11	10 0	11 8	12 4	12 0	12 0	10 3	16 12	14 6	12 0	21 9	...	...	...
Rajshahye	7 8	6 12	13 8	15 0	15 0	41 4	8 4 to 9 12	8 8 to 9 12	9 12 to 12 0	10 8 to 12 12	10 8 to 13 2	17 4 to 18 12	..	...	...
Rungpore	J 10 0	9 1½	15 0	...	...	...	10 11	9 7	12 1½	11 15½	11 15	20 4 to 22 8	..	...	...
Bogra*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pubna	K 12 0	13 8	15 0	...	...	...	6 0	7 0	8 0	11 4	11 4	16 0	...	...	...
Darjeeling	L 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	5 0	10 0	...	...	...
Julpigoree†	8 8	8 8	8 3	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0†	10 0	12 7	...	...	...
Eastern Districts.															
Dacca	M 12 0	11 4	10 12	...	16 0	32 0	8 0	8 8	11 7	11 0	10 0	14 8	...	...	...
Furreedpore	N 14 0	13 0	14 8	15 0	15 0	30 0	6 8	6 0	8 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...
Backergunge	O ...	...	...	...	...	...	8 12	8 4	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	...	...	...
Mymensingh	P 9 4	9 8	9 8	...	...	...	6 8	8 0	12 0	7 8	8 8	13 8	...	...	...

* Return not received.

† In the interior the price of common rice ranges from 10 to 16 seers per rupee.

A In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 12½ seers, barley 16¾ to 17 seers, best rice 10 to 13 2/16 seers, common rice 11½ to 14½ seers, and gram 10 to 12½ seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 12 seers, barley 17 to 34 seers, best rice 12 to 14 seers, common rice 13 to 15 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 34 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

C In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 13 seers, best rice 11 to 15 seers, common rice 12 to 17 seers, and gram 9½ to 12 seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 11½ seers, best rice 8 seers, common rice 9 to 11 seers, and gram 8 to 12 seers.

E In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 11½ seers, barley 13 5/16 to 13½ seers, best rice 6¾ to 9½ seers, common rice 8½ to 12½ seers, and gram 10 to 11½ seers.

F In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11¼ to 14 seers, barley 20 to 20¾ seers, best rice 7 to 10 seers, common rice 10 to 13 seers, and gram 10½ to 12 seers.

undermentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th October 1878.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
																		BENGAL
																		Western Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 12	11 4	15 8	120 0	120 0	140 0	10 8	10 4	9 4	Burdwan.
...	...	...	...	...	...	25 0	26 0	...	10 8	10 8	13 0	320 0	320 0	400 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	32 0	...	...	10 0	10 0	16 0	180 0	180 0	200 0	8 12	8 8	8 8	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	10 0	13 8	180 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	17 12	130 0	110 0	110 0	8 8	9 8	10 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 12	16 0	20 0	10 14	11 0	15 0	66 0	66 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	16 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	9 0	9 0	9 7	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 11	16 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	9 2	9 2	9 6	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	10 0	10 4	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	18 0	100 0	120 0	120 0	7 0 to 9 0	8 0 to 9 8	7 0 to 9 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 9½	9 9½	8 9	180 0	160 0	180 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	19 12	200 0 to 240 0	160 0 to 200 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 9½	9 0	107 0	106 10	107 0	7 8	7 8	8 1	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bogra.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	9 8	15 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Pubna.
...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	4 0	5 0	6 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	8 8	8 8	54 0	64 0	80 0	7 2	6 4	7 4	Julpigoree.†
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	10 8	12 4	106 0	106 0	80 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	13 0	20 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	10 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	9 0	8 12	8 8	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 4	10 0	11 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 4	8 12	Mymensingh.

G In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 10 seers, common rice 10 to 12 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.
H In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 12½ seers, barley 16 to 30 seers, best rice 11 to 11½ seers, common rice 14 seers, and gram 11 to 12 seers.
I In Raigunge the prices are—Wheat 11 seers, best rice 11 seers, common rice 14 seers, and gram 11 seers.
J In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 21 seers, best rice 7½ to 10 seers, common rice 9 to 12 seers, and gram 8 to 9 seers.
K In Serajgunge the prices are—Wheat 12 seers, best rice 6½ seers, common rice 8 seers, and gram 8½ seers.
L In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 4 to 8 seers, common rice 10 to 11 seers, and gram 6 to 8 seers.
M In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 8 to 9 seers, common rice 9 to 10 seers, and gram 10 to 14 seers.
N In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 8 to 9 seers, common rice 9 to 11 seers, and gram 9 to 12 seers.
O In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 8¾ to 10 seers, common rice 10¾ to 12 seers, and gram 8 to 12 seers.
P In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 seers, best rice 6 to 9 seers, common rice 6 to 9 seers, and gram 8¾ to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																	
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts*—(Contd.)**	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
21	Chittagong	Q 9 0	9 0	7 8	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...
22	Noakholly	R ...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...
23	Tipperah	10 0	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	8 8	9 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 14	8 8	8 0	10 0	9 8	8 14	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	8 5	8 0	9 5	...	...	...	7 5	8 0	12 0	10 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	...
	BEHAR.															
25	Patna	16 0	16 0	16 8	25 0	16 0	22 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	16 0	13 8	13 0	...	...	...
26	Gya	S 12 4	12 0	17 8	18 8	18 0	26 0	9 0	8 8	11 8	12 0	11 8	14 8	...	...	...
27	Shahabad	T 12 0 to 13 8	12 8 to 13 0	14 0 to 15 8	19 0 to 20 0	20 0	22 0	10 0 to 10 8	10 8 to 11 0	10 0 to 12 0	11 0 to 14 0	11 8 to 12 8	12 8 to 13 0	...	..	...
28	Durbhunga	U 12 8	12 0	13 0	19 12	21 0	24 0	11 0	10 4	10 4	12 8	11 12	13 12	...	...	...
29	Mozufferpore	V 12 0	12 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...
30	Sarun	12 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	20 0	20 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	11 0	12 0	11 0	...	...	...
31	Chumparun	W 11 0	11 0	15 0	20 0	.	...	9 0	11 0	8 0	18 0	16 0	15 8	...	...	..
32	Monghyr	X 14 7	12 6	13 6	15 7	21 0	24 1	10 5	8 4	9 4	11 10	11 5	11 5	...	...	...
33	Bhagulpore	Y 13 4	12 10	12 10	16 6	17 11	22 11	10 11	10 1	11 15	13 4	13 4	13 14	...	...	...
34	Purneah	Z 12 0 to 14 0	11 0 to 12 0	13 0 to 16 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 0 to 10 0	13 0	14 0 to 18 0	13 0 to 14 0	18 0 to 20 0	...	...	...
35	Maldah	12 8	12 0	13 0	...	...	32 0	9 0	10 0	15 8	11 8	11 8	16 0	...	...	28 0
36	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Z1 10 0	9 0	12 0	...	...	..	10 8	9 0	12 0	13 0	11 8	13 0	...	...	...
	ORISSA.															
37	Cuttack	11 13	9 13	13 2	...	...	..	9 3	9 3	12 7	14 7†	13 12	13 12	...	..	...
38	Pooree*	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Balasore	8 0	8 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	14 0	14 0	15 0	18 4	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. ***South-Western Frontier Agency.***															
40	Hazareebagh	Z2 10 8	9 8	16 0	12 0	...	24 0	8 0	9 0	11 0	14 0	11 0	18 0	...	...	...
41	Lohardugga	Z3 9 0	8 0	16 0	...	...	24 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	12 0 to 17 0	12 0 to 17 0	16 0 to 21 0	...	...	...
42	Singbhoom	8 0	8 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	40 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	16 0	15 0	24 0	...	...	...
43	Manbhoom	Z4 9 0	9 0	14 0	.	...	30 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.

† In the interior the price of common rice ranges from 17 1/16 to 23 1/4 seers.

and salt 6 to 8 seers.

Q In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 8 to 10 seers, and common rice 10 to 13 seers.

R In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 9 to 12 seers, and common rice 10 to 16 seers.

S In Nowada the prices are—Wheat 12 seers, barley 20 seers, common rice 14 seers, lesser millets 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn 27 seers, and gram 12 seers.

T In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 13 3/4 seers, barley 15 to 18 seers, best rice 8 1/2 to 9 seers, common rice 11 to 12 seers, maize or Indian-corn 23 to 26 seers, and gram 11 to 12 1/2 seers.

U In Tajpore the prices are—Wheat 12 seers, best rice 10 1/2 seers, common rice 11 seers, murwa 32 seers, maize or Indian-corn 37 1/2 seers, and gram 11 seers.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th October 1878.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	*Eastern Districts*—(Contd.)
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	6 8	6 8	9 0	...	...	.	8 0	8 0	8 0	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 8	11 0	.	...	...	8 12	8 12	9 0	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..		320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	6 6½	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	9 5	9 5	19 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	...	32 0	35 0	27 8	14 0	12 8	19 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
...	...	...	27 0	26 0	28 0	26 0	26 0	24 0	12 8	13 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Gya.
9 0 to 14 0	12 0	...	26 0	...	22 0	24 0 to 25 0	30 0	28 0	11 0 to 11 8	11 8 to 12 0	18 0 to 19 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	9 0	8 12	9 8	Shahabad.
...	...	...	27 8	26 0	26 4	32 0	33 0	27 8	11 8	11 8	16 8	121 0	121 0	176 0	7 12	7 12	8 0	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	30 0	30 0	27 8	12 0	11 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	Mozufferpore.
...	...	...	27 0	28 0	19 0	31 0	28 0	20 0	11 0	12 8	17 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 4	8 8	8 8	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	36 0	32 0	28 0	10 8	10 8	21 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Chumparun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	28 8	29 4	24 1	12 6	12 6	21 0	126 0	126 0	126 0	8 4	8 4	8 4	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	30 5	27 12	23 15	12 10	12 10	17 11	126 4	26 4	126 9	8 13	8 13	8 13	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0 to 10 8	13 0 to 15 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	32 0	10 0	11 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	130 0	8 8	8 0	8 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	40 0	50 0	35 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sonthal Pergha.
																		ORISSA.
...	...	...	13 2	13 2	21 0	...	...	...	14 7	14 7	13 2	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	11 0	12 0	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	10 8	120 0	120 0	90 0	7 0	7 0	7 10	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
...	...	...	36 0	32 0	36 0	29 0	24 0	27 0	11 0	10 0	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	Hazareebagh.
...	...	...	32 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	...	...	10 0	8 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	26 0	240 0	320 0	320 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	64 0	28 0	...	40 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	Manbhoom.

X In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 13¾ to 13·80 seers, barley 15·75 to 16¼ seers, best rice 8 2/16 to 13·80 seers, common rice 12¾ to 14·70 seers, great millet 16½ to 16·80 seers, lesser millets 23 1/16 to 31·50 seers, maize or Indian-corn 31·50 to 31½ seers, and gram 12 8/16 to 13·80 seers.

Y In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 15 seers, best rice 14 to 14½ seers, common rice 15 to 30 seers, lesser millets 25 to 40 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Banka) 25 seers, and gram 12 seers.

Z In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 16 seers, best rice 10 to 13 seers, common rice 14 to 25 seers, and gram 10 to 11 seers.

Z1 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11½ to 12½ seers, barley 12½ to 16 seers, best rice 12½ seers, common rice 14 seers, maize or Indian-corn 18 to 20 seers, and gram 11 to 12 seers.

Z2 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 12 seers, barley 13 to 14 seers, best rice (at Chuttra) 10 seers, common rice 14 to 16 seers, lesser millets 35 to 40 seers, maize or Indian-corn 30 to 35 seers, and gram 10 to 11 seers.

Z3 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10½ to 11·25 seers, barley 12·18 seers, best rice 10·12 to 16 seers, common rice 16 [illegible] maize or Indian-corn (at Dalbhum) [illegible]

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, Common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo Bajra.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	3 8 6	3 10 6	3 11 6	2 8 0	2 8 6	1 13 6	6 8 6	7 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	...	...	...
2	Serajgunge ...	3 4 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	3 5 0	3 9 0	3 12 0	...	2 4 0	0 13 0	4 12 0	4 6 0	3 7 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	2 10 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 10 0	4 7 0	3 2 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 11 0	1 9 6	2 8 0	1 13 0	4 0 0	4 3 9	4 3 6	2 8 0	2 15 6	2 14 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	4 12 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 9 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 7 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	3 4 0	3 14 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 3 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd October 1878.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15*th October* 1878.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Chenna.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 6	2 8 0	1 12 6	3 11 0	3 10 6	2 10 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	4 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 14 0	4 2 0	3 7 0	0 10 0	0 9 0	0 6 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	Narsingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	..	...	1 4 0	1 2 0	1 11 0	2 13 9	3 3 6	2 1 6	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	0 5 4	0 5 4	...	5 0 0	4 14 0	...	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.*
...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	1 14 0	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 4	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	Cuttack.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 29th September to 5th Oct. 1878.	Rain from 6th to 12th October 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.			Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
	Western Districts.						
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	1·06	0·15	58·07	12th Oct.	
		Cutwa	0·24	0·05	64·97	ditto	
		Culna	Nil	Nil	60·11	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	1·43	ditto	53·02	ditto	
		Raneegunge	0·32	ditto	47·29	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0·30	ditto	69·41	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	0·30	ditto	52·00	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	0·43	0·20	61·51	ditto	
		Hetampore	0·88	Nil	69·75	ditto	
		Roypore	0·24	0·25	68·75	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	1·01	0·22	45·86	ditto	
		Tumlook	0·35	Nil	51·36	ditto	
		Ghattal	0·90	0·88	60·15	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	Not recd.	Not recd.	43·54	28th Sept.	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	1·44	2·01	46·86	12th Oct.	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	3·17	3·07	87·39	ditto	
		Serampore	1·64	1·59	75·55	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	1·48	0·10	58·22	ditto	
		Maheshraka	Not recd.	Nil	61·08	ditto	Not received 29th September to 5th October.
	Central Districts.						
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	1·79	1·16	53·74	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	1·34	0·15	55·19	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	2·24	0·09	63·03	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	2·29	0·14	69·66	ditto	
		Busseerhat	0·86	0·78	63·90	ditto	
		Baraset	2·09	0·22	73·50	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	1·06	0·81	58·46	ditto	
		Barripore	0·81	1·80	61·53	ditto	
		Satkhira	0·61	1·56	71·38	ditto	
		Barrackpore	1·20	1·80	74·90	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	1·38	0·20	65·10	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	1·52	1·12	61·61	ditto	
		Bongong	0·83	0·80	64·80	ditto	
		Meherpore	1·25	0·38	53·00	ditto	
		Chooadanga	1·45	1·00	77·37	ditto	
		Kooshtea	1·00	Nil	71·19	ditto	
		Ranaghat	1·95	0·10	75·04	ditto	
		Jessore	0·70	0·59	67·54	ditto	
	Jessore	Narail	0·26	0·10	48·52	ditto	
		Khoolna	1·24	0·40	60·82	ditto	
		Jhenidah	0·75	1·66	61·85	ditto	
		Bagirhat	1·10	0·30	66·24	ditto	
		Magoorah	1·75	0·20	68·32	ditto	
		Berhampore	0·45	0·58	65·56	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Rampore Haut	0·80	0·48	60·56	ditto	
		Lallbagh	1·08	0·98	52·65	ditto	
		Jungypore	0·50	0·30	52·31	ditto	
		Azimgunge	0·20	2·23	57·16	ditto	
		Lalgolla	0·88	1·00	54·13	ditto	
		Kandee	0·47	0·27	60·83	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	1·77	Nil	70·48	ditto	
		Raigunge	0·79	0·27	69·26	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	0·40	0·35	52·78	ditto	
		Chanchal	1·11	1·14	56·35	ditto	
		Bauleah	1·02	0·36	70·10	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Nattore	0·17	0·50	77·04	ditto	
		Rungpore	0·64	0·58	120·02	ditto	
	Rungpore	Bhabanigunge	Nil	Nil	90·70	ditto	
		Kurigram	0·04	2·16	130·55	ditto	
		Bagdogra	1·77	0·16	141·99	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	1·59	0·10	78·18	ditto	
		Sherpur	0·16	2·17	85·20	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	0·30	0·64	68·00	ditto	
		Panchbibi	Nil	Nil	81·84	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	1·01	1·26	74·34	ditto	
		Serajgunge	0·80	Not recd.	55·58	5th Oct.	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	1·62	.....	.....	.....	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	1·62	0·85	116·18	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	0·52	0·38	142·95	ditto	
		Boda	Nil	Nil	119·42	ditto	
		Buxa	4·30	1·15	208·61	ditto	
		Titalya	6·00	0·23	131·95	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	0·04	1·16	194·96	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 29th September to 5th Oct. 1878.	Rain from 6th to 12th October 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office...	1·18	.....	.....	.....	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	2·95	1·73	78·06	5th Oct.	
		Moonsheegunge	0·60	5·50	87·68	ditto	
		Manickgunge	0·16	0·27	63·21	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	2·63	1·79	63·21	ditto	
		Goalundo	2·19	0·59	72·54	ditto	
		Madaripore	0·22	3·42	67·77	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	1·40	7·69	70·12	ditto	
		Perozepore	3·21	8·02	82·26	ditto	
		Patooakhally	0·18	4·64	73·70	ditto	
		Bhola	1·38	4·72	78·05	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	0·41	5·16	101·09	ditto	
		Jamalpore	0·67	2·52	97·57	ditto	
		Atia	0·27	0·43	64·15	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	0·38	4·49	84·61	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	1·71	4·41	102·33	12th Oct.	
		Chittagong Jail ...	2·78	4·57	97·80	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	1·50	6·13	109·88	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	1·66	5·25	91·18	ditto	Not received 22nd to 28th September.
		Fenny	1·61	8·39	99·95	ditto	Ditto ditto.
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	0·28	4·32	83·73	ditto	
		Brahmunhariah	0·33	3·47	70·02	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Bungamatee Hill... ...	3·55	2·75	89·25	ditto	
		Ruma	3·56	8·57	88·.0	ditto	From 17th February.
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	2·63	3·18	74·61	.....	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	Nil	Nil	39·85	ditto	
		Behar	0·73	ditto	37·98	ditto	
		Barh	0·17	ditto	43·00	ditto	
		Dinapore	Nil	ditto	37·68	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	ditto	40·80	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	39·42	ditto	
		Aurungabad	0·98	ditto	32·16	ditto	
		Jehanabad	Not recd.	ditto	39·95	ditto	Not received 29th September to 5th October.
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	0·11	ditto	37·46	ditto	
		Sasseram	0·15	ditto	34·36	ditto	
		Buxar	0·05	ditto	24·81	ditto	
		Bhubooah	Nil	ditto	32·05	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	ditto	0·92	35·11	ditto	
		Hajeepore	ditto	Nil	29·83	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	0·93	44·86	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	0·18	0·10	34·29	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	0·73	Not recd.	42·95	5th Oct.	
		Tajpore	Nil	Nil	46·61	12th Oct.	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	0·69	ditto	28·79	ditto	
		Sewan	0·29	ditto	32·81	ditto	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	0·02	Not recd.	39·94	5th Oct.	
		Bettiah	Not recd.	ditto	35·14	28th Sept.	
		Segowlee	Nil	ditto	43·75	5th Oct.	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	0·08	ditto	45·60	ditto	
		Begooserai	0·76	ditto	37·52	ditto	
		Jamooee	0·50	ditto	42·50	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	Nil	0·07	46·04	ditto	
		Soopool	0·70	Nil	54·10	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	0·80	0·60	61·54	ditto	
		Banka	Nil	Nil	60·34	ditto	
		Sonbursa	1·45	ditto	56·38	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	0·06	ditto	63·48	ditto	
		Kissengunge	0·61	ditto	84·60	ditto	
		Arrareah	0·45	ditto	80·57	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	0·49	0·17	45·89	ditto	
		Rajmehal	Nil	0·32	97·87	ditto	
		Deoghur	0·59	Nil	61·71	ditto	
		Jamtara	Not recd.	Not recd.	31·04	21st Sept.	From 30th June and not received 11th to 17th August.
		Pakour	0·18	ditto	40·58	5th Oct.	From 8th July.
		Godda	Nil	Nil	64·60	12th Oct.	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 29th September to 5th Oct. 1878.	Rain from 6th to 12th October 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack Hospital ...	2·21	0·69	49·03	12th Oct.	
		Jajpore	Not recorded.		20·90	27th July	Not recorded from 28th July.
		Kendraparah	2·30	0·60	41·60	12th Oct.	
		Jagatsingpore	6·00	Nil	56·83	ditto	
		False Point	0·55	0·01	40·44	ditto	
	Pooree ...	Pooree	Not recd.	Not recd.	32·59	28th Sept.	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	37·15	21st Sept.	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	0·13	0·62	49·83	12th Oct.	
		Bhadrack	0·60	Nil	56·40	ditto	
		Jellasore	Nil	ditto	50·11	ditto	
		Sorah	0·04	ditto	53·24	ditto	
		Chandbally	0·85	1·10	50·03	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	2·27	Nil	40·70	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	0·88	ditto	41·23	ditto	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	0·22	ditto	41·20	ditto	
		Sitagurrah	1·98	ditto	22·63	ditto	From 4th August.
		Pachamba	0·20	ditto	50·94	ditto	
		Mowdie Hill	Not recd.	ditto	3·71	ditto	From 8th August.
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	0·02	ditto	45·73	ditto	
		Palamow	0·07	ditto	34·63	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	0·18	ditto	47·26	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	0·61	ditto	58·60	ditto	
		Govindpore	0·85	ditto	49·49	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	5·03	4·23	158·18	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	0·17	Not recd.	80·51	ditto	
		Golaghat	0·10	ditto	76·95	ditto	
		Jorhat	Nil	ditto	66·22	ditto	
		Akyab	8·93	6·31	114·27	ditto	Not recorded 16th to 29th June.
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	Nil.	Nil	24·98	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	23·77	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	12·34	ditto	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 19th October 1878.

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Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 13th to 19th October 1878.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity. *	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Oct. 13th	10	29·849	29·870	86·6	78·4	68	N E by E	7·0	...	C	c
		16	29·753	29·774	87·6	78·5	66	E by N	8·5	...	K, CK	c
	14th	10	29·889	29·911	82·3	78·0	82	S E	10·3	0·02	PK, FK	o
		16	29·793	29·815	81·9	77·6	82	S E by E	9·1	...	PC	o, g
	15th	10	29·879	29·901	81·0	78·0	87	S	2·5	0·18	P	o, g
		16	29·736	29·758	84·4	77·5	72	S W	4·5	...	C	c
	16th	10	29·846	29·868	83·0	79·0	83	S S E	2·3	...	K	c
		16	29·721	29·742	87·0	79·8	71	W by N	2·5	...	K, C	c
	17th	10	29·863	29·885	84·8	78·0	73	N	2·3	...	K, FK	c
		16	29·749	29·770	86·5	79·8	73	W by N	4·3	...	K	c
	18th	10	29·873	29·894	85·0	79·2	76	N	3·8	...	K	c
		16	29·751	29·772	88·5	79·3	65	N	3·3	...	K	c
	19th	10	29·857	29·879	81·7	79·5	91	W N W	1·8	...	K	c
		16	29·729	29·751	83·6	78·2	77	W by N	5·5	0·09	CS, PC	c
Saugor Island.	Oct. 13th	10	29·814	29·850	88·5	80·0	68	E N E	5	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·775	29·781	82	80	91	N	12	0·10	.....	t, clouds low, moving rapidly with
	14th	10	29·872	29·878	78·5	78	98	E N E	5	0·88	.....	o, threatening.
		16	29·792	29·798	79·5	78·5	96	E	8	1·90	.....	o, continuous rain.
	15th	10	29·884	29·890	82	74	97	S S W	4	1·56	.....	Moist and muggy.
		16	29·745	29·751	85	80	79	S S E	4	...	.....	b, c
	16th	10	29·841	29·847	86	81·5	82	W S W	5	0·15	.....	p
		16	29·742	29·748	87·5	81·5	76	S S W	4	...	.....	b, c
	17th	10	29·882	29·888	85	81	79	N W	4	.	.....	d, b, c
		16	29·769	29·775	86	79·5	74	S E	4	0·14	.....	p
	18th	10	29·875	29·881	86·5	81	78	W N W	4	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·775	29·781	89	81·5	71	W S W	8	...	.....	b, c
	19th	10	29·872	29·878	88·5	83	78	W	7	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·741	29·747	89	82	73	S S W	8	...	.....	b, c
Chittagong.	Oct. 13th	10	29·781	29·872	85	82	87	S S W	3	...	.....	o, sultry.
	14th	10	29·838	29·929	88	80	69	S E	3	...	.....	b
	15th	10	29·844	29·937	82	79	87	Calm	2	1·66	.....	o, p
	16th	10	29·783	29·874	85·0	79·0	76	E	2	0·38	.....	g
	17th	10	29·783	29·874	85	80	79	Calm	2	...	.....	no remarks.
	18th	10	29·783	29·874	84	80·5	85	S S E	1	...	.....	o, sultry.
	19th	10	29·776	29·867	86	80	76	Calm	3	...	.....	sultry.
Akyab.	Oct. 13th	10	29·814	29·865	88·5	86·0	90	E	1	0·39	.....	b, c
	14th	10	29·925	29·947	80	79	96	S S W	2	0·14	.....	o, dark gloomy weather.
	15th	10	29·896	29·917	85	82	87	S S W	2	4·01	.....	g
	16th	10	29.914	29·935	85	82	87	N E	1	0·34	.....	g
	17th	10	29·855	29·877	82	80	91	N W	2	...	.....	b, c
	18th	10	29·862	29·883	86	83	88	E	2	...	.....	b, c
	19th	10	29·852	29·874	81	80	96	.....	2	0·18	.....	d, moist and muggy.
False Point.	Oct. 13th	10	29·836	29·851	84	81	87	N N E	9	0·48	.....	nor-wester-with rain.
	14th	10	29·842	29·857	80	79·5	98	N N E	10	0·98	.....	o, p
	15th	10	29·862	29·877	85	80	79	Calm	4	0·71	.....	p
	16th	10	29·837	29·852	87	81	76	S E	4	0·39	.....	continuous rain.
	17th	10	29·870	29·885	88	81	73	Calm	3	...	.....	b, c
	18th	10	29·893	29·908	86	80	76	W S W	2	...	.....	b, c
	19th	10	29·878	29.893	87·5	80	71	W	4	...	.....	b, c
Vizagapatam.	Oct. 13th	10	29·785	29·816	85	71	47	N	1	...	.....	b, c
	14th	10	29·712	29·744	82·5	78·5	83	N E	3	0·30	.....	o, threatening weather.
	15th	10	29·771	29·803	84·5	78·5	76	S E	5	0·90	.	g
	16th	10	29·780	29·812	82·5	78·5	83	N	2	0·70	.....	o, g
	17th	10	29·827	29·859	83·5	79·5	83	W N W	...	1·40	..	g
	18th	10	29·890	29·931	81	77	83	S S W	...	0·20	.....	d, p
	19th	10	29·887	29·919	84·5	78·5	76	N W	...	.	.....	b, c
Colombo.	Oct. 13th	10	29·862	29·903	84·5	80·5	83	W N W	7	0·88	.....	p
	14th	10	29·894	29·935	81	80	88	S W	6	0·28	.....	b, c
	15th	10	29·901	29·942	84·5	75·9	79	S S W	10	...	.....	b, c
	16th	10	29·868	29·909	84·5	79·5	79	S W	8	0·21	.....	b, c
	17th	10	29·8.0	29·911	84	79	79	S S W	9	...	.....	b, c
	18th	10	29·890	29·931	83	79	83	S W	6	...	.....	b, c
	19th	10	29·902	29·943	83·5	79	81	S S W	6	...	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
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Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 13th to 19th October 1878.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature. Mean.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Range.	Temperature. Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Hygrometry. Vapour tension.	Hygrometry. Dew point.	Hygrometry. Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1878.		°	Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches.	°	%			Inches	
Oct.	13th	153·7	29·814	81·7	89·3	12·5	76·8	77·3	0·877	75·3	81	Till 7 P.M. chiefly E by N, till midnight S E by S.	110	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, *w*.
"	14th	132·8	·832	80·0	84·8	6·8	78·0	77·4	0·908	76·3	89	Chiefly E S E.	157	0·02	Chiefly cloudy, *o*, *g*, *d*, and *w*.
"	15th	128·0	·805	80·1	85·1	6·9	78·2	77·4	0·905	76·2	88	Till 9 A.M. E S E, till midnight S W by W through S E and S.	73	0·18	Day cloudy, night clear *o*, *g*, and *w*.
"	16th	151·5	·783	81·4	87·0	9·9	77·1	78·6	0·939	77·3	87	Till 9 A.M. S W, till 2 P.M. chiefly S, till midnight W by N through S W.	50	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, *w*.
"	17th	141·2	·809	81·3	88·0	10·6	77·4	77·9	0·910	76·4	85	Till 2-30 A.M. W by N, till 8-15 A.M. S S W through S W, till 6 P.M chiefly N through W and N W, till midnight E S E through N E and E.	60	...	Chiefly cloudy, *f*, *w*, *d*, *t*, *l*, *lr*.
"	18th	152·7	·809	82·7	89·4	12·8	76·6	79·0	0·942	77·4	84	Till 8-30 A.M. E S E, till 1-30 P.M. chiefly N through E and N E, till midnight chiefly N W by N.	49	...	Day chiefly cloudy, night clear, *f* and *w*.
"	19th	154·5	·795	80·2	90·5	11·3	79·2	78·4	0·946	77·6	91	Till 10 A.M. N W by N, till 3-30 P.M. chiefly N W, till midnight S W by W through W.	60	0·09	Day chiefly cloudy night clear *w* and *p*.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·807
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	29·855
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	81·1
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	82·1
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days	13·9
The maximum temperature during the seven days	90·5
	%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	86
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	79
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 13th to 19th October 1878	0·29
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	0·77
The total fall from 1st January to 19th October 1878	56·33
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	62·46

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

w dew; *o* overcast; *g* gloomy; *d* drizzling; *f* fog; *t* thunder; *l* lightning; *lr*. lightning reflection; *p* passing temporary showers.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 21st October 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
For Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT.—No. 212.—*The 19th October* 1878.

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water on Rivers Ganges, Bhagiruthee. and Brahmapootra during the month of September 1878.

		River Ganges.																River Bhagiruthee.				Brahmapootra.	
		Mirzapore.		Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahebgunge.		Rampore Bauleah.		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Kishnaghur.		Gowhatty.	
	Miles.					98.		177.	87.	287.	110.	381.	94.	471.	90.	597.	120.			70.			
	Distance.					From Benares		From Benares	From Buxar	From Benares	From Dinapore	From Benares	From Monghyr	From Benares	From Sahebgunge	From Benares	From Rampore Bauleah			From Berhampore			
		Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
...	...	26·25	236·25	27·75	224·55	23·92	193·24	29·10	163·10	22·66	124·51	23·92	91·92	21·66	63·66	19·75	28·69	25·70	58·10	24·46	33·25	27·70	176·46
...	...	25·75	236·25	27·00	223·80	23·33	192·65	29·00	163·00	23·16	125·01	24·42	92·42	21·92	65·92	19·84	28·78	25·88	58·28	24·62	33·41	27·30	176·06
...	...	25·33	235·83	25·92	222·72	23·08	192·40	28·80	162·80	23·25	125·10	24·84	92·84	22·84	64·84	18·00	26·94	25·96	58·36	24·75	33·54	27·10	175·86
...	...	25·50	236·00	25·50	222·30	23·08	192·40	28·70	162·70	23·00	124·85	24·92	92·92	23·08	65·08	20·00	28·94	26·00	58·40	24·75	33·54	26·80	175·56
...	...	25·16	235·66	25·83	222·63	23·00	192·32	28·75	162·75	22·75	124·60	25·00	93·00	23·25	65·25	21·08	29·02	26·00	58·40	24·58	33·37	26·70	175·46
...	...	25·66	236·16	26·42	223·22	23·25	192·57	28·65	162·65	22·58	124·43	25·00	93·00	23·42	65·42	20·16	29·10	26·12	58·52	24·50	33·29	26·50	175·26
...	...	25·50	236·00	26·50	223·30	23·50	192·82	28·80	162·80	22·50	124·35	24·92	92·92	25·50	67·50	20·33	29·27	26·06	58·46	24·42	33·21	26·30	175·06
...	...	25·50	235·50	26·50	223·30	23·33	192·65	28·65	162·65	22·42	124·27	24·84	92·84	23·42	65·42	20·16	29·10	25·94	58·44	24·36	33·15	26·10	174·86
...	...	24·58	235·08	25·25	222·05	23·00	192·32	28·10	162·10	22·25	124·10	24·84	92·84	23·42	65·42	20·08	29·02	26·00	58·40	24·36	33·15	26·00	174·76
...	...	24·25	234·75	24·42	221·22	22·25	191·57	27·70	161·70	21·75	123·60	24·75	92·75	23·16	65·16	19·92	28·86	25·98	58·38	24·36	33·15	25·90	174·66
...	...	24·00	234·50	23·75	220·55	21·66	190·58	27·60	161·60	21·42	123·27	24·50	92·50	23·00	65·00	19·92	28·86	25·92	58·32	24·42	33·21	25·90	174·66
...	...	24·00	234·50	23·83	220·96	21·33	190·65	28·00	162·00	21·25	123·10	24·42	92·42	23·00	65·00	20·25	29·19	26·20	58·60	24·70	33·49	26·00	174·76
...	...	24·00	234·50	23·66	220·96	21·58	190·90	28·30	162·30	21·42	123·27	24·33	92·33	23·08	65·08	20·42	29·36	26·04	58·44	24·84	33·63	26·40	175·16
...	...	23·66	234·16	23·66	220·96	21·50	190·82	28·20	162·20	21·58	123·43	24·25	92·25	23·00	65·00	20·58	29·52	26·08	58·48	25·00	33·79	27·10	175·86
...	...	23·42	233·92	23·66	220·96	21·33	190·65	27·90	161·90	21·50	123·65	24·25	92·25	23·00	65·00	20·66	29·60	26·04	58·44	25·08	33·87	27·40	176·16
...	...	23·25	233·75	22·50	219·70	20·84	190·16	27·65	161·65	21·16	123·01	24·33	92·33	23·00	65·00	20·75	29·79	25·96	58·36	25·16	33·95	27·50	176·26
...	...	22·33	232·83	20·50	217·33	20·08	189·40	27·30	161·30	20·83	122·68	24·25	92·25	22·92	64·92	20·75	29·63	25·88	58·28	25·25	34·04	27·40	176·16
...	...	22·08	232·58	20·50	217·50	19·41	188·74	27·00	161·00	20·41	122·26	24·00	92·00	22·92	64·92	20·58	29·52	25·84	58·24	25·25	34·04	26·90	175·66
...	...	21·50	232·00	20·00	216·80	18·75	188·07	26·50	160·50	20·00	122·85	23·67	91·67	22·75	64·75	20·25	29·19	25·68	58·08	25·20	33·99	26·50	175·26
...	...	21·25	231·75	20·17	216·97	18·33	177·65	26·50	160·50	19·50	121·35	23·16	91·16	22·50	64·50	20·00	28·94	25·50	57·90	25·16	33·95	25·80	174·56
...	...	21·92	232·42	20·50	217·30	18·33	177·65	27·80	159·80	19·16	121·01	22·67	90·67	22·00	64·00	19·00	27·94	25·25	57·65	25·00	33·79	24·70	173·46
...	...	21·25	231·75	20·50	217·30	19·25	188·57	26·00	160·00	18·83	120·68	22·25	90·25	22·00	64·00	20·08	29·02	24·96	57·36	24·96	33·75	24·20	172·96
...	...	26·83	237·33	24·75	221·55	20·75	189·07	26·65	160·65	19·00	120·85	21·83	89·83	21·92	63·92	20·00	28·94	25·00	57·40	25·50	34·29	24·00	172·76
...	...	26·83	237·33	26·75	223·55	22·66	191·98	27·50	161·50	19·50	121·35	21·75	89·75	21·70	63·50	19·84	28·78	24·75	57·15	25·75	34·54	23·70	172·46
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...	...	19·50	230·00	14·00	210·80	15·16	184·48	24·40	158·40	18·25	120·10	21·42	89·42	19·92	61·92	19·92	28·86	24·20	56·60	25·88	34·67	23·50	172·26

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Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th October 1878 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	133,366	2,05,903 12 6	18,874 10 4	8,83,727 20	3,68,379 3 3	33,768 1 10	5,74,282 15 9	46,081½	76,623	122,704½
Or per mile of railway	.....	160 14 3	14 14 11	.....	287 13 8	26 7 9	448 11 11	.....	.....	1,593,173½
For previous 14 weeks of half-year	1,777,025	21,11,225 6 3	193,528 19 10	1,23,43,748 20	48,98,250 5 9	449,066 5 8	70,09,475 12 0	646,719½	946,454	.....
Total for 15 weeks ...	1,911,291	23,17,129 2 9	212,403 10 2	1,32,27,476 0	52,66,629 9 0	482,774 7 6	75,83,758 11 9	692,801	1,023,077	1,715,878
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	141,504½	1,90,171 11 8	17,432 8 2	12,84,463 10	4,19,553 3 9	38,459 0 11	6,09,724 15 5	45,544	95,639	141,183
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	148 9 8	13 12 5	.....	327 13 5	30 1 1	476 7 1	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,926,984½	23,45,159 4 8	214,972 18 8	1,93,44,933 10	74,45,542 10 8	682,416 8 2	97,89,701 15 4	667,730	1,530,528	2,198,258

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th October 1878 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,754	14,830 12 3	1,360 6 3	1,59,177 0	40,056 7 0	3,671 16 9	54,896 3 3	4,437¾	10,849	15,286¾
Or per mile of railway	.....	66 5 2	6 1 7	.....	179 0 4	16 8 3	245 5 6	.....	.....	.....
For previous 14 weeks of half-year	66,815	1,81,247 3 6	16,614 6 7	10,26,571 20	3,06,551 7 9	28,100 11 1	4,87,798 11 3	61,787¼	76,372¾	138,159¼
Total for 15 weeks ...	72,569	1,96,086 15 9	17,974 12 10	11,85,748 20	3,46,607 14 9	31,772 7 10	5,42,694 14 6	66,225	87,221¼	153,446¼
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,405½	13,223 10 3	1,212 3 4	2,95,666 10	63,476 9 9	5,818 13 9	76,700 4 0	4,706	16,596	21,302
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	59 1 7	5 8 4	.....	283 11 2	26 0 1	342 12 9	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	86,835	2,13,621 11 4	19,581 19 9	34,02,629 20	8,46,921 1 9	77,634 8 8	10,60,542 13 1	68,809	224,738	293,547

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 28th September 1878 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	44,860½	28,489 5 9	2,611 10 6	2,03,476 14	85,841 11 2	7,868 16 5	10,480 6 11
Or per mile of railway	283	179 7 4	16 9 0	1,281 30	540 11 9	49 11 4	66 0 4
For previous 12 weeks of half-year	4,17,841	2,96,242 2 9	27,155 10 8	24,67,644 17	7,88,470 9 5	72,276 9 4	99,432 0 0
Total for 13 weeks ...	4,92,701½	3,24,731 8 6	29,767 1 2	26,71,120 31	8,74,312 4 7	80,145 5 9	1,09,912 6 11
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	35,198½	24,399 13 2	2,236 13 0	3,51,181 1	97,162 0 9	8,906 10 5	11,143 3 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	222	153 11 2	14 1 9	2,212 7	612 0 9	56 2 1	70 3 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	4,59,776	2,84,871 7 0	26,113 6 2	41,71,174 24	10,48,761 6 7	90,136 9 3	1,22,249 15 5

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 5th October 1878 on 158¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	43,198	32,199 6 0	2,951 12 2	2,05,296 24	93,381 15 10	8,560 0 4	11,511 12 6
Or per mile of railway	272	202 13 3	18 11 10	1,293 8	588 3 9	53 18 5	72 19 3
For previous 13 weeks of half-year	4,92,701½	3,24,731 8 6	29,767 1 2	26,71,120 31	8,74,312 4 7	80,145 5 9	1,09,912 6 11
Total for 14 weeks ...	5,35,899½	3,56,930 14 6	32,718 13 4	28,76,417 15	9,67,694 4 5	88,705 6 1	1,21,423 19 5
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	35,710½	25,404 8 11	2,337 0 1	3,69,244 3	1,04,031 6 5	9,536 4 2	11,873 4 3
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	225	160 9 6	14 14 5	2,325 38	655 5 1	60 1 5	74 15 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year...	4,95,486½	3,10,365 15 11	28,450 6 3	45,40,418 27	11,52,702 13 0	1,05,672 13 5	1,34,122 19 8

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 4714A.

GENERAL.—*The 19th October* 1878.—Mr. H. M. Kisch, Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial and Political Departments, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st November next.

The 21st October 1878.—Mr. H. C. Sutherland, District and Sessions Judge, Backergunge, is allowed leave for three months with effect from the 8th proximo, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. W. H. Verner, Officiating Temporary Additional Judge, Nuddea, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Backergunge during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. C. Sutherland, or until further orders.

The 23rd October 1878.—Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jehanabad, Burdwan, is allowed leave for six months, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. E. R. Middleton, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Kissengunge division of the Purneah district.

Mr. J. R. Hand, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to Pakoor, in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. C. F. Manson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of the Rajmehal division, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is posted to Jamtara, in that district.

Mr. H. Rattray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kissengunge, Purneah, is transferred to the Sonthal Pergunnahs for employment on settlement work.

Mr. W. B. Martin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to Doomka, in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Baboo Abinash Chunder Mullick, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagulpore division, is appointed to have charge of the Banka division of the Bhagulpore district during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Hurry Churn Ghose, or until further orders.

Baboo Jodu Nath Chowdry, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed to have charge of the Bagirhat division of that district during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Ram Churn Bose, or until further orders.

The 25th October 1878.—Mr. J. F. Bradbury, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Sudder Station of the Beerbhoom district on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Dacca.

Mr. Bradbury is also appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his appointment at Dacca.

Baboo Poorna Chunder Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhoom, is appointed to be a temporary Deputy Collector, for employment on settlement duty, of pergunnahs Mahta and Koelapal, in that district.

Kumar Barendra Krishna, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to have charge of the Ghattal division of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Hurry Mohun Sen, or until further orders.

The 28th October 1878.—The following promotions, made on the 11th July last, and notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, will have effect from the 12th May 1878, the date of Mr. Lawford's death :—

Mr. A. T. Maclean to the First Grade of District and Sessions Judges, *vice* Mr. H. B. Lawford.

" L. B. B. King to the Second Grade of District and Sessions Judges, *vice* Mr. A. T. Maclean.

" G. Toynbee to the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. L. B. B. King.

" D. W. M. Testro to the Second Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. G. Toynbee.

The following promotions, made under date the 19th and 20th August last, and notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, will have effect from the 8th June 1878, the date on which the Hon'ble W. F. McDonell was confirmed in the Judgeship of the High Court :—

Mr. W. Macpherson to the First Grade of District and Sessions Judges, *vice* the Hon'ble W. F. McDonell.

" A. C. Brett to the Second Grade of District and Sessions Judges, *vice* Mr. W. Macpherson.

" D. W. M. Testro to the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. A. C. Brett.

" A. W. Cochran confirmed in the Second Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. D. W. M. Testro.

" H. G. Sharp, temporarily to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, *vice* Mr. A. W. Cochran.

The following promotions, made on the 11th July last, and notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, will have effect from the 12th May 1878 :—

Mr. A. Forbes to the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. J. Whitmore.

" A. W. Cochran, temporarily to the Second Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. A. Forbes.

Mr. A. C. Mangles, Commissioner of the Chota Nagpore Division, is allowed furlough for fifteen months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for thirty days, under Section 24 of the Code, with effect from the 27th October 1878.

Mr. D. Norton, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Buxar division of the Shahabad district, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 for the purpose of acquiring the land required for the construction of a road from Rughoonathpore to Sarya, in that division.

The 29th October 1878.—Mr. A. W. Bushe-Power is appointed to be a Deputy Commissioner of the Third Grade, and is posted to Lohardugga.

Captain C. H. Garbett, Assistant Commissioner, is posted to Lohardugga on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Deputy Commissioner of that district.

Mr. H. J. S. Cotton is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Chittagong during the absence of Mr. F. H. Pellew, or until further orders.

Mr. G. M. Currie is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to Chumparun on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Chittagong.

Mr. J. Anderson, Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is posted to Furreedpore.

Mr. J. E. B. Jeffery is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors in Furreedpore on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of that district.

POLICE.—*The 28th October* 1878.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Waller, District Superintendent of Police, Monghyr, having resumed charge of his appointment on the forenoon of the 7th ultimo, the extension of one month's privilege leave granted to him under orders of the 20th idem is cancelled.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 19th October* 1878.—The services of the Rev. W. J. Hunt, Officiating Chaplain of Hazaribagh, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

The 28th October 1878.—In supersession of orders dated the 10th ultimo, the Rev. B. Morrell, Chaplain of the Garrison of Fort William, is allowed furlough for two months under Section 6 (*a*) and Clause 2 of the Explanation under Section 7, Supplement E to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 5th September.

REGISTRATION.—*The 19th September* 1878.—Syud Hossain Ali is appointed temporarily to be Sub-Registrar of Gopalgunge in the district of Sarun.

EDUCATION.—*The 28th October* 1878.—Mr. John Mann, M.A., is appointed to the Fourth Class of the Bengal Educational Service, and is posted to the Presidency College, with effect from the 21st instant.

OPIUM.—*The 28th October* 1878.—Mr. J. Christian, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, attached to the Behar Agency, is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

MEDICAL.—*The 12th October* 1878.—Baboo Issur Chunder Bose is appointed to be Secretary to the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Sridhurpore, in the district of Jessore, *vice* Baboo Punchanun Bose.

The 17th October 1878.—Surgeon J. F. P. McConnell, Officiating Civil Surgeon, 24-Pergunnahs, is also appointed to act as Medical Inspector of Emigrants at Calcutta, under Section 9 of Act VII of 1871, during the absence, on deputation, of Surgeon-Major R. Harvey, or until further orders.

Surgeon-Major R. Harvey, Civil Surgeon, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to be Medical Inspector of Emigrants at Calcutta, under Section 9 of Act VII of 1871, but will continue to act as Professor of Midwifery, Medical College, Calcutta, and Superintendent-General of Vaccination during the absence, on leave, of Dr. T. E. Charles, or until further orders.

The late Dr. E. J. Gayer, Civil Surgeon, 24-Pergunnahs, held the appointment of Medical Inspector of Emigrants, Calcutta, in addition to his other duties from the 7th July last to the 23rd August 1878 inclusive.

The 22nd October 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Woomesh Chunder Roy, in charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Monghyr, is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Assistant Surgeon Upendro Nath Sen, in charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Begooserai, is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Monghyr during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Woomesh Chunder Roy, or until further orders.

The services of Surgeon A. E. R. Stephens, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Durbhunga, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department.

The services of Surgeon J. C. Fullerton, Officiating Superintendent of the Central Jail, Bhagulpore, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department.

The 23rd October 1878.—The services of Surgeon D. W. D. Comins, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Shahabad, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department.

Assistant Surgeon Hera Lall Dutt, in medical charge of the station and harbour of False Point, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-one days under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Assistant Surgeon Beharee Lal Pal, a Supernumerary at the Campbell Hospital, is appointed to have medical charge of the station and harbour of False Point during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Hera Lall Dutt, or until further orders.

The 28th October 1878.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Kally Prosonno Chowdry, doing duty at the Campbell Hospital, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

Assistant Surgeon Ram Lall Banerjee, doing duty at the Campbell Hospital, is appointed to have charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Begooserai during the absence, on deputation, of Assistant Surgeon Upendra Nath Sen, or until further orders.

Assistant Surgeon Hurry Mohun Bose, in charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Arrah, was in medical charge of the Civil Station of Shahabad from the 24th June to the 28th July last.

Assistant Surgeon Onoocool Chatterjee, now doing duty at the Campbell Hospital, is allowed leave for 29 days under Rule 5, Section 1 (*b*), Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 12th August last.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 16th October* 1878.—The following gentlemen are reappointed to be Commissioners of the Municipality of Kotrung, in the district of Hooghly :—

Baboo Kedar Nath Banerjee. | Baboo Umesh Chundra Mittra.
Baboo Kedar Nath Chatterjee.

ROAD CESS.—*The 25th October* 1878.—The following gentlemen are reappointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Narail, in the district of Jessore :—

Baboo Janoki Nath Sing.
" Bepin Behari Bose.
" Rai Churan Roy.
Baboo Sheta Nath Ghose.
" Rajoni Kant Ghose.
" Kalli Prosono Roy.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF RAJSHAHYE.

The 28th October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B. C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Rajshahye have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from the 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being three-fourths of the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Four and a half pies, or one and a half pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates for non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100	but less than Rs.	500	... 0	12	0
"	500	"	1,000	... 2	4	0
"	1,000	"	2,000	... 3	6	0

Rs. 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 2-4-0 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of estimated value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of twelve annas.

If valued at Rs. 100 or more to pay according to the rates above entered.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF DURBHUNGA.

The 28th October 1878.—It is notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B. C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Durbhunga have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from the 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops other than those coming under the operation of the Bengal License Tax Act, 1878 :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

				Yearly Cess. Rs.	A.	P.
Not less than Rs.	100	but less than Rs.	500	... 1	0	0
"	500	"	1,000	... 3	0	0
"	1,000	"	2,000	... 4	8	0

Rs. 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, and which are not assessed under the Bengal License Tax Act, 1878, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee.

RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th October 1878.—The following revised rules for the grant of leases for tea cultivation in the districts of Julpigoree and Darjeeling have been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor and are published for general information.

2. With reference to the provisions of the revised form of preliminary lease under which transfers, if duly registered, will in future be recognized, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to admit to registration all such transfers already completed, though made in violation of the terms of the leases hitherto in force; provided that application for their registration be made within two months of the date of this notification, and that a fee of four annas per acre be paid on the area of the lands transferred. Failing such registration, the forfeiture clause of the preliminary leases under which the lands are held will be enforced.

RULES FOR THE GRANT OF LEASES FOR TEA CULTIVATION IN THE DISTRICTS OF JULPIGOREE AND DARJEELING.

What lands will ordinarily be available.

1. THE lands that are generally available under these rules in the district of Julpigoree lie within that tract of country in the Western Dooars which extends in an easterly direction from the east bank of the River Teesta to the west bank of the River Sankos. The lands available in the district of Darjeeling lie in the Daling Sub-division of that district, and are bounded on the north by the Government Reserved Forests as notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th August 1878; on the south by the Julpigoree district; on the east by the Moortee Nuddee; and on the west by the Lethee Nuddee. Any lots of Waste Land belonging to Government, lying in any other parts of the districts of Julpigoree or Darjeeling, and which are not reserved for other purposes, may also be made available for Tea cultivation under these rules.

What lands will not ordinarily be available.

2. The following lands will not ordinarily be available under these rules:—

(*a.*)—Lands which, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, are held to constitute a reserve for the supply of timber, fuel, grazing, or any other article of general and public consumption.

(*b.*)—Lands not included in the above category, but which now bear India-rubber trees or other valuable timber (such as sal, khair, chelownee, sissoo, &c.,) in compact blocks or patches.

(*c.*)—Lands in respect of which any person or persons, or any village community, possess rights of occupancy, or such other rights or privileges as render it impolitic or unadvisable to grant such lands to any other person or persons for the purpose of tea cultivation.

(*d.*)—Lands lying within a distance of 60 feet on either side from the centre of any public road or thoroughfare. Provided that such road or thoroughfare shall have been constructed, or shall be kept in repair, from public funds, and that it be borne on the list of the district roads of the district.

(*e.*)—Lands which the local Government may at any time, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, expressly exempt from the operation of these rules.

How and to whom application is to be made.

3. Every person, company, or association, desirous of obtaining a grant of land under these rules must, in person or by a duly authorized agent, present an application on stamped paper of the value of 8 annas to the Deputy Commissioner of the district in which the land lies.

What the application is to specify.

4. The application must specify—

(*a.*)—The name, or names, and address, or addresses of the applicant or applicants, and of his or their authorized agent, if any.

(*b.*)—The area, situation, and boundaries of the land applied for, as far as they can be ascertained without a detailed survey.

(*c.*)—The particulars, if any, which may appear to the applicant to bring any part of the land applied for within the exceptions mentioned in Rule 2. The application must also state whether the land, or any part of it, is or has ever been cultivated in any manner.

5. Every lot applied for must be compact and capable of being enclosed in a ring fence; and if any part of the land touches on a public road or navigable river, the length of such road or river frontage must not exceed one half the breadth of the lot applied for.

6. Not more than 800 acres will ordinarily be granted to any one applicant, company, or association; and when more than 800 acres are applied for, the applicant must set forth specially the grounds for such application, and give *primâ facie* guarantees that he possesses the requisite capital for working such larger area. All applications for more than 800 acres will be forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner to the Commissioner, who, if he desires to recommend compliance therewith, will forward them to the Board of Revenue, who will take the orders of Government upon each case.

Procedure on receipt of an application.

7. On receipt of an application for any area not exceeding 800 acres, the Deputy Commissioner must satisfy himself, as far as lies in his power, that the requirements of the rules have been complied with. If he considers that the application should be rejected he will record an order to that effect, giving his reasons for such rejection. An appeal will lie from such order of rejection to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days from the date of the order. If the Deputy Commissioner considers that an application for such area as it is within his power to grant should be entertained, or in the case of application for areas over 800 acres, when the orders of Government accepting the application have been received, the applicant or his agent will be required to deposit the cost of survey and demarcation to be made as hereinafter provided. The amount to be so deposited must be calculated at one rupee per acre of the total area applied for. If the area is found to be greater, the sum of one rupee per acre must be paid on account of such excess area before a preliminary lease is granted. Payments under this rule do not cover the cost of erecting permanent boundary marks under Rule 20.

8. On receipt of the sum payable under the preceding rule, and of an agreement, signed by the applicant or by his authorized agent, to pay such further sum as may be required for the purposes above mentioned, the Deputy Commissioner will record an order appointing a tehsildar or other officer to visit the land, and to make full and detailed inquiries into its condition and circumstances.

Preliminary inquiry to be made.

9. The general object of such inquiry shall be to ascertain whether or not the land applied for can be granted under the rules in force; but the Deputy Commissioner may instruct the officer making the inquiry to furnish him with such other specific and detailed information as may seem to him to be necessary.

10. On completion of this inquiry, the officer making it will record the result thereof, and submit a report for the orders of the Deputy Commissioner. If the Deputy Commissioner, after considering the report, and after calling for such further explanations, oral or written, as he may deem necessary, shall be of opinion that the land applied for cannot be granted under the rules, and should not therefore be surveyed, he will record an order to that effect. An appeal will lie from such order to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days from the date of the order.

11. If the Deputy Commissioner decide that the land applied for can be granted under the rules, and should therefore be surveyed, he will record an order to that effect.

12. If the Deputy Commissioner finds the land or any part of it in the occupation of any person or persons or of any village community, he will submit a full report of the circumstances for the orders of the Commissioner, stating in detail how he proposes to deal with such prior occupants; and, if it is proposed to remove them, the compensation, if any, which the applicant undertakes to pay to such persons. The Commissioner will report his orders in all such cases for the information of the Board of Revenue.

13. If any claim or objection be preferred under Act XXIII of 1863, the Deputy Commissioner will proceed to dispose of the same in accordance with the provisions of that Act.

How the survey is to be made.

14. The officer who made the inquiry provided for by Rules 8 to 10 will, on receipt of an order to that effect from the Deputy Commissioner, proceed to point out to the Surveyor the boundaries of the land applied for, and such prominent features in it as may be useful for the purposes of the survey, and which should, in his opinion, be entered in the preliminary lease as hereinafter provided. The boundaries and other features above mentioned should be clearly marked and defined by the officer in presence of the surveyor, and the latter should be furnished with a list of them signed by the said officer.

15. The surveyor will then proceed to make the survey and put up such temporary boundary marks as are necessary for that purpose. He must prepare a map showing—

(*a*)—All natural features of the country lying within the boundaries as fixed by the officer who made the enquiry under Rules 8 to 10, *e.g.*, bheels, streams, forest clumps, &c.

(*b*)—Such features of the country lying outside the boundary of the land to be surveyed as may serve to identify the latter and connect it with the revenue survey or other existing map.

The surveyor is bound to bring to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner any fact which may come to his knowledge in the course of the survey rendering it advisable, that the land he is surveying should not be granted under these rules.

16. The map should ordinarily be on a scale of 16 inches to the mile. If possible, the surveyor's field-book should be copied at the back of it. If not, a copy of the field-book should be attached to or accompany the map. If the map be made originally in the vernacular, the Deputy Commissioner will cause it to be translated into English.

17. On the map being completed, it must be checked by an officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. If found to be incorrect, it will be amended by the surveyor in conjunction with the officer above mentioned. If found to be correct, it will be laid before the Deputy Commissioner with the report of the officer who made the preliminary inquiry under Rules 8 to 10, and with all other papers connected with the case.

18. The Deputy Commissioner will then proceed to consider the application. A date for this purpose must be previously fixed by him, and due notice of it given to the applicant or to his authorized agent.

19. The Deputy Commissioner shall have power to reject an application at any stage of the proceedings under the rules, if he sees reason to do so, refunding in such case to the applicant the deposit made by him on account of survey. He is authorized to reject an application when he does not consider that there is a *bonâ fide* intention on the part of the applicant to cultivate in tea the land applied for, or when it appears desirable to reserve the land for cultivation other than tea, or to preserve any forest standing on it. An appeal against every such order of rejection shall lie to the Commissioner of the Division if preferred within 30 days of the date of the order.

20. If the Deputy Commissioner grant the application, he will without delay grant the applicant a lease in form A of the appendix, and call upon him to execute a counterpart thereof, and to pay for all valuable forest trees as provided in clause 10 of the preliminary lease. He will also direct him to mark out the land leased by a continuous trench, or in such other manner as the Deputy Commissioner may direct. Within three months of the grant of such lease the lessee must, on pain of forfeiture of all rights in the land leased, mark out the land as above directed, and must further erect, at his own expense, such permanent boundary* marks as the Deputy Commissioner may direct. On the expiry of the three months, the surveyor must test the correctness of the boundary line and permanent marks and report the result to the Deputy Commissioner, at the same time pointing out to the lessee or his representative by written notice any corrections that may be required. If the corrections indicated are not made by the lessee or his representative within 30 days of the receipt of such notice, all rights in the land shall be liable to forfeiture to Government.

21. Whenever, after receipt of an application, as provided for in Rule 3, and after making such inquiries as he may deem necessary, the Deputy Commissioner shall be of opinion that there is no *primâ facie* objection whatever to the grant under the rules of the land applied for, he may put the applicant in preliminary and provisional possession of an area not exceeding one-eighth of the estimated area of the land applied for, with the object of enabling the applicant to make preparations for commencing cultivation and getting the land in order. Provided that the applicant, before obtaining such preliminary possession, shall have erected such boundary marks as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, and that the amount of all estimated charges incurred in connection with such preliminary occupation shall have been deposited by the applicant.

22. The order for, and conditions of, such preliminary occupation shall be in the form B in the appendix, and shall be addressed to the tehsildar or other officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. A copy of the order shall be delivered to the applicant, who shall, after receipt of occupation, acknowledge such receipt by signing a copy of the order and depositing it with the Deputy Commissioner.

23. Grantees are not permitted to club or amalgamate their grants, otherwise than by transfers duly registered as provided for in the preliminary lease. Any unauthorized amalgamation will subject the holders of the grants in question to forfeiture of all rights in the lands so amalgamated.

APPENDIX A.

Form of preliminary lease of land in granted by the Deputy Commissioner of to . (name) of (address).

1. THE lands covered by this lease are situated within the boundaries shown by the red lines in map No. , dated , and attached to the lease. The lands may be described as being bounded as follows:—

North.—

East.—

South.—

West.—

Their area is more or less acres, and they are situated in the pergunnahs and tehsils detailed in the margin.

2. The rights conveyed by this lease are heritable and also transferable, provided (*a*), that the entire grant, and not a portion of it, be transferred; (*b*), that the clearance conditions are duly observed by the transferor and transferee respectively; (*c*), that the transfer is registered in the Deputy Commissioner's office within 21 days of the date thereof; and (*d*), that a registration fee of 4 annas per acre be paid to the Deputy Commissioner on the occasion of every such transfer. If any transfer of the rights conveyed by this lease is made otherwise than in accordance with the foregoing provisions, all rights in the land leased shall be liable to be forfeited to Government. After the expiry of this preliminary lease, no right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly provided for hereinafter.

* These boundary marks shall ordinarily consist of a masonry platform at every point where more than two lots or patches of waste or other lands meet, with large stones or mounds at every angle and at every 100 yards of the boundary line between such platforms and other marks.

3. The rent to be paid shall be as follows:—

Year of entry (*i.e.* from actual date of entry to 31st March following) ...	Nil.
1*st* full year (from 1st April following date of entry)	Nil.
2*nd* year	3 annas per acre.
3*rd* "	6 " "
4*th* "	9 " "
5*th* "	12 " "

The rent shall be paid to the tehsildar of in the following instalments:—

1st September, one-half; 1st March one-half.

4. The lessee shall either himself reside on or near to the lands covered by this lease, or he shall appoint a manager or agent who shall reside on or near to such lands, and who shall be provided with a full legal power to act on behalf of the principal in all matters arising out of, or concerning, the lands covered by the lease.

5. The lessee binds himself to conform to all the provisions of the rules for the grant of tea leases under which this lease is granted.

6. Five per cent. of the area of the lands leased shall be cleared by the end of the second year after the grant of this lease, and 10 per cent. by the end of the third year.

7. Any land covered by the lease which may at any time be required for a public purpose, may be taken up by Government free of cost on a reduction being made in the rent payable under the lease proportionate to the area taken by Government. But the value of any improvements or property thereon shall be paid to the lessee, and shall be assessed under the provision of the law in force for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

8. All rights to minerals or quarries of all kinds are reserved to Government.

9. No right of fishery, and no right to dam up or otherwise obstruct the passage of any stream is given by this lease. A public right of way over twenty yards on either bank of every stream, available at any time of the year for local boat traffic, is reserved.

10. All valuable forest trees which are of a girth of three feet and over at the height of four feet from the ground must be paid for by the lessee before possession is given under this lease. The kinds of trees to be so paid for, and the rates of payment for each tree, are those set forth in schedules drawn up for this purpose from time to time by the Forest Department and approved by Government. All other trees and scrub jungle are at the disposal of the lessee.

11. The Deputy Commissioner may at any time enter on, inspect, or measure the area under cultivation, and the lessee may at any time demand that such measurement be made. Provided that the expenses of any such inspection or measurement demanded by the lessee shall be paid by him as rent due. If, after such inspection, the Deputy Commissioner finds that 15 per cent. of the total area held under the lease has been brought under cultivation by means of good husbandry, and actually bears tea plants, the lessee shall be entitled to the renewal of the lease for a further period of twenty years, and to renewals for similar periods in perpetuity, subject to the following conditions:—

(*a*)—Subject to any general or special orders of Government the rent to be paid shall be fixed by the Board of Revenue on the report of the Deputy Commissioner on each occasion of renewal, but shall not exceed the rate of rent per acre paid in the neighbourhood at the time of renewal for the highest class of lands under ordinary cultivation. If at any future time the administration of the tracts under tea cultivation should entail on the State any considerable increase of expenditure, it will be competent to the Government, with the sanction of the legislature, to impose such special taxation as may be deemed necessary, either by raising the rent, or in some other mode. But under no other circumstances will the rent, which has now been fixed for a term of years on the principle above enunciated, be raised during the currency of such term.

(*b*)—The title conveyed by the renewed lease shall be heritable and transferable, provided that no transfer shall be made of less than the whole, and that no transfer shall be valid as against the Government, but shall, on the contrary, be equivalent to a surrender of the lease, unless notification of the transfer shall have been given by the transferree to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of transfer, together with a fee of 4 annas per acre of the area leased.

(*c*)—In all other respects, the conditions of the renewed lease shall be the same as those of the preliminary lease.

12. The rights and privileges conveyed by this lease, and by any renewed lease granted in accordance with its provisions, shall be liable to be forfeited on failure of the lessee to comply with any condition thereof.

13. If before the expiration of this preliminary lease no application for a renewal of the lease shall have been made in accordance with the above provisions, the lessee may be allowed to hold on as a tenant-at-will, but not otherwise, until other arrangements shall have been made by the Deputy Commissioner.

APPENDIX B.

To the Tehsildar of

WHEREAS of

and (name) of

(residence) propose to enter into an agreement in regard to certain land (situated at or near the spot herein described) for the purpose of cultivating tea, and whereas

(name) of

(residence) desires immediately to enter upon occupation of some part of the above lands for the purpose of making preparations for, and for commencing such cultivation, I do hereby authorize the said

(name) of

(residence) hereby to use for that purpose any lands lying within

(here specify boundaries) and not exceeding 100 acres in all.

In the event of a lease being hereafter granted, the date of entry referred to in such lease shall be held to be not the date of this order, but the date of possession being given under such lease. In case of a lease being refused, no claim to compensation shall lie against the Government for any outlay incurred by

(name) of

(residence) on the strength of this order. No rent shall be payable for land occupied during the currency of this order, the term whereof shall expire on the 31st March next.

Occupation under this order, or after its expiry, without an express condition to the contrary, shall never be held to constitute any tenure other than a tenancy-at-will from year to year. The occupant shall keep the boundary line and marks in repair and clear of jungle. A copy of this order has been delivered to

(name) with permission to enter into occupation. You will register him as in occupation of the land under the usual amalnama.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 21st October 1878.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following notification for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 23.)

Bay of Bengal, Coast of Burma.

REPORTED SHOAL, NORTH-WEST OF CHEDUBA ISLAND.

Mr. W. E. Hutchinson, Commanding the British India Steam Navigation Company's steamer *Avagyee*, whilst on a voyage from Bassein to Kyouk Phyou, observed heavy rollers and breakers indicative of a shoal patch, with probably only 2 or 3 fathoms at low water, lying 8 miles to the north-west of Beacon island, Cheduba, coast of British Burma.

From the shoal, West point of Ramree island bears N. by E. ¼ E., and the north-west point of Cheduba island S. E. by S., which places it in latitude 19° 2′ N., and longitude 93° 21′ 30″ E.

CAUTION.—The whole of the neighbourhood of Cheduba and Ramree islands is imperfectly known, and careful navigation is necessary.

[*The bearings are Magnetic: Variation* 2° 55′ *Easterly in* 1878.]

By Direction of the Government of India,

A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, 15th October 1878.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cheduba strait and Ramree harbour, No. 832; Elephant point to Cheduba, No. 821; Bassein river to Pulo Penang, No. 830; Bay of Bengal, No. 70*b*; Indian Ocean, No. 748*b*; and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I., page 490.

If this notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 15th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to compensate Mohendra Narain Roy and Durpa Narain Roy, Sirdar Ghatwals, for service lands previously taken up for the road from Majia to Burjora, in the village of Bhisinda, pergunnah Mahisharah, zillah Bankoora; it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 23 beeghas 13 cottahs 10 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Beldanga; Durgahie and Assuria mouzah; south by homestead lands of Bhisinda and Kamarband tank; east by Rangametta and Dhadka mouzahs; and west by jore of Kustholia and Bawagir tank, is required within the aforesaid village of Bhisinda.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 15th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to compensate Magaram Roy and others, ghatwals, for service lands previously taken up for the road from Durlabhpore to Maliara, in the village of Durlabhpore, pergunnah Bishenpore, zillah Bankoora; it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 beeghas 3 cottahs and 5 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the west by the road leading to Ranigunge; south by the road from Durlabhpore to Maliara; east by mouzah Sirsa; and north by mouzah Panruibad, is required within the aforesaid village of Durlabhpore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4715A.

The 19th October 1878.—Mr. W. C. Muller, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

The 26th September 1878.—The following list of Honorary Magistrates in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs is published for information:—

Alipore Bench.

Baboo Girish Chandra Ghosh.
" Jadab Chandra Ghosh, Ray Bahadoor.
" Govinda Chandra Datta.
" Shyama Charan Laha.
" Jay Govinda Laha.
" Bhagavati Charan Mallik.
Kumar Kanti Chandra Shinga.
Raja Shatya Nanda Ghosal.
Prince Muhammad Rahimuddin.
Shahzadah Muhammad Wahajuddin.
Prince Mirza Jahan Kadr.
" Muhammad Nasiruddin Haidar.
R. C. Sterndale, Esq.
Nawab Amir Ali, Khan Bahadoor.

Sealdah Bench.

Baboo Jadu Lal Mallik.
" Charu Chandra Mallik.
" Nanda Kumar Mallik.
" Pran Krishna Mukharjia.
Pundit Pran Nath Saraswati.
Baboo Balai Chand Shinga.
" Rajendra Lal Mitra, Ray Bahadoor.
" Grish Chandra Ghosh.

Sealdah Bench—(concluded).

Nawab Sayed Ashgar Ali.
" Sayed Ahmed Ali.
Manockjee Rustomjee, Esq.
Nawab Amir Ali.

Diamond Harbour Bench.

Baboo Shyama Charan Patitanda.
J. M. Brachio, Esq.
Baboo Hem Chandra Banerjia.

Baripore Bench.

Cowasjee Edaljee, Esq.
Baboo Kalinath Datta.
" Mahendra Nath Basu.
" Prashanna Kumar Banerjia.
" Bashanta Kumar Ray Chowdry.
" Debnarain Datta.
" Debendra Kumar Ray Chowdry.
" Mahesh Chandra Ghosh.
Sayed Kazi Muhammau Ali.
Baboo Banomally Chatterjia.

Dum-Dum Bench.

Baboo Nilmani Mitra.
" Ghaneshyan Banerjia.
" Nabin Chandra Banerjia.

Barrackpore Bench.

Baboo Banka Bihari Chatterjia.
" Harikrishna Sircar.
" Chandra Kumar Maitra.

Baraset Bench.

Baboo Brindabun Chandra Chatterjia.
" Khettra Mohun Chatterjia.
" Gauri Shankar Ghoshal.
" Kunja Bihari Basu.
" Ram Chandra Chatterjia.
" Mahendro Nath Ghoshal.

Naihatti Bench.

Baboo Gopal Chandra Mitra.
" Gopal Chandra Majumdar.
" Radha Madhub Basu.
" Jadub Chandra Ganguli.
" Gopal Krishna Sen.
" Bhut Nath Har.
" Gopal Chandra Banerjia.
" Tarini Charan Sircar.
" Purna Chandra Chatterjia.
T. Hindmarsh, Esq.
Baboo Hem Chandra Chatterjia.

Busseerhaut Bench.

Baboo Nanda Kumar Basu.
" Sridhar Ray Chowdry.
" Raj Mohan Ray Chowdry.
" Upendra Nath Ray Chowdry.
" Kunja Bihari Nag.

Satkhira Bench.

Baboo Uma Nath Ray Chowdry.
" Kedar Nath Mukharjia.
" Jadu Nath Ghosh.
" Nidhu Lal Haldar.
" Giridhar Sircar.
" Hari Chitanya Ghosh.
" Kali Dass Deb.
" Bashanta Kumar Guha.
" Gopal Chandra Mukharjia.
" Barada Kanta Banerjia.
" Sarada Charan Banerjia.
Bakhsh Khan Chowdry.
Moulavi Tafazzul Hussain.

Burranagore Bench.

Baboo Atul Krishna Basu.
" Mohadeb Ghosal.
" Soshi Pada Banerjia.
" Umesh Chandra Mukharjia.
" Nim Chand Maitra.

Rajpore Bench.

Baboo Nabin Chandra Ghosh.
" Nabin Chandra Ghosh.
" Chiranjib Mukharjia.
" Upendra Nath Mitra.

Nawab Sayed Ahmed Ali, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Alipore and the Sealdah Benches, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

Baboo Shama Churn Laha, Honorary Magistrate of the Alipore Bench, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

The 28th October 1878.—Baboo Nund Kissore Das, Assistant to the Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals, Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge. He is also vested under Section 266 of the Criminal Procedure Code with powers to hear appeals from the decisions of Magistrates of the Second and Third Class.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 26th September 1878.—All Commissioners of Municipalities in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs are appointed to be *ex-officio* Honorary Magistrates, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class to be exercised within their respective Municipalities.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th October 1878.—In supersession of all previous notifications by which sections of the repealed Code of Civil Procedure (Act VIII of 1859) and of the amending Act XXIII of 1861 were made applicable to the Calcutta Court of Small Causes, the Lieutenant-Governor, under the provisions of Section 8 of the Code of Civil Procedure (X of 1877), extends to the Court the undermentioned sections of the said Code:—Sections 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 90, 137, 192 (with the exception of the last paragraph), 209, 223, 225, 383, 384, 385, 386, and 387.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th October 1878.—It is hereby notified that the thanas of Kudumgachee, Tababeriah, Nowabgunge, Allipore, Gobindpore, Bhowanipore, Kullingah, and Ooreeaparah, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, shall be called respectively Baraset, Habrah, Barrackpore, Tallygunge, Diamond Harbour, Hoseinabad, Badooreah, and Bhangore, where the police stations are situated. The Tallygunge police station is also called the sudder police station.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th October 1878.—The site of the Debipore Police Station in the district of Maldah is removed to Ratna. The police station will henceforth be called Ratna Police Station, and will comprise all the villages that were hitherto in the jurisdiction of the Debipore Police Station.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 4th October 1878.—It is hereby notified that in the exercise of the powers vested in him by section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts' Act (VI of 1871), the Lieutenant-Governor vests Baboo Debendro Lall Shome, First Moonsif of Midnapore, with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which he shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of his moonsiffee jurisdiction.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th October 1878.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the provisions of section 34 of Act V of 1861 (an Act for the regulation of police) to the village of Soopool, in the Bhagulpore district.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th October 1878.—It is hereby notified for general information that the site of thana Gouripura, in the sub-division of Brahmanbaria, zillah Tipperah, having been transferred to village Navinagar, about 12 miles to the east of the old site, the name of the thana has, from the 1st September 1878, been changed to Navinagar. The boundaries of the thana were defined in the notification published at page 630 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd June 1875.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 19th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a police-station at Polba, in the village of Polba, pergunnah Ameerabad, zillah Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 beegha 8 cottahs and 10 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by a tank belonging to Ram Kumar Roy and others, on the south by the Dwarbasiny road, on the east and on the west by a plot of land belonging to Ram Kumar Roy and others, is required within the aforesaid village of Polba.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 8th October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. to construct the portion of the road from Meckligunge to Dinhata, which falls within the limits of the village of Agurpara, pergunnah Tepa, zillah Rungpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 beeghas of standard measurement, *i.e.*, in length 3,200 feet and in breadth about 32 feet, bounded on the north by the jotes of Prem Narayan Sircar, Kasinath and Dhube Moonia; on the south by the jotes of the same persons; on the east by the jote of Prem Narayan Sircar; and on the west by the jote of Kasinath Sircar, is required within the aforesaid village of Agurpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th October 1878.

No. 214.—*Notifications.*—Major-General J. E. T Nicolls, R.E., Chief Engineer and Secretary in this Department, resumed charge of his office on the 23rd October 1878, afternoon, on return from the privilege leave granted* to him.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 157 of 15th July 1878.

T. H. WICKES,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. Dept.

No. 215.—Mr. J. A. Campbell, Assistant Engineer (temporary rank), First Grade, joined the Darjeeling Division on the 18th September 1878, after noon.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Major-Genl.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Dated the 23rd October 1878.

No. 275.—*Posting.*—Major J. M. McNeile, R.E., Executive Engineer, First Grade, who has reported his return from furlough, is temporarily attached to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division of the South-Western Circle, with effect from the forenoon of the 23rd October 1878.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 23rd October 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for East Indian Railway Barrack purposes, in the village of Rampore Haut, pergunnah Kowarprotab, zillah Moorshedabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 beeghas 10 cottahs and 4 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by village road leading to Chaldoani tank; on the south by Native Bazar; on the east by Adara tank, Kangal Goalaw's house, and Banee Baboo's premises; and on the west by level crossing railway road and Engineer's Office compound, &c., is required within the aforesaid village of Rampore Haut.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col.*, R. E.,
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9052, *dated 24th October* 1878.—Baboo Tariny Churn Dutt made over charge of the Pooree Jail to Surgeon B. Gupta in the forenoon of the 6th instant.

S. S. LYNCH,
Deputy Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 30th October 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninth Criminal Sessions of the year 1878, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Twenty-fifth day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

W. J. CURTOYS, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৮ সাল ৩০ অক্টোবর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৮ সালের ২৫শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৮ সালের নবম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ডবলিউ, জে, কারটয়েশ,
শরিফ।

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Dacca and Munshigunge will sit in the latter Court on the 30th and 31st October current.

AMRITA LALL CHATTERJEE, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

DACCA SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 23rd October 1878.

TREASURY NOTICES.

MR. DEPUTY COLLECTOR LITTLE has been placed in charge of the Monghyr treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on all other treasuries.

SARODA PROSAD CHATTERJEE, *Persl. Asst. to Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGULPORE DIVISION, the 24th October 1878.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO UMESH CHUNDER BUTTOBYAL has been placed in charge of the 24-Pergunnahs treasury from the 19th ultimo, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Officiating Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESDY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, the 14th October 1878.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that at the next half-yearly examination of Junior Civilians, Deputy Magistrates, &c., commencing on Monday, the 11th November 1878, four local examination committees will be convened in this division—(1) at No. 3, Theatre Road, Calcutta, for officers stationed at the Presidency or employed in the 24-Pergunnahs, (1) at Kishnaghur, for officers employed in the district of Nuddea, (1) at Jessore Sudder Station, for officers employed in that district, and (1) at Berhampore, for officers employed in the Moorshedabad district.

R. L. MANGLES, *Commissioner.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1256B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November 1878, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,000
Total ...	4,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 23rd November 1877, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 20th November 1878 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 11th November 1878, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 20th November 1878.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests
On or about Monday, 2nd December 1878 ...	2,500	2,000	4,500
Total ...	2,500	2,000	4,500

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 24th September 1878.

No. 1297B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

IT is hereby notified that the 230 chests of Behar opium of the manufacture of 1876-77, which were reserved for the French Government and have not been cleared, will be re-sold on account of Government at the opium sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 5th November next, immediately after the conclusion of the sale of 4,500 chests already advertised for that day.

The conditions of the re-sale will be the same as those of the sale referred to.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th September 1878. S. BIRD, *for Secretary*.

No. 1350B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 2nd December 1878, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.—

	Chests
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,000
Total ...	4,500

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 23rd November 1877, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th December 1878 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 7th December 1878, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 17th December 1878.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 29th October 1878.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 16th October 1878.

No. 1075.—The services of Mr. A. L. Clay, C.S., Deputy Commissioner in Assam, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the date of the expiration of his furlough.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 18th October 1878.

No. 54.—Mr. W. H. M. Gun, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a certificate of High Proficiency in Urdu, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rs. 1,000.

No. 55.—Mr. H. M. Tobin, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a certificate of High Proficiency in Bengali, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rs. 1,000.

No. 56.—Mr. S. S. Jones, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a certificate of High Proficiency in Hindi, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rs. 1,000.

POLICE.

The 18th October 1878.

No. 250.—The services of Mr. G. H. French, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Sylhet, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

Simla, the 18th October 1878.

No. 3575.—Mr. J. Westland received charge of the office of Accountant-General, Bengal, from Mr. C. R. C. Kiernander, before noon, on the 12th October 1878.

LEAVE, LEAVE ALLOWANCES, &c.

The 18*th October* 1878.

No. 3548.—The Governor-General in Council directs the publication of the following Addenda to the Codes of the Financial Department :—

CIVIL LEAVE CODE.

Section 24.

Add the following as Rule 3*A on page* 126 :—

Rule 3*A*.—If a Medical Board or Officer thinks it necessary, under Section 38, Rule 3A, to detain an applicant for a medical certificate under observation before finally granting or refusing a medical certificate under the said Rule, the Medical Board or Officer should give a certificate to the applicant as follows :—

" C. D. having applied to us (or me) for a medical certificate under Section 38, Rule 3, of the Civil Leave Code, we (or I) consider it expedient, before granting or refusing such a certificate to C. D., to detain him under professional observation for * days."

If the applicant appears before the Medical Board or Officer within the period of his subsidiary leave, the effect of such certificate will be to prolong his subsidiary leave to the date on which the period mentioned in the certificate expires.

Section 38.

And add under Section 38, *page* 143 :—

Rule 3*A*.—" Before deciding whether to grant or refuse the certificate to an applicant for a medical certificate under Rule 3, a Medical Board or Officer may, in a doubtful case, detain him for professional observation during a period not exceeding fourteen days.—(*See Rule* 3*A under Section* 24.)"

* Here a period not exceeding fourteen days should be inserted.

ACTING ALLOWANCE CODE.

Section 22 (page 232).

Insert the following as note (2) *under the proviso to Clause* (*c*) *of this section* :—

[NOTE (2). When the appointment is the ultimate result of the deputation of an officer to other public duty, and not of the absence of an officer on leave, the proviso does not apply. In such case Clause (*c*) operates absolutely.]

PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

The 18*th October* 1878.

No. 3483.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to rule that when a public officer in civil employ is required by competent authority to leave his head-quarters as a witness on behalf of Government in a court-martial, or in a suit in a Civil Court, he shall receive the travelling allowance to which he is entitled under rule for travelling in the performance of the duties of his office.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 14*th October* 1878.

No. 430.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Heera Lall Bose, temporarily employed on the Neemuch State Railway, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Monday the 18th November 1878, corresponding with 3rd Agrohun 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th March 1878:—

Number.	Toujee No.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	4028	Ten annas share of a zemindary chakle Amirabad, pergunnah Rajnagor.	Guru Prosad, Premchand, Kishori Mohun, Gopi Mohun, Bykanto Mohun and Horlal Roy, Sita Moni and Janoky Devia and Nagor Cashi Kundu.	4,078 7 9½	73 1 7	Entire estate to be sold.
2	6308	Two plots of new char kismut Khagotia in Chur Madan Sankor.	Mr. J. Pogose, Kashi Chandra Roy, Brojendro Coomar Roy Chowdhry, Anond Mohon, Govindo Mohon, Mohesh Chandra, Ram Krisno, Kali Krisno Pal Chowdhry, Guru Prosad, Prem Chand, Kishori Mohun, Horlal Roy, Modhu Sudon, Kristo Mohon Dass and Monnalal Michree.	1,342 11 7	105 14 1	Ditto.

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 10th August 1878. J. E. B. JEFFERY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2.—Taraf Ajodhya Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Chandi Charan, Uma Charan, Kailas Chandra Choudhuri, and Jugal Kishor Datta; sudder jumma Rs. 723-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 7.—Kismat Ambika Babait, taraf Trilok Chandra Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Kailas Chandra Nandi; sudder jumma Rs. 745-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 31.—Taraf Abdul Mazid; recorded proprietor Ram Kanta Choudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 3,597-3-5. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 39.—Taraf Aji Rohollah; recorded proprietors Kamala Kanta Sen, Bharat Chandra Tapadar, and Raj Chandra Sen for self and on part of Bangsi Mohun Sen, minor; sudder jumma Rs. 994-0-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 41.—Taraf Abdul Fozal; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan and Abdul Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 643-3-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 51.—Taraf Aleyar Khan; recorded proprietors Shahamat Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,606-0-9. Share No. 2 of Agbar Ali Khan, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 811-6-3, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 54.—Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimote Anandmoyi and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 849-6-9. Share No. 5 of Raj Chandra Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Isvar Chandra Rai, Bharat Chandra Rai, Srimote Amala, Srimote Pyari, Nanda Kumar Rai, Raj Chandra Rai, Gour Hari Kanungoe, Bhairab Chandra Das, Bisvambar De, Kali Kumar De, Bhairab Chandra, Jugal Kishor, Bisvambar Mahajan, and Kali Kumar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 256-12-10; share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari, Kukur Chand Nan, Krishnomoni, Srimote Perati, Bisvambar Mahajan and Kali Kumar Mahajan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 66-1-3; and share No. 24 of Brajo Mohun, Bishwanath, *alias* Baidyanath, Brejo Mohun, Bholanath, Ghoneshyam, Hara Das Kanungoe, Jan Bibi, Kalicharan, Udayachand, Ulmila, Ranjit Ram, Ram Das, Ram Kishore, Ram Dayal De, Ram Dayal, Ram Dulal, Siva Das Kanungoe, Tonurám, Mrityunjai *alias* Jugal Kishor, Ram Dayal De, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, Shekh Mahamed Assanullah Chowdhry, Pitambar Potdar, Kali Kumar Bhattacharjya, Kamal Kumar, minor, Bisvambar De, and Kali Kumar De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 35-15-10, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 55.—Taraf Aziz Nassarat; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 791-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 127.—Kismat Anandamoye, Jeban Krishno Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishor; recorded proprietors Ram Kumar, Kishori Mohun, Nityananda Rai, Pratab Chandra Rai, and Anandamoyi; sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-10. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 391.—Taraf Bashanta Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Bashanta Ram, Ram Jiban, Ram Chandra, Gouri Charan, Deboo, Shib Charan, Chamaru, Komar Ali, Mohobollah, Agbar, Doman, Magon Das Potdar, Mahamed Daim, Jaffer Ali, Judhishtir Mahajan, Madan Mohan, Bishnupriya, Kamar Ali, Somod Ali, Korban Ali, Ram Shebok, Ramjai, Baisnab Charan Chaudhuri, Gour Chandra Das Chowdry, Pyari Mohun Das Das, Shonaullah, Sharot Chandra Das; sudder jumma Rs. 557-14-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 396.—Taraf Baksha Ali; recorded proprietors Nyamatullah, Nassu, Sher Khan, Dewan Ali, Nurollah, Fatteh Ali, Shamsher Ali, Umar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 937-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 398.—Taraf Bassir Hanif; recorded proprietor Mossumat Jahiranissa Khanam; sudder jumma Rs. 513. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 467.—Taraf Braja Lal; recorded proprietors Braja Lal, Ram Dayal, Kali Das, Brindaban, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Abid, Damodar Mohanta, Ramjan Ali, Warish, Gouri Shunker, Ram Sharan Sarkar, Mahamed Jomil, Chandi Din Shukul, Raj Chandra Kerani, Nil Kamal and Akhil Chandra Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 508-7-3, The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 486.—Taraf Barai Charan; recorded proprietors Golam Ali and Hyder Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 502-9-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 522.—Kismat Bisheshwari, Babait Traf Gouri Sanker Kanangoe; recorded proprietors Mrityunjai, and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,228-13-4. Share No. 3 of Prasunna Kumar Rai, Sarat Chandra Sen, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Dataram Chowdhry, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Sarat Chandra, Jagat Chandra, Juramoni Bhattacharjya, Boloram Bhattacharjya, Shyama Sundari, Karam Ali, Arban Ali, Ram Goti Chakravarthi, Krish Chandra Gupta, Pitambar, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra Anandamoyi, and Kailas Chandra Rai Kanungoe; bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,032-3-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 746.—Taraf Sipi Dowlut; recorded proprietor Shekh Abdullah Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 2,930-1-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 764.—Taraf Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Chandra Prabha, Narayani, Muktakeshi, Srimoti Ambabati, Gurudas, Baisnab Charan, Kali Das, Mohesh Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra, Tarini Charan, Pitambar, Lokomudra, Ram Sundar, Muraridhar, Abdul Ali, Belayot Ali, Abdul Ali, Azgar Ali, Ahassan Ali, Nanagazi, Durga Kripa Rai, Ram Kinkar Purohit, Mirhan Ali, Golam Ali, Arop Ali, Pyari Mohun, Syama Charan Rai, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailash Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romesh Charan Rai, Shristidhar Khansama, Agbar Ali, Parbatti Charan, Udaya Chand Bosu, Nur Ali, Gopi Nath, Dataram, Chandra Kola, Chandra Kola, Syama Charan Rai and Uma Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,905-3-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 805.—Taraf Dullab Ram, Fateabad; recorded proprietors Nemai Charan Nundi, Fakir Chand Nundi, Srimote Bishnupriya, on part of her minor sons Prossanna Kumar and Kamal Kumar Nundi, Bishnupriya and Pitambar Shaha; sudder jumma Rs. 819. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 942.—Nilam Fakirchand; recorded proprietors Uma Charan Chowdhry, Gour Hari, Degambar, Pyari Mohun, and Ambica Charan Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 646-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1017.—Taraf mouza Garangya, Babait taraf Mangad Ram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Hamed Khan, Gaja Raj Senha, Omrao Senha, and Taran Senha Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 2,015-5-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Romes Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1024.—Taraf Gobinda Anandi; recorded proprietors Chhatranarayon; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,061-13-1. Share No. 10 of Chhatranarayon, Darpanarayon, Mahamed Ashrof, Ramjai, Ramjai, Ram Chandra Datta, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Sheik Mahamed Assanullah, and Shekh Mahamed Rohimullah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 707-14-6, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gouri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share No. 1 of Gour Chandra Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 54-6-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1119.—Taraf Hari Shona; recorded proprietors Azimuddin, Hassan Ali, Kartik, Kanuram Mahajan Mobarek Ali, Mahamed Daem Nazir, Mahamed Makim, Nanni, Lokiatullah, Bosson Bibi, and Oliullah; sudder jumma Rs. 1,539-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1143.—Taraf mouza Harina, Babait taraf Mangatram Hazari; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari Khan, Abdul Ali, and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 692-13-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6; share No. 1 of Warish Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9; share No. 2 of Mahamed Somid, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 91-0-6; share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 51-7-5; share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-2; No. 5 of Yassin Khan, Amir Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 142-6-9. No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, sudder jumma Rs. 77-4-3; No. 7 of Bishwanath Surma, sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6; and the remaining share No. 9 of Alaka, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,265-7-8, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1242.—Taraf Imambaksha; recorded proprietors Abdul Bari and Abdul Ali Chowdry; sudder jumma Rs. 697-5-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1269.—Taraf Jashmanta Singha; recorded proprietors Fatteh Ali, Magon Potdar, Umar Ali, Shaffar Ali, Sarang, and Fatteh Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-10-2. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1281.—Taraf Joynarayan Kerani; auction purchasers Sarat Chandra Monohar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 563-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1285.—Taraf Jorip Mahamed; recorded proprietors Jan Bibi, Mahamed Bashirullah Choudhuri and Ram Kanto Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 784-3-1. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1363.—Taraf Jadu Madan; recorded proprietors Ali Raja and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,227-14-9. Share No. 1 of Lal Singh, auction purchaser Shekh Assanulla Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 571-14-5; and share No. 2 of Ali Raja, Ram Krishna, Shib Narayan, and Shib Lochan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 656-0-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1513.—Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Anandamoye, Mahamaya; sudder jumma Rs. 853-4-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1546.—Taraf Karkan Roshan; recorded proprietor Baishnab Charan Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 616-7-7. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1552.—Taraf K. Fernandez; recorded proprietors J. D. Barros, Nityanunda Rukhit, Parbote Charn Rukhit, and Ram Sundar; sudder jumma Rs. 1,640-5-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1671.—Taraf Kooja Hoashang; recorded proprietor Karam Ali Miya; sudder jumma Rs. 1,129-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1714.—Nilam Lakhinarayan; recorded proprietors Ram Doyal Choudhry, Rahamat Warish; sudder jumma Rs. 1,199-15-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1747.—Taraf Manohar Rai Choudhry; recorded proprietors Ramjai De, Srimote Anundamoye, Ram Kumar Roy, Hara Sundari. Raj Mangal Rai, Anundamoye, Syama Sundari, Roghunandan, Ram Kumar Roy, Durga Kripa Rai, Nityanunda Rai, Pran Krishna Rai, Bonomali De, Akhil Chandra Rai, Kailas Chandra Rai, Tara Charan Rai, Romes Chandra Rai, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoye, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohun Rai, Anandamoyi, Anandamoyi, Pratab Chandra Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 2,491-10-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1751.—Taraf Modon Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Lakhi Kanta Datta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 688-6-5. Share No. 1 of Lakhi Kanta Datta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 55-13-3; No. 2 of Ram Hari Datta, sudder jumma Rs. 52-7-1; No. 4 of Kosholya Debya, sudder jumma Rs. 141-10-1; and share No. 5 of Bisvambar Shaha, Ram Ballob Shaha, Guru Das, Ram Komal De, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 424-11-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1884.—Taraf Mahamed Sona Mir; recorded proprietor Shekh Hashmat Ali Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 785-10-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1887.—Taraf Mahamed Raja Mir; recorded proprietors Uma Charan, Gour Hari, Digambar Pyari Mohan, Ambika Charan Choudhry; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1894.—Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 560-1-0. Share No. 1 of Syam Chowdry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 135-8-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 1900.—Taraf Mahamed Monohar; recorded proprietors Alfa Bibi, Ahamadullah, Chand Bibi, Ethar Ali sudder jumma Rs. 666-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2099.—Kismat Muraridhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, Babait Taraf Gouri Shankor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimate Annapurna Thekurani, Krishna Chandra Gupta, Pitambar Sarat Chandra, Anandamoyi, Jagat Chandra, Latoo Miya, Umed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,230-3-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2201.—Kismat Naziruddin Ahmed, Babait Taraf Hossan Wali; recorded proprietor Naziruddin Ahmed; sudder jumma Rs. 1,227-6-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2203.—Taraf Nossim Choudhury; recorded proprietors Jan Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 659-7-6. Share No. 2 of Yakup Ali Choudry, Abdul Rozok, Abdul Bari, and Abdul Golil, minor, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 49-7-3-0; and No. 3 of Jan Ali, Mohesh Chandra, Ramjan Ali, Nityanunda Sen, Gour Chandra Rudra, Nityanunda, Jan Ali, Jagat Chandra Sen, and Wahed Ali, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 362-11-4, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2368.—Taraf Waz, Abdul Hossen; recorded proprietors Shekh Jaker Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 731-11-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2389.—Taraf Paran Darpanarayan; recorded proprietors Ulmila, Fakir Chand Nundi, Chandra Kanta Pal, Nokuleshwar Pal and Bakreshwar Pal; sudder jumma Rs. 601-3-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2411.—Kismat Pravabati, Babait Taraf Braja Kishore; recorded proprietors Abdul Khoyer Mahamed Mahassom Billa and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 667-11-10. Share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and of his mother Sharfannissa Tamaliat Khatoon Choudria, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 41-13-10; and share No. 14 of Baishnab Charan Datta, Fatteh Ali, Gour Hari Biswas, Khulan, Madan Mohun, Mahamed Ali, chaprasi, Warish, Nur Bibi Rahamat Syat, Ram Das, Ram Das, Ram Das, Sarat Chandra, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Shekh Mahamed Bashirullah, Amir Ali, Nur Mahamed, Tarak Charan Datta, Uma Charan Datta, Munshi Trilok Chandra Biswas, Sarat Chandra Waddar on part of Romes Chandra Biswas, and Srimote Nasseban Bibi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 186-11-11, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohun, Guru Das, Hara Das Rai; recorded proprietors Hara Das and others; sudder jumma Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share No. 1 of Kali Kumar, Chandra Kumar, Prasanna Kumar, and Sharada Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 763-1-6; and share No. 2 of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, and Hara Das Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13-0, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2433.—Taraf Pranbollob; recorded proprietors Jag Mohun and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 944-5-5. Share No. 2 of Jag Mohan, Ram Das Chowdhry, Ramjai Chowdhry, Ram Das Chowdhry, Gobordhan Dhar, Abhaya Charan and Srimate Parameshwari, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 708-4-1, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2542.—Taraf Raja Ambika; recorded proprietor Akbar Ali Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 608-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2544.—Taraf Ram Mohun Sen; recorded proprietors Bisvambar Sen, Kasi Chandra Sen, and Golok Chandra Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 884-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Annapurna, Jagat Chandra, Tarak Chandra, Assad Ali Khan; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7; share No. 12 of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemanta Ram De, Chaitanya Charan and Pran Hari Lala, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 163-12, and share No. 35 of Ram Dhan Barnik, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2565.—Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 819-1-7; share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 70, No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar and Shekh Dhonu Shadagar, sudder jumma Rs. 358-7-9, and share No. 5 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Baisnab Charan Chowdhry, Gour Kishor, Gouri Mohun Biswas, Jaduram Thakur, Lolita, Modhuram, Udaya Tara Paran Das Chowdhry, Ram Joy Boidya, Ram Das Sarma, Ram Dhan, Prem Narayan, Ram Chandra Biswas, Radha Ram, Ruhi Das Pal, Shamsher Ali, Sasti Chandra, Srimate Pran Kishori, Rukkini, Nara Sinha Surma, Digambar Bangze, Bodhan Biswas, Pran Hari Laha, Karim Baksha and Baisnab Charan, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 119-13-7, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2566.—Kismat Ram Dulal Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 823-4-10; share No. 2 of Krishna Kumar Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 156-15 and the remaining share No. 4 of Ali Hossen, Baksha Ali, Brindaban Bhairab Chandra, Kanungoe, Lolita, Mohesh Chandra, Mrityun Jai, Nava Kishor Dastidar, Nyamat Ali, Ram Lochan, Ram Jai, Ram Das, Ramgoti, Ram Das, Shamsher Ali, Udoy Nath De, Ram Kinu De, Kashi Prasad Tewari, Shubal Chundra Roy and Jiban Krisna Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 107-0-7, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2588.—Nilam Ram Mohun, Imam Shorip; recorded proprietors Srimoti Pran Kishori, Srimoti Pran Kishori, Kashi Shwari; sudder jumma Rs. 540-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2861.—Taraf Sadaram Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Kishori Mohan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,097-3-2; share No. 2 of Kishori Mohun Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 549-3-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2929.—Taraf Shachi Roshan; recorded proprietors Rustum Ali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 752-11; share No. 1 of Shekh Sadak Ali Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-3 and No. 2 of Karamat Ali Chowdhry, sudder jumma Rs. 188-2-9, and share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 82-5-4, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 2933.—Taraf Shachi Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Aitton and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 826-14-3; share No. 1 of Oloka, Ram Dayal Sen, Srimoti Brajobashi, Jagat Chandra Sen, Tarak Chandra Sen, Babait Malik Gopal Das Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Rasick Chandra Sen, Gogan Chandra Sen, Purna Chandra Sen, Akhil Chandra Sen, Bhikan Chandra Sen, Gagan Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 125-10-11; share No. 6 of Mahamed Bashirullah Chowdhry, auction purchaser babait histcha Pran Krisna, Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, Golok Chandra Kanungoe, babait malik Gopinath, Pyari Mohun and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 18-3-3; share No. 8 of Srimoti Tarakishwari babait malik Pyari Mohun, Durga Mohun, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 3-5-6, share No. 37 of Srimoti Purna Dasi babait malik Gopi Nath, Ram Dulal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 8-11-0; share No. 38 of Srimoti Narayani, *alias* Bashi babait malik Lakshmi Chandra Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 9-13-9; share No. 39 of Srimati Oloka Sundari babait malik Nimai Charn Kanungoe, recorded proprietors Oloka Sundari, Ram Ram Dayal Das, Tara Das Das and Nunda Kumar Das, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 11-3-1; and share No. 46 of Shekh Assanullah Chowdhry, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 102-4-5, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3054.—Taraf Shiba Durga Sharam Chowdhry; recorded proprietors Brindaban, Krishna, Mohan Ghosal, Brindaban Mazumadar, Srimoti Anandamoyi, Ram Kumar Rai, Kishori Mohan Rai, Srimoti Tareni, Pratap Chandra Rai, Nityanunda Rai, sudder jumma Rs. 2,942-8-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3098.—Taraf Shurat Sinha; recorded proprietors Mohes Chandra, Shib Ratna Hazari; sudder jumma Rs. 669-15-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3125.—Taraf Srimanta Ram Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,737-12-0; share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan, recorded proprietors Abdullah Khan, Boidya Nath, Ananda Mohun Naha, Srimoti Waz Khatun, Jan Ali Chowdhry, Boidya Nath Sen, Syam Sundar Sen, Raj Chandra Sen and Bangsi Mohun Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 843-13-9, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3880.—Taraf Shekh Obedullah, Shekh Mahamed Ossi, Shekh Mahamed Ali; recorded proprietors Armana Bibi, Aman Ali, Bonnijan, Abdullah Khan and Mahamed Boshirullah Chowdhry; sudder jumma Rs. 678-14-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhab; recorded proprietors Balak Das Mohanta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4; share No. 1 of Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 441-14-2, and share No. 5 of Balak Das Mohanta and Monohar Das Mohanta, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 468-6-7, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Baraghona.

No. 13107.—Taluq Gouri Sankar, Baiqya Nath; recorded proprietors Srimati Lolita Thakurani and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 701-4-3; share No. 2 of Lolita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 350-10-1 10 kranta, will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which the remaining proprietors have opened separate accounts under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Ramu, mouzah Rajarkul.

No. 23916.—Taluq Obedullah, Shekh Badiaz Zama, Dewan Bibi, Assalat Khan; recorded proprietors Fazal Ahmed Chowdhry, minor and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 933-11-3; share No. 2 of Assalat Khan, Srimati Thanda Bibi, Agbar Ali Khan, Assad Ali Khan, Choonnoo Jan Nuran Nissa and Amiran Nessa, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 662-9-2 will be sold, excluding that portion of the taluq in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Chakaria, mouzah Shurazpur.

No. 33534.—Taluq Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

Thana Satkania, mouzah Shilkope.

No. 33673.—Kaimi taluq Anwar Ali Babait, ijara Azgar Ali, Aman Ali; recorded proprietor Shekh Mahamed Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 612-2-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

For Arrears of Revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Tripura Charan and Annada Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878. G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, under Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 5th day of November 1878, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of May 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Khuushkhul.

No. 41.—Taluq Srimati Tajannissa; recorded proprietor Tajannissa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,904-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Tptak-khali.

No. 48.—Taluq Jaffer Ali; recorded proprietor Srimati Tajannissa Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 627-5-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Chakmarkul.

No. 84.—Taluq Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; recorded proprietors Mahomed Kalu, Kamar Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 835-6-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Ukhiarghona.

No. 142.—Taluq Magan Das Chaudhuri, Indranarain Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipriya, Manorama; recorded proprietors Baidya Nath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 575-14-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bhomoriaghona.

No. 160.—Taluq Kamalapuru; recorded proprietors Baidyanath Sen and Ram Kishor Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 531-13-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Isakhali.

No. 168.—Taluq Mobarek Ali; auction purchasers Fazal Ali and Fazal Ali 2nd; sudder jumma Rs. 508-1-6 The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Pokekhali.

No. 170.—Taluq Gauri Sankar, Baidyanath Kanungoo; recorded proprietors Srimati Alifabanu and Abdul Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 506-13 0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Choufaldandi.

No. 173.—Taluq Aman Chaudhuri; recorded proprietor Mussamut Tajannessa; sudder jumma Rs. 1,386-9-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, mouza Bharwakhali.

No. 177.—Taluq Mahomed Raja, Jamsher Ali; recorded proprietor Jaffer Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 1,000-3-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Bheolamanikchar.

No. 274.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Magon Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 757-10-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Barabakia.

No. 286.—Taluq Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Shekh Dewan Ali Chaudhuri; sudder jumma Rs. 687-9-3. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Baraitoli.

No. 293.—Taluq Ali Mahomed Sikdar; occupant Roshan Ali Darogah, Mahomed Ashrof and Mahomed Azim; sudder jumma Rs. 2,270-6-6. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, mouza Harbang.

No. 295.—Taluq Lal Mahomed Daroga; recorded proprietors Lal Mahomed Daroga; and Srimati Jamal Hossen Chaudhuria; sudder jumma Rs. 941-1-9. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Pinchari.

No. 304.—Taluq Krishna Rangit, auction purchaser Madhuram Bahaddar; sudder jumma Rs. 500-14-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Satkania, mouza Chambal.

No. 307.—Taluq Srimati Tajanissa Chaudhuri, babait taluq Aminullah, Karimullah, auction purchaser Hassen Ali, registered proprietor Farkanda Bakhta and Ohidal Alam; sudder jumma Rs. 1,193-4-10. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza South Nhillah.

No. 460.—Taluq Srimati Khamah Chaudhuria, Srimati Umari Chaudhuria, Lhatong Choudhuri Lhapoo Choudhuri, Lhapechu Chaudhuri, Srimati Chymerao Chaudhuria, babait taluq Fando, auction purchaser Ishan Chandra Das; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 677-11-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Town, mouza Char Shabek Bakalia.

No. 559.—Taluq Ahmed Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi; recorded proprietors Ahmad Ali, Mahomed Issop, Korban Ali, Azgar Ali, Srimati Nur Bibi and Mahomed Noshim Sadagar; sudder jumma Rs. 686-4-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Fattikchari, mouza Kanchannagar.

No. 635.—Taluq Srimati Ronu Debya; recorded proprietor Dewan Ali; sudder jumma Rs. 890-15-8. The entire taluq will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Teknaaf, mouza Teknaaf.

No. 1401.—Taluq Khepong Chaudhuri, Ampuru, Man, Srimati Lan, Srimati Chymepori, Angri Chaudhuri, Kasim Ali, auction purchasers Akhil Chandra Nandi and Abhoya Charan Ghos; sudder jumma including road fund Rs. 699-2-0. The entire taluq will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 31st August 1878. G. M. CURRIE, *Offg. Collector.*

Lime Supply for Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases of the undermentioned valuable lime quarries, situate in the Khasi and Jaintia Hills, Assam, will be put up to auction sale at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Shillong, Khasi Hills, at noon, on the 2nd of January 1879.

The leases will be for three years, commencing from 1st January 1879 and ending 31st December 1881.

Not more than three leases will be permitted to be purchased in one interest.

Any quarry not worked, *i.e.*, not worked to turn out more than 40,000 maunds, will be liable to resumption, and the Government will be at liberty to work such resumed quarry by direct agency.

The rent will be payable half-yearly in advance.

For further particulars apply to Deputy Commissioner, Khasi and Jaintia Hills, Shillong.

No.	Names of the quarries.	Where situate.
		Khasi Hills.
1	Bor Poonjee .	*North*—By lands pertaining to the Cherra State. *South*—By lands of mouzah Kalsirag and of mouzah Bejoy Panduáh, in Sylhet. *East*—By the west bank of Bhooban Cherra *West*—By Doorga Seel.
		Jaintia Hills.
2	Choon Cherra, Loting Cherra.	*North*—By high hills *South*—By the boundary of Sylhet district. *East*—By Techáng and Borgong rivers. *West*—By Oolloo Cherra.
	Rowai Cherra ...	*North*—By high hills of Lákádong or the southern boundary of Lámá-pooshee lime quarry. *South*—By boundary of Sylhet district. *East*—By Loobi or Looka river. *West*—By Techáng and Borgong streams.
3	Nongthalong Poonjee.	*North*—By Padoo and Panradang Poonjees. *South*—By boundary of Sylhet district. *East*—By old road leading from the plains to Amwie Poonjee. *West*—By Moongat river and Borseel.
4	Mooralee Cherra	*North*—By Sotang Poonjee. *South*—By northern boundary of Rowai lime quarry *East*—By Loobia or Looka river. *West*—By western limit of lands appertaining to Mooralee Poonjee.
5	Roopnáth ...	*North*—As far as lime-stone exists northward within lands pertaining to the village of Roopnáth. *South*—By boundary of Sylhet district. *East*—By Oolloo Cherra river. *West*—By old road leading to Amwie Poonjee from the plains.
6	Lámá Pooshee..	*North*—By Lákádong. *South*—By boundary of Rowai lime-stone quarry. *East*—By western boundary of the lands pertaining to Mooralee Poonjee. *West*—By Moongat river and Borseel.
7	Uthmá Cherra...	*North*—As far as limestone beds extend northward within the limits of Uthmá Poonjee. *South*—By southern bank of the Pakhee Cherra stream. *East*—By Pecha Cherra stream. *West*—By Bhooban Cherra stream.
		MALAI-SOH-MAT STATE. *Khasi Hills.*
8	Nokria Cherra ..	*North*—By south bank of Majdoora. *South*—By Panduáh jungle. *East*—By Mashim khasia's garden. *West*—By Shna Sing khasia's garden.
		BHOWAL STATE. *Khasi Hills.*
9	Pathariá Cherra.	*North*—By Ichadora. *South*, *East* } By right bank of Pathariá Cherra from Ichadora to Nowgong. *West*—By Joyram Jhoora.
		MAHARAM STATE. *Khasi Hills.*
10	Ramsondem Rajke.	*North*—By Chapegor. *South*—By Pook Cherra. *East*—By Kala-ram-Rai Cherra. *West*—By Hurrin Tilla Dhul.
		BHOWAL STATE. *Khasi Hills.*
11	Bhowal Cherra...	*North*—By Chota Teekar Tilla. *South*—By Kala Páni, *alias* Pakri Blei. *East*—By Mongla-mera Tilla. *West*—By Cherra Khowree Cherra.
		MAODON. *Khasi Hills.*
12	Ka Long Long.	*North*—By Maw-Ngein. *South*—By Chillai Cherra. *East*—By Umjindem Cherra. *West*—By Warbler and Chillai Cherra.
		MAHARAM STATE. *Khasi Hills.*
13	Tánglá ...	*North*—By Komonee Teekor as far as lime beds exist. *South*—By Pak Cherra. *East*—By Dhamaha river. *West*—By Kalaram-Rai Cherra.
		MAHARAM AND MAIONG. *Khasi Hills.*
14	Monai Cherra ...	*North*, *South*, *East* } By forest and jungle lands pertaining to Mahárám. *West*—By Jadokátá, *alias* Ponàbirth river.
		BHOWAL STATE. *Khasi Hills.*
15	Dholai Cherra...	*North*—By bank of Pathariá Cherra. *South*—By Boora Peer's Mukám. *East*—By boundary of Malai-soh-mat State, *alias* Kukur-maiá Cherra. *West*—By Monglá Morà Tilá.
		MAODON. *Khasi Hills.*
16	Umjindem ..	*North*—By Lum rai-bynem. *South*—By Lum-Tenget. *East*—By Umiáo. *West*—By Umjindem Cherra.
		DWARA NONGTYEMEN. *Khasi Hills.*
17	Borsyrmai ...	*North*—By Pán garden. *South*—By Ka Lád-Luka. *East*—By Lumdilong. *West*—By Lum-rait uh.
		SOH-BAR. *Khasi Hills.*
18	Soh-bar, *alias* Soobar Poonjee.	*North*—By a line running from the high hills above Lingtia Poonjee to the junction of the boundary of Maosmai and Byrang Poonjees as far as limestone exists *South*—By the lands of purgonah Panduah in zilla Sylhet. *East*—By Bor Poonjee Hills as far as limestone exists. *West*—By glen on the boundary of Byrang Poonjee as far as limestone exists.
		Khasi Hills.
19	Silai Cherra ..	*North*—By Lumkharproh. *South*—By Um-sao-leim. *East*—By Silai river. *West*—By Lumdilong.

JEEBON ROY,
for Deputy Commissioner,
Khasi and Jaintia Hills.

SHILLONG DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE,
The 23rd October 1878.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' import warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1878.			
October 19	1 Case, A. H. & Co. in a diamond	Order ...	S. S. Flamingo.
„ 19	4 Cases, E J M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 19	4 Cases, H W G	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 19	1 Case, addressed	Mr. Lawder, Executive Engineer, Naini Tal.	Ditto.
„ 19	1 Cask, N in a diamond, bottom N	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 19	1 Case, 506 in a diamond, top R S .. .	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 19	1 Sample Case, addressed	Anderson, Wright & Co.	Ditto.
„ 17	4 Cases, N G D in a diamond	Order ...	Ship Dundee.
„ 17	6 Drums, R V T A in a cross	Ditto ...	Ship Star of Italy.
„ 17	1 Drum, Soom	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 17	2 Cases, 342 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 17	3 Cases, 766 in a diamond, top E, bottom R ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
„ 17	1 Drum, I T E C in a cross...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
„ 17	1 Case, B. C. S. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ship Berar.
„ 17	1 Case, S A and N in a diamond	Ditto .	Ditto.
„ 17	6 Casks, B in a diamond, bottom B K B ...	Ditto ...	Ship City of Hankow.
„ 17	1 Case, G in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 17	1 Case, D and L, bottom B	Ditto ..	S S Almora.
„ 17	5 Cases, J in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 17	1 Case, 501 in a diamond, bottom W L . .	Ditto	Ditto.
„ 17	1 Case, H J B in a diamond	Ditto	S. S Statesman.
„ 17	1 Case, broad arrow, Northern Bengal State Railway	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 17	1 Case, 563 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
„ 17	1 Drum, S S with V below in a diamond ..	Ditto ..	S. S. City of Edinburgh.

CALCUTTA, the 26th October 1878. (628—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 24th October 1878.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
October 18th 1878	49 7 0	45 11 3	100 12 6	51 12 0	247 10 9	
„ 19th „	61 12 6	60 4 0	134 5 9	68 11 0	325 1 3	
„ 20th „	76 9 0	77 5 6	82 1 9	67 11 3	303 11 6	
„ 21st „	64 0 6	63 7 6	92 10 0	61 1 0	281 3 0	
„ 22nd „	57 4 3	57 6 9	96 5 9	58 2 6	269 2 6	
„ 23rd „	64 8 9	60 8 6	125 7 0	75 4 6	325 12 9	
„ 24th „	71 4 0	61 11 3	114 10 9	67 11 0	315 5 0	
Total ...	444 14 0	426 6 9	746 4 9	450 5 3	2,067 14 9	
Total of previous 41 weeks ...	19,024 14 0	18,542 3 9	34,806 13 3	20,022 5 9	92,396 4 9	
Grand Total ...	19,469 12 0	18,968 10 6	35,553 2 0	20,472 11 0	94,464 3 6	

CALCUTTA, the 28th October 1878. (629—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
254	L 93—61743	50	Bhagoban Chunder Das.
255	L 53—91993	1,000	Taraprosad Bose.
256	O 27—86301	500	Mungun Lall.
257	O 34—46965	100	Gopal Ram Ojoodhya Ram.
	L 93—52595	50	
258	L 93—66567	50	W. Currie.
259	O 34—09198	100	Srimuti Kunjo Lutta Dasi, widow.
260	O 34—60241	100	Gobind Chunder Auddy.
261	O 34—67906	100	Chingee.
262	O 29—54649	1,000	E. Bland.
264	L 28—28480	5	The Deputy Magistrate, Ranaghat.
267	O 24—54052 to „ —54061	20 each	N. B. Paul.
	O 9—32476	10	
	„ —72111	10	
	„ —67503	10	
	„ —67504	10	
	„ —12150	10	
	„ —78972	10	
	„ —25648	10	
	„ —53622	10	
	„ —34618	10	
	„ —19926	10	
	„ —36513	10	
	„ —60218	10	
	„ —51549	10	
	„ —90997	10	
	„ —30208	10	
	„ —08897	10	
	„ —35526	10	
	„ —23210	10	
	„ —38751	10	
	„ —92162	10	
270	L 84—94147	100	Boykunto Nath Kurmoker.
271	O 39—85130	10	Messrs. Trotman and Watkins.
272	O 34—41366	100	Koylas Nath Banerjee.
273	O 23—19925	20	Messrs. H. Dear & Co.
274	O 34—58716	100	Akoo Baparee.
	„ —58713	100	
275	L 99—36351	10	Kedar Nath Ghose.
276	O 11—11153	10	Captain H. Costley.
279	L 93—71796	50	Mohamed Fakeerulla.
	„ —71795	50	
	„ —32584	50	
	„ —70581	50	
280	A 30—39715	100	Bolye Chand Dutt.
	A 23—79460	50	
	„ —97200	50	
	„ —96429	50	
	A 35—17553	50	
	„ —17776	50	
	A 11—20701	50	
	A 57—90556	50	
	„ —00735	50	
	A 56—95621	50	
	A 40—40499	50	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
273	L 93—20017	50	Prosunno Chunder Mitter.
	O 33—72898	100	
	„ —72899	100	
274	L 94—54096	100	Lt.-Col. Garden.
275	L 30—22900	5	The Post Master-General, N.-W. Provinces.
276	O 11—75695	10	Ambica Churn Mitter.
277	L 92—97804	50	Gunga Pershad.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
278	O 24—04232	20	Bonomali Nondi.
	„ —04233	20	
	O 19—45104	10	
279	L 94—75471	100	Hera Shaw.
280	O 14—31781	10	Nogendra Nath Nundy.
281	O 22—87195	20	R. Davies.
282	L 98—32383	10	J. Lee.
283	L 80—64296	20	Hari Narayan Dás.
284	L 29—50908	5	Muna Lall.
285	L 30—98338	5	The Cashier, Pay Master's Office, R. and I. V. S. Railway, Rangoon.
286	L 27—34255	5	Akbar Duftry.
287	O 8—60161	10	Janee Ram Bungseedhur.
288	L 30—29013	5	Bhoot Nath Sarcar.
289	L 30—71640	5	V. P. Harris.
290	L 31—12986	5	Prosanno Kumar Chatterjee.
164	L 91—63600	20	Kena Ram Sen.
	O 21—25609		
165	L 10—25447	5	Messrs. R King & Co.
	„ —25444		
166	L 28—93144	5	Dwarka Nath Mitter.
	„ —93344		
	L 22—54579	5	
	„ —54575		
168	L 28—86678	5	Messrs. Chunder and Nephew.
	L 27—09778		
169	O 21—89914	20	The Officiating Chief Pay Master, E. I. Railway, Calcutta.
	„ —89915		
170	L 11—23302	5	The Manager, Agra Bank Limited, Calcutta.
	„ —23303		
171	A 7—21211	10	Rutnessur Mullick.
	A 6—05432		

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 22nd October 1878.

Notice.

List of unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
1	Case, [A. J. & Co.] M 257	Star of Bengal.
2	Cases, [G C D] W B D	Ditto.
1	Cask, [G & C] P	Ditto.
6	Pieces Iron, G	Ditto.
1	Cake Spelter, F G	Ditto.
1	Piece Spelter, George Hultee	Ditto.
2	Cases, M A W 2225-2226	Mirzapore.
6	Pieces Spelter, no mark	Statesman.
3	Bars Angle Iron, no mark	City of Ningpo.
4	Bundles Sheet Iron, no mark	Cathcart.
12	Bars Tyre Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Bundles Hoop Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bar Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
15	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Pieces Pig Iron, no mark	Ditto.
12	Pieces Spelter, no mark	Ditto.
1	Hogshead, [B] G S	Star of Greece.
1	Cask, J M B	Sheila.
3	Bundles Rod Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bundle Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bar Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Keg, [J B T C] T A L L	Almora.
1	Pole, [J D]	Ditto.
3	Casks, [A]	Brodrick Castle.
2	Bundles Sheet Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, no mark	Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	Ditto.
2	Cases, no mark	Ditto.
3	Cases, [T]	Ditto.
2	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bundle Rod Iron, no mark	Ditto.
10	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
14	Pieces Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
3	Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto.
3	Bars Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto.
2	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Cask, A 50	Navarino.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
1	Case, no mark	Navarino.
2	Robbins, J G	Ava.
6	Bundles, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bag, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, [J E & C] C	Hydaspes.
5	Cases, [R] C 1-5	Ditto.
10	Cases, [D G S] W C S K 91-100.	Orion.
1	Parcel, [T D C] M M 25-29 ...	Discoverer.
2	Bars Flat Iron, no mark ...	City of Edinburgh.
1	Fire Bar, no mark	Ditto.
1	Iron Pillar, C Z	City of Carthage.
2	Bars Round Iron, no mark ...	Merkara.
1	Case, [J & F T] 50	Ditto.
1	Case, [P C A A] H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto.
1	Case, [627] W L	Ditto.
2	Cases, [A W N] 423-424. Akyab.	Ditto.
2	Bundles Hoop Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Case, [B L] D 257	Star of Persia.
5	Casks, [M] 902-906 F. T. B. & Co.	Ditto.
3	Bars Square Iron, no mark, ...	Ditto.
1	Cask	Ditto.
1	Case, R R D	City of Madrid.
6	Bars Flat Iron, no mark... ...	Ditto.
1	Bundle Flat Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
3	Bars Square Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Bar Angle Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Cake Spelter, G H	Naworth Castle.
2	Bars Round Iron, no mark ...	Australia.
4	Cases, [V. S. & Co.] 9-12 ...	Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	Star of Denmark.
1	Case, [P] S. C. D. & Co.... ...	Ditto.
1	Barrel, [X]	Ditto.
3	Kegs, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, [116]	Chyebassa.
8	Bars Round Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
2	Casks, O M, 2-8th Regt., Rawul Pindee	Ditto.
6	Cases, [355] S B D & S 1-6 ...	Ditto.
17	Packages, [S E] S B D & S ...	Ditto.
6	Packages, [28] R B	Ditto.
1	Parcel, Badam Ross, Esq., care of King, Hamilton & Co. ...	Ditto.
1	Bag, [M] R F	Pemba.
1	Chest, no mark	Fathe Salem.
2	Plates, no mark	Ditto.
1	Box, [N T]	Japan.
1	Bag, J N	Africa.
64	Pieces Crockeryware, &c., no mark	Merkara.
1	Bag, [R B] F P	Star of Denmark.

N.B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 9th of November 1878.

2	Bars Iron, no mark	City of Ningpo.
1	Bundle Rattan, no mark... ...	Arratoon Apcar.
3	Bars Iron, no mark	Peter Stuart.

N.B.—The above landed under the Act, will be sold, if not cleared within the 9th of November 1878.

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*
CALCUTTA CUSTOMS, the 24th October 1878.

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Notice.

THE Public are hereby informed that the well known Kartick Baruni Mela, which is held on the banks of the Dhaleshwari, near Munshigunge, in the Dacca district, will commence on the 9th November 1878 A.D., corresponding with the 24th Kartick 1285 B.S., and continue to the 8th December, corresponding with the 23rd Uggrahayan. Tradesmen, dealers, and others may, during this month, buy and sell there with advantage.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

In re Port Canning Municipal Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given that a further payment at the rate of 3 per cent. on the total admitted liabilities of the above estate will be made to debentureholders on proper application to the undersigned on or before the 15th November 1878.

W. M. SOUTTAR,
Offg. Collector of 24-Pergunnahs,
and Manager of the Attached Estate.
ALIPORE, the 15th October 1878. (619—4)

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree and order of the High Court in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction made in suit No. 475 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six [wherein Luckhan Chunder Sadkhan is plaintiff and Shaik Kader Binc, khansamah, is defendant], and dated respectively the fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven and twenty-fifth June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, by the Registrar of the said Court, at the Court House, on Saturday, the twenty-third day of November next, at the hour of twelve o'clock at noon, the undermentioned property:—

All that partly one and partly two-storied, brick-built messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house, together with a piece or parcel of land or ground thereunto belonging, and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation eight cottahs and nine chittacks, be the same a little more or less, situate at and being formerly No. 12, now No. 8, Boodoo Ostagur's Lane, Mirzapore, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say,—on the west by the said Boodoo Ostagar's Lane; on the south by Antony Bagan's Lane; on the east by Government drain and beyond it the family dwelling-house of Moonshee Drastollah; and on the north by the ryottee land belonging to the late Moonshee Meah Jaun.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Office of the Registrar of the High Court in its original civil jurisdiction, or at the Office of Baboo Gonesh Chunder Chunder, Attorney for the plaintiff, No. 5, Hastings Street, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

C. T. DAVIS, *Offg. Registrar.*
GONESH CHUNDER CHUNDER, Plaintiff's Attorney.
HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, the 11th September 1878. (625—1)

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal and Public Debt Office will be closed on Monday, the 4th proximo, on account of the Hindu festival "Juggodhattree Poojah."

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE, *Secretary & Treasurer.*

CALCUTTA, the 29th October 1878. (632—1)

CHARUCHANDER MITTER intends to apply for enrolment as Vakeel of the Calcutta High Court. (623—4)

NOTICE.—Opendro Nath Chatterjee, B.L., Pleader, Bhagulpore Court, intends to apply to the High Court for enrolment as Vakeel thereof. (610—4)

The East India Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is herewith given that the Thirty-second Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Thursday, the 31st instant, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report, passing the account for the half-year ending 30th June 1878, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAMSON MAGOR AND CO., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 16th October 1878. (616—2)

Notice to Contractors.

TENDERS are invited for the execution of 11,236,833 cubic feet of earthwork for the construction of Rajbaree road, in the district of Furreedpore, as per detail below:—

	c. ft.		c. ft.
1st mile ...	756,895	8th mile ...	1,203,851
2nd „ ...	698,760	9th „ ...	1,056,884
3rd „ ...	715,160	10th „ ...	914,269
4th „ ...	522,800	11th „ ...	1,594,406
5th „ ...	719,515	12th „ ...	1,080,036
6th „ ...	646,148	13th „ ...	193,157
7th „ ...	1,134,952		

2. Parties are allowed the option of tendering for the whole or a part only.

3. The tender should be in form No. 7M, of the Public Works Department, and should be accompanied by Rs. 200 as earnest money.

4. A security deposit at 10 per cent. of the estimated amount will have to be deposited within a fortnight from the date of acceptance.

5. The tenders of the parties will be opened on the 15th November 1878.

6. Further particulars may be had on application to the undersigned.

7. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

J. E. B. JEFFERY, *Chairman.*

FURREEDPORE, the 18th October 1878. (627—2)

In the Court of the First Subordinate Judge of 24-Pergunnahs.

EXECUTION CASE No. 79 OF 1878.

Mudon Mohun Mitter, decreeholder, *versus* Jadu Nath Roy Choudhury, judgment-debtor.

IN the execution of the aforesaid decree the following property belonging to the judgment-debtor will be put up to public sale on the 5th day of November 1878, Tuesday, in the Court of the Judge of the 24-Pergunnahs, for the realization of Rs. 271-3-0 due to the decreeholder. Intending purchasers may know further particulars at the Office of the First Subordinate Judge of 24-Pergunnahs.

Lot No. 1.—The four annas share of taluq No. 268, kismut pergunnah Medanmulla, kismut Subudhupore, and sub-registration district Baripore, police-station Baripore, recorded in the name of Ram Tanu Roy and others in the Collectorate of the 24-Pergunnahs, bearing a revenue of Rs. 579 9 annas and 5 pies in whole.

BROJENDRO CUMAR SEAL, *First Sub.-Judge,*
(630—1) *24-Pergunnahs.*

Execution Case No. 60 of 1878.

Kalee Churn Dutt and others, decree-holders, *versus* Jogesh Chunder Dutto, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold pursuant to a decree of the Second Subordinate Judge of 24-Pergunnahs, in case No. 84 of 1875, dated the 17th April 1876, wherein the said Kalee Churn Dutt and others were plaintiffs and the said Jogesh Chunder Dutt defendant, on the 5th of November 1878, by the Nazir of the said District Court of 24-Pergunnahs, the right, title, and interest of the said judgment-debtor in 11 annas 17 gundas and 3 cowries share of the following putnee property, for the realization of Rs. 9,215 annas 12 gundas 9 cowrie 1. The property consists of eight mouzahs, viz.—(1) mouzah Nungi, (2) kismut Nungi, (3) Chowk Chandul, (4) Bangala Uludanga, (5) Murpur, (6) Nijpuejaly (7) Dihi Puejaly, (8) Rajeebpur, and is situated within thana Acheepur and under the Sub-Registrar of Bishnupur, and bears No. 343 in the towjee of the Collectorate of 24-Pergunnahs. The value of the property is nearly Rs. 1,00,000, and its putnee rent is due to Baboo Deno Nath Mullick and others.

BROJENDRO CUMAR SEAL,
(631—1) *First Sub. Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.*

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of GUNGARAM and SEWLALL, Insolvents.

On Wednesday, the 16th day of October instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said court.

Kallynath Mitter, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 16th day of October 1878.

POSTAL NOTICES.

IN consequence of the change, to have effect from the 1st November next, in the running of the trains of the Northern Bengal State Railway, the mails for all stations in the Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Pubna, Serajgunge, Shazadpore, Bauleah, Nattore, Bogra, and Dinagepore districts, the Assam province, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway, will be closed at this Office from the above date at 11 A.M., instead of, as at present, 6 P.M.

Mails for the stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakholly, Cachar, Sylhet, Furreedpore, Burrisaul, and Mymensing districts will continue, as at present, to be closed at 6 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presdy. Post Master.*

CALCUTTA, the 26th October 1878.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Port Blair and Camorta ...	6 P.M.	29th Oct.	*Satara.*
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 „	30th „	*Goa.*
Madras and Ceylon ...	6 „	30th „	*Thibet.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	6 „	1st Nov.	*Euphrates.**
Akyab and Kyouk Phyoo ...	6 „	3rd „	*Commilla.*
Persian Gulf	6 „	4th „	From Bombay.
Ceylon and the Australian Colonies.	6 „	5th „	From Bombay.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 1st November 1878.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 31st October 1878.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 28th October 1878.

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* Mails for Port Blair and Camorta can be sent by this opportunity.

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Bridges, Colonel.
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Mahoney, H. C.
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E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master, Calcutta.*

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 25th October 1878.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	Remarks.
BHAGIRUTTEE.			
Entrance below Joyrampore	3	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction.	3	0	
Entrance below Chourasia...	6	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	9	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	11	0	Lalkhawdiar.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	6	9	Lalbagh.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	5	3	Mazampore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	6	3	Gopeepore.
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance	11	0	
Thence to Tatarparah ...	3	6	Tatarparah.
From Tatarparah to Hat Bolia.	4	0	Megna and Shampore.
From Hat Bolia to Boalmaree.	11	0	Dasparah.
From Boalmaree to Alickdeah.	9	6	Shealmaree.
From Alickdeah to Kissengunge.	10	0	Bastoopore.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.			
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges.	2	0	Jellinghee practically closed.
Thence to Junction with the Byrub.	1	6	
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	8	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	10	0	Peerojpur.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	8	6	Modoopore.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	10	6	Radhanughur.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 28th October 1878, above zero, 8 feet 11½ inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.
BERHAMPORE, the 28th October 1878.

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JOHN ELIOT, M.A., *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 26th August 1875.

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PART V.

Act of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor-General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor-General on the 16th October 1878, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XVI OF 1878.

An Act to amend Act No. IX of 1878 (*for the better control of Publications in Oriental languages*).

Preamble.

Whereas by Act No. IX of 1878 (*for the better control of Publications in Oriental languages*), section five, it is exacted that when any publisher or printer is called upon by a Magistrate or Commissioner of Police to execute a bond under that Act in respect of any newspaper, the publisher of such newspaper may deliver to such Magistrate or Commissioner an undertaking in writing to the effect that no words, signs, or visible representations shall, during the year next following the date of such undertaking, be printed or published in such newspaper which have not previously be submitted to such officer as the Local Government may appoint in this behalf, by name or in virtue of his office, or which on being so submitted have been objected to by such officer, and that when such undertaking has been so delivered, no such bond and no such deposit as is mentioned in section four of the said Act shall be required from the publisher or printer of such newspaper during the said year;

And whereas by the last paragraph of section eight of the same Act it is provided that the publisher of any newspaper may, on the publication of a notice in respect thereof under section six of the said Act, and before anything has become liable to forfeiture under the said section eight in respect of such newspaper, deliver to the Magistrate of the District, or to the Commissioner of Police in a Presidency-town, within the local limits of whose jurisdiction such newspaper is published, an undertaking as aforesaid, and, if such Magistrate or Commissioner accepts such undertaking, nothing shall become liable to forfeiture as aforesaid between the date on which such undertaking is so accepted and the end of the period for which it is given;

And whereas by the same Act, section eighteen, it is enacted that when any publisher of a newspaper has given any undertaking as aforesaid, and during the period for which such undertaking is given, any words, signs or visible representations which have not been submitted to the officer appointed as aforesaid, or which on being so submitted have been objected to by him, are printed or published in such newspaper, such publisher and the printer of such newspaper shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine, or with both;

And whereas it is expedient to repeal the enactments and proviso hereinbefore recited and the reference in section three of the said Act to the said section five; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Repeal of Act IX of 1878 sections 5 and 18, and parts of sections 3 and 8.

1. The following portions of the said Act are repealed (that is to say) : sections five and eighteen, the last paragraph of section eight, and in section three, the words "and subject to the provisions of section five."

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Legislative Department.

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PART VI.

Bill of the India Council.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor-General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 16th October 1878, and was referred to a Select Committee :—

No. 9 of 1878.

Bill to authorize the destruction of Useless Records in Courts in British India.

Preamble.

Whereas it is expedient to empower the High Courts throughout British India to destroy or otherwise dispose of useless records, books, and papers belonging to or being in such High Courts, or in the Courts subordinate thereto; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title. Local extent. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Destruction of Records Act, 1878 :" it extends to the whole of British India; and it shall come into force at once.

Repeal of Bombay Act VI of 1865, and part of Act XX of 1875.

2. Bombay Act No. VI of 1865 (*to authorize the Destruction of Useless Records in certain Courts of the Bombay Presidency*) and the last twenty-eight words of section eight, clause (*c*), of the Central Provinces Laws Act, 1875, shall be repealed.

Amendment of Act XVIII of 1876, section 30.

In section thirty-nine, clause (*e*), of the Oudh Laws Act, 1876, between the word "such" and the word "records" the word "revenue" shall be inserted.

Power to High Court to make rules for disposal of documents.

3. The High Court may, from time to time, make rules respecting the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of such records, books, and papers belonging to or being in the custody of such High Court, or the Court subordinate thereto, as the High Court may consider useless or unworthy of being permanently preserved.

So far as regards his own Court and the Court of Small Causes in Rangoon, the Recorder of Rangoon shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be a High Court.

Similar power to High Courts at Fort William, Madras, and Bombay with respect to documents in Insolvency Courts.

4. The High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras, and Bombay may respectively from time to time make rules respecting the disposal of records, books, and papers belonging to or being in the custody of the Courts for the relief of Insolvent Debtors held under the provisions of the eleventh and twelfth of Victoria, chapter twenty-one, in the towns of Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay.

Rules when to have force of law.

5. All rules made under this Act shall be submitted for sanction to the Local Government and, on receiving such sanction, shall be published in the official Gazette, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

6. All rules and orders hitherto made which would have been valid had they been made under this Act shall be deemed to have had the force of law from the date on which they were made, and shall continue to have such force until they are rescinded by rules made under this Act; and no suit or other proceeding shall be maintained or continued against any person for the disposal by destruction or otherwise of any records, books, or papers, in accordance with any such rules or orders.

Validation of destruction of documents hitherto.

Bar of suits.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill (which owes its origin to a difficulty felt in the High Court at Bombay) is to give the various High Courts power to dispose of the masses of useless records which, from day to day, are accumulating in these Courts and in the Courts subordinate to them. Legislation is necessary to give this power, as the documents proposed to be destroyed are, in some cases at all events, private property. The various local legislatures might no doubt provide for the Courts within their territories respectively, but as there would still remain certain Provinces for which none of those legislatures could provide, and as it seems desirable to have one general law applicable to the whole of India, the Government of India have taken the subject into their own hands.

In addition to the power given to the High Courts to make rules for themselves and the Courts subordinate to them, the High Courts at Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay, have been empowered to make rules in the case of the Courts for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in these towns respectively; for the latter Courts, as at present constituted, are neither divisions of the High Courts nor Courts subordinate to the High Courts, though presided over by Judges of the High Court, and subject to rules and regulations made by that Court.

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D. FITZPATRICK,
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July 8th...	207	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 0 0	Amviká Charan Gupta, of Bhangamorá.	A love tale of the times of Kutubuddin. Hemantakumár, a Brahmin youth, is the hero, and Jámini and Kádamviní are the heroines. The story is uninteresting, and the work has no merit.	1661
June 5th ..	112	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	1 0 0	Navín Kálí Deví of Jamalpore.	Kiran Málá, the heroine, is married to Sharatchandra, whose parents had long unknown to each other, wandered about as mendicants. They at last meet and become happy. Many characters are introduced into this book which do not possess any individuality. The production is meagre.	1662
June 20th..	191	12mo, ...	4th ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 2 0	Bankim Chandra Chatterji of Kántálpara.	A love tale of the times of Kutubuddin. The conquest of Bengal by Bukhteiar Khiliji; the flight of the old Hindu king; the adventures of Hemchandra, the young prince of Magadh; his marriage with Mrinálini, and their temporary separation and ultimate reconciliation, are described with considerable skill.	1663
Aug. 20th..	56	8vo. ...	1st ...	600	ditto ...	0 6 0	Vinod Vihárí Shíl, No. 118, Chitpore Road. Kedárnath Ganguli, No. 14, Goálápárá Lane, Calcutta.	A translation into Bengali prose, interspersed with poetry, of Shakspeare's Tempest, together with a biographical sketch of the poet. The execution is stiff and has little to recommend it.	1664
June 29th..	128	Dy. 12 mo.	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	The Christian Vernacular Education Society, No. 23, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.	A tale of Native Christian household life. The style is simple and elegant.	1665
July 15th..	120	Dy. 8vo.	2nd ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Bhuvan Chandra Mukerji, Táligunj, Calcutta.	A tale of the Sikh war, depicting the fierce and lawless character of the Sikh Chiefs of the period. The story will be concluded in the second part.	1666
June 24th..	172	12mo. ...	8th ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Harinath Mazumdár, Kumárkháli.	Adventures of love and travel.	1667

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1668	Virájmohan (a name) ...	Bengali	Deví Prasanna Vasu.	Fiction ...	Printed and published at the B. P. M.'s Press, No. 22, Jhámápukar Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by B. P. Majumdár, and published by Jagneshwar Rai Choudhuri.
1669	Kristakánter Will; or, the Will of Krista Kánta.	ditto ...	Bankim Chandra Chatterji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Banga Darshan Press, Kántálpárá.	Printed and published by Rádhá Náth Banerji.
1670	Bhúgol Vivaran; or, a Descriptive Geography.	ditto ...	Táriní Charan Chatterjí.	Geography E.	Printed and published at the Girish Vidyáratna Press, 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kaviratna and published by Grish Chandra Vidyáratna.
1671	Geography of the provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and the Chief Commissioner of Assam.	ditto ...	Dínanáth Sen ..	ditto ...	Printed and published at the New School Book Press, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Vihárilál Chakravartí.
1672	Jyámitik Atirikta Sangraha; or, a Collection of Geometrical Exercises.	ditto ...	Abalá Kánta Sen.	Geometry, E.	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Tattwa Press, 28, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Bholánáth Chatterji.
1673	Bángála Vyákaran Upakramaniká; or, an Introduction to Bengali Grammar.	ditto ...	Jadunáth Chatterjí.	Grammar, E.	Printed at the Rájkíya Press, 71, Cornwallis Street, and published at 21, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Srísh Chandra Bhattácháryya, and published by the Superintendent, Female Normal School, Calcutta.
1674	Vyákaran Koumudí; or, Outlines of Sanskrit Grammar. Part I.	ditto ...	Ishwara Chandra Vidyáságara.	ditto ...	Printed at the Sanskrit Press, 62, Amherst Street, and published at 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Pítámvar Banerji, and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.
1675	Bharátvarsher Itihás; or, History of India. Part I.	ditto ...	Nilmani Mukerjí, M. A. and B. L.	History, E.	Printed and published at the New School Book Press, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Vihárilál Chakravartí.
1676	Ditto ditto. Part I.	ditto	Jadugopál Chatterji.	ditto ...	Printed at J. G. Chatterji and Co.'s Press, 44, Amherst Street, and published at No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Vihárilál Banerji, and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.
1677	Bháratiyá Granthávalí; or, Indian Works. Part I.	ditto ...	Rájendra Náth Datta.	Literary Criticism.	Printed and published at the Soma Prakásh Press, Bhowanipore.	Printed and published by Kedár Náth Chakravartí.
1678	Ayurvedokta Nútan chikítsá Darshan; or, A New system of Medicine according to the Ayurveda.	ditto ...	Hárádhan Sharmá Kanthábharan and Bholánáth Mukérjí.	Medicine, H.	Printed at the Kavitá Ratnákar Press, No. 17, Brindában Basak's Street, and published at No. 115, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Fakir Chánd Dás, and published by Víshwambhar Láhá.
1679	Rognidán o Chikítsá; or, the Diagnosis of diseases and their treatment. Part II.	ditto ...	Pramatha Náth Dás, M.B.	Medicine, E.	Printed and published at the Norman Press, No. 192, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Kumar & Co., and published by Pramathanáth Dás.
1680	Bámáganer Pírá bá chikítsá; or, the Diseases of Women and their treatment.	ditto ...	Káli Krishna Mitra.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the G. P. Roy & Co.'s Press, No. 21, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by G. P. Roy & Co.
1681	Chikítsá Kalpadrumá; or, an Encyclopædia of Practical Medicine No. 7.	ditto ...	Jadunáth Mukerjí, L.M.S.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Prakásh Press, No. 198, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nityánanda Ghosh.
1682	Ditto ditto. No. 9	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...

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BOOKS.—(Continued.)									
1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
July 24th..	158	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	Printed	1 4 0	Deví Prasanna Vasu, No. 93, College Street, Calcutta.	A tale descriptive of Hindu society. The writer dwells on the necessity of popularizing widow marriage in Bengal.	1668
The work is called after the hero Virájmohan, the illegitimate child of a young Hindu widow, who parted with the infant a few days after its birth. He is described as pious, and of a melancholy disposition. He is adopted and brought up by a wealthy person to whose fortune he succeeds. The mother and son meet in the end.									
Aug. 29th	170	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 2 0	Bankim Chadra Chatterji, Kántálpára.	Krista Kánta Rayá, a wealthy zemindar, makes a will in favor of his nephew Govindalál, but finding that the latter is intimate with Rohini, a woman of lax virtue, he alters the will, and conveys Govindalál's share to his injured wife Bhramar. This widens the breach between the husband and wife. Govinda Lál deserts his wife and lives in an obscure village with Rohini, whom he subsequently murders on discovery of her faithlessness. He then comes back and seeks forgiveness of his wife who, however, has been pining away and now dies. Govindalál is seized with madness and drowns himself. The descriptions of native society and native character are clever and humorous.	1669
June 20th	300	12mo. ...	29th...	3,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	Táriní Charan Chatterji, of Nuddea.	The best school geography in Bengali, and contains much information.	1670
„ 3rd	136	12mo. ...	4th...	2,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Dínanáth Sen, of Dacca.	Compiled from a variety of original sources, the most recent and authentic.	1671
Aug. 25th	191	12mo. ...	1st...	1,100	ditto ...	1 0 0	Abalá Kánta Sen, of Khátwá.	A collection of exercises on the 1st book of Euclid.	1672
„ 16th	138	12mo. ...	1st...	500	ditto ...	0 8 0	Jadu Náth Chatterji, Shyámpukur, Calcutta.	Intended for the use of schools.	1673
„ 18th	115	12mo. ...	13th...	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Ishwara Chandra Vidyáságara, Calcutta.	An elementary Sanskrit grammar in Bengali.	1674
June 8th	174	12mo. ...	4th...	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Nilmani Mukerji, M. A., Dhákuriá.	A brief account of India under Hindu and Mahomedan rule.	1675
Aug. 19th	162	12mo. ...	8th..	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Jadugopal Chatterji, 44, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	To the downfall of the Mogul empire.	1676
May 8th	106	Dy. 8vo.	1st...	500	ditto ...	1 0 0	Rájendra Náth Dutta, Ráyná.	A descriptive catalogue of the ancient works of India, with an attempt to fix their chronology, and brief critical notices.	1677
June 4th	383	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 0 0	Vishwambhar Láhá, No. 15, Káliprasád Dutt's Street, Calcutta.	An interesting compilation made from the Ayurveda. The style is simple and clear.	1678
„ 10th	237	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	1 8 0	Pramathanath Das of Rámkistapore, Howrah.	Calculated to prove a useful work	
Sept. 2nd	172	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	2 0 0	Káli Krishna Mitra, Bárásat.	A homœopathic work, written simply, and containing a carefully prepared list of diseases and their treatment.	
Feb. 10th	16	4to. ...	1st ...	1,050	ditto ...	0 8 0	Jadunath Mukerji, No. 198, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Treats of medicine, surgery, midwifery, and opthalmic diseases	
Aug. 30th	16	4to. ...	1st ...	1,050	ditto ...	0 8 0	ditto ...	ditto	

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1683	Ratna Sár; or, Choice Gems. Part I.	Bengali	Kámákhya Charan Ghosh.	Miscellaneous, E.	Printed and published at the East India Press, Harinábhi.	Printed and published by Trailokyanáth Chakravartí.
1684	Shishu Vodhak; or, the Infant Instructor.	ditto ...	Not given.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the N. L. Shíl's Press, No. 99, Ahíritola Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nrityálál Shíl.
1685	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Hindu Press, No. 61, Ahíritola Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Gopal Chandra Mánná.
1686	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Harihar Press, No. 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Govinda Charan Datta, and published by Akshay Kumár Ráyá & Co.
1687	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	Venímádhava Bhattácháryya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the General Printing Press, No. 115, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Venímádava Bhattácháryya.
1688	Páthmanjarí; or, a Collection of Lessons.	ditto ...	Rajaníkánta Gupta.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Prakásh Press, No. 198, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nítyananda Ghosh.
1689	Gopan Vihár, Dwitíya Khanda; arthát Kalirájár Vibaran, Ekákár ityádi; or, Secret Wanderings. Part II. A description of the Kalirajah, and of the present mixed condition of society.	ditto ...	Ishwara Chandra Sarkár.	Poetry ...	Printed and published at the Harihar Press, 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Govinda Chandra Dutta, and published by Akshay Kumar Ráya & Co.
1690	Helená Kávya; or, Helená. A poem. Part II. With notes.	ditto ...	Ananda Chandra Mitra.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Ráya Press, 17, Bhavani Charan Dutt's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghoshál, and published by the author.
1691	Kavitá; or, Verses ...	ditto ...	Jádavendra Banerjí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Gupta Press, 24, Mirjáfar's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Matilál Dás, and published by Jádavendra Banerji.
1692	Kavitá Pustak; or, Book of Verses.	ditto ...	Bankim Chandra Chatterjí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Banga Darshan Press, Kántalpara.	Printed and published by Rádhánath Banerjí.
1693	Mahákavi Dásharathi Ráya Krit Pánchéli; or, Metrical compositions by the great poet Dásharathi Ráya. Parts I. to V.	ditto ...	Late Dásharathi Ráya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vidyáratna Press, 285, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Arunodaya Ghosh, and published by Venímádhava De & Co.
1694	Nibhrita Nivás Kávya; or, the Lonely Habitation. A poem. Part I.	ditto ...	Rájkrishna Rayá.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Albert Press, 37, Mechua Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Ashutosh Ghosh & Co.
1695	Satík Bhárat Chandra Ráya Gunákarer Grantha Sankalan Pustiká; or, the collected works of Bhárat Chandra Ráya Gunákar, with notes.	ditto ...	Edited by Venímádhav De & Co.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vidyáratna Press, 285, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Arunodaya Ghosh, and published by Venímádhava De & Co.

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1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
May 31st	100	Dy. 12mo.	8th ..	2,000	Printed.	0 5 0	Kámákhyá Charan Ghosh.	Adapted for the use of schools.	1683
July 10th	100	12mo.	Not given.	9,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Not given ...	Containing miscellaneous information, lessons in verse and prose, &c., &c.	1684
May 25th	120	12mo.	ditto	3,000	ditto ...	0 2 0	ditto ..	ditto ...	1685
July 5th	114	12mo.	ditto	3,000	ditto	0 4 6	Akshaya Kumár Rayá & Co., Calcutta.	ditto ..	1686
May 30th	109	12mo.	2nd .	6,000	ditto ..	0 2 0	Venímádhava Bhattácháryya, No. 115, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	ditto ...	1687
Aug. 14th	114	12mo.	1st ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Rajaná Kánta Gupta, Hindu Hostel, Calcutta.	Simple lessons in prose and verse for the use of schools.	1688
June 27th	101	12mo. ...	Not given	1,000	ditto .	0 9 0	Akshay Kumár Káya & Co., Calcutta.	Doggerel rhymes setting forth the sins of the present or Kali age, such as the gradual abolition of all caste distinctions, the eating of prohibited food by Brahmins, &c., &c.	1689
May 12th	109	12mo. ...	1st ..	600	ditto ..	0 12 0	Ananda Chundra Mitra, Mymensing.	Descriptive of the fate of the Grecian warriors after the Trojan war. The poem is written in blank verse, in imitation of M. M. Dutt, and possesses some merit.	1690
July 6th	118	12mo. ..	1st ..	500	ditto ...	Not given	Jádavendra Banerji of Darjeeling.	A collection of verses on different subjects, such as the Kokil, Kuver, the Himalaya mountains, &c., &c. The sentiments are meagre and the composition very unrythmical.	1691
Aug. 18th	112	12mo. ...	1st ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 10 0	Bankim Chundra Chatterji, of Kántalpárá.	Verses reprinted from the "Bangadarshan," "Bhramar," and two poems composed by the author when a boy. The author has republished three small essays in prose, which he would have regarded as poetical.	1692
July 21st	692	16mo. ...	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ...	1 8 0	Rájkishor De, 90 and 91, Ahiritolah Street, Calcutta.	The songs and other metrical compositions of Dáshrathi are exceedingly popular all over Bengal.	1693
June 29th	121	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 10 0	Ashutosh Ghosh & Co., 37, Mechua Bazar Street, Calcutta.	An original production of great merit. The first part contains the lament of a widowed lover. The description of the earth, and other planets as beheld by the spirit of the heroine, beautiful and chaste, in its ascent heavenwards in company with celestial nymphs, is thoroughly poetical; there is considerable similarity between it and certain passages in Shelley's Queen Mab.	1694
July 28th	640	16mo. ...	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ...	1 4 0	.....	Poems and a life of the poet. The printing and get-up are good.	1695

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1696	Pada Kalpa Latiká; or, Songs and Verses.	Bengali..	Late Gourímohan Dás.	Poetry ...	Printed and published at the Chaitanya Chandro Daya Press, 319, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Jadunáth Ghosh.
1697	Premollás; or, Ecstasy of Love.	ditto ...	Kálidás Sarkár	ditto ...	Printed and published at the N. L. Shil's Press, 99, Ahiritolah Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nritya Lál Shil.
1698	Vichhedvilás Kávya; or, the Lament of the Milk-maids over the absence of Krishna. A poem.	ditto ..	Lakshmí Kumár Chakravartí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vidyáratna Press, 285, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Arunodaya Ghosh, and published by Venímádhava De & Co.
1699	Viláp Málá; or, a Garland of Lamentations. Part I.	ditto ..	Shrí Shrí Govinda Choudhuri.	ditto	Printed and published at the Kar Press, 107, Shyám Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Jadunáth Mandal, and published by Shri Govinda Choudhuri.
1700	Muktálatávalí Grantha; or, a Garland of Pearls.	ditto ...	Durgáprasád Sarmá.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Trailokyanáth Datta.
1701	Sarva Vrihat Tarjár Larai; or, the Grandest of all Responsive Songs.	ditto ...	Gopálchandra Pál.	ditto ...	ditto ..	Printed by Trailokyanáth Datta, and published by Vishwambhara Chandra.
1702	Ditto ditto. Part V.	ditto ..	ditto ..	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
1703	Vyavahár Darshan; or, the Science of Politics. Part I. The Introduction.	ditto ...	Anandachandra Mitra.	Political Economy, E.	Printed at the Ráya Press, 17, Bhowanicharan Dutt's Lane, and published at Mymensing.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghosál, and published by Shrínáth Chandra.
1704	Bháratía Nátya Rahasya; or, the History of the Indian Stage.	ditto .	Sourindra Mohun Tagore, Doctor of Music.	Rhetoric, E	Printed and published at the New Bengal Press, 102, Grey Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Sáradáprasád Chatterji, and published by Sourindra Mohun Tagore.
1705	Játriker Gati, arthát Ihalok haite Paraloke Játrá Vivaran; or, the Pilgrim's progress from this world to that which is to come.	ditto ...	Edited by the Rev. S. C Ghosh.	Religion, C.	Printed at the Sáptáhik Samvád Press, No. 9, Rámmohun Dutt's Road, Bhowanipore, and published at No. 23, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Vrajamohan Vasu, and published by the Christian Tract and Book Society, Calcutta.
1706	The Gospels and Acts, annotated in Bengali.	ditto ..	The Bible Translation Society.	ditto .	Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, No. 24 Lower Circular Road, and published at the Bible Translation Society, Calcutta.	Printed by Rev. G. H. Rouse, and published by the Bible Translation Society.
1707	Hindu Dharma Tattwa; or, the Principles of the Hindu Religion.	ditto ...	Rákhál Dás Mukerji.	ditto, H...	Printed at the Suburban Press, No. 28, Jeliapara Road, Bhowanipore, and published at Bhowanipore.	Printed and published by Priyanáth Mallik.
1708	Gadya Mahábhárat; or, the Mahábhárat in prose. No. 2.	ditto ...	Translated by Mahendranáth Bhattácharjya.	ditto .	Printed and published at the Bhárat Press, No 367, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Pratápchandra Ráya.
1709	Ditto ditto. No. 22 ...	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ..	ditto ..	ditto ...
1710	Ditto ditto. No. 23 ..	ditto ..	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ...
1711	Ditto ditto. No. 24 ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
1712	Ditto ditto. No. 25 ..	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ..
1713	Ditto ditto. No. 26 ...	ditto .	ditto ..	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
1714	The Mahábharat. No. 7	ditto ...	Translated into Bengalí verse by Nemaicharan Sinha.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Vudhodaya Press, Hooghly.	Printed and published by Káshínáth Bhattácháryya.
1715	Puran Ratnákar; or, the Ocean of Purans. Parts V and VI. No. 10.	ditto	Translated by Rámsevak Vidyáratna.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Sáhitya Press, No. 47, Páthuriaghata Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Jadunáth Ghosh, and published by Ramsevak Vidyáratna.

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1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
June 26th	120	12mo. ...	Not given.	3,000	Printed	0 8 0	Mahendralál Shíl, Ahiritola Street, Calcutta.	Verses describing the acts of Krishna during his childhood, and his sports with the milkmaids of Vraj.	1696
„ 24th	128	16mo. ..	4th ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 4 0	Nrityalál Shíl, Benetolah, Calcutta.	The adventures of Bhágyadhar, a clever young man, who was always successful in everything he undertook. A common place production.	1697
July 16th	168	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto	1 0 0	Lakshmí Kumár Chakravarti of Vikrampore.	The sports of Krishna with the milkmaids of Vraj; their distracted lamentations during his absence in Mathurá..	1698
June 20th	107	8vo. ...	1st	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Shrí Govinda Choudhuri of Tántivandha.	Lament of a transported convict and other verses. The lines are generally musical.	1699
Aug. 30th	118	12mo. ..	2nd	250	ditto	0 1 9	Trailokyanath Datta, Calcutta.	The sports of Krishna with the milkmaids of Vraj described in verse.	1700
„ 17th	112	12mo. .	2nd .	1,000	ditto .	0 3 0	Vishwambhara Chandra, Calcutta.	Competitive songs composed extemporaneously on different subjects connected with the Puranas.	1701
„ 17th	104	12mo.	2nd ...	1,000	ditto	0 3 0	ditto ..	ditto	1702
May 12th	103	12mo. ..	1st ...	600	ditto .	0 12 0	Anandachandra Mitra, Mymensing.	An introduction to the science of politics and explanations of the terms employed therein. A useful work.	1703
Mar. 21st	268	16mo. .	1st ...	500	ditto ...	Nil.	Sourindra Mohan Tagore, Pathuriaghatá Street, Calcutta.	A treatise on the Hindu drama. The works noticed are however all Sanskrit, and they are judged by the rules of Sanskrit rhetoric.	1704
„ 11th	410	Dy.12mo	2nd ..	2,000	ditto ...	0 10 0	The Christian Tract and Book Society, No. 23, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta	A translation of Bunyan's famous work.	1705
July 23rd	712	8vo. ..	1st	1,000	ditto ...	2 8 0	Not given ...	The typography is very beautiful. The style of the notes is simple and clear.	1706
„ 7th	307	Dy. 8vo.	1st ...	1,000	ditto .	3 0 0	Rákháldás Mukerji, of Bhowanipore.	An attempt to explain the leading tenets and mysteries of the Hindu religion, such as image worship, the amours of Krishna, &c., on rationalistic principles.	1707
May 30th	92	8vo. ..	2nd ...	500	ditto ...	0 12 0	Pratápchandra Raya, Jorásanko, Calcutta.	The Adi Parva ..	1708
„ 25th	112	8vo. ..	2nd ..	2,000	ditto .	0 12 0	ditto ...	The Virát Parva	1709
June 20th	90	8vo. ...	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto	1710
July 5th	104	8vo. ...	2nd ..	2,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ..	The Udyoga Parva	1711
Aug. 15th	102	8vo. ..	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto	1712
Sept. 10th	104	8vo. ...	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ..	0 12 0	ditto .	ditto	1713
June 30th	32	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 5 6	Nimáicharan Sinha, Hooghly, Pratáppore.	The Adi Parva	1714
July 21st	64	8vo. ...	2nd ...	1,000	ditto ...	3 15 0 for whole Vishnu Puran.	Rámsevak Vidyaratna, of Rájpore.	The Vishnu Puran	1715

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						BENGALI
1716	Purán Sangraha; or, a Collection of Purans. The Mahábhárat. Part II. No. 13.	Bengali	Translated by the late Kálíprasanna Sinha.	Religion, H.	Printed at the Sáhitya Sangraha Press, No. 7, Ultadanga Road, and published at No. 3, Braja Dulál's Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Annadáprasád Raya, and published by Navínchandra Mukerjí and Co.
1717	Rámáyan. Part II. No. 5.	ditto ...	Translated into Bengali verse by Rájkrishna Ráya.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Albert Press, No. 37, Mechhua Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Ashutosh Ghosh and Co.
1718	The Mahábhárat. Adi Parva.	ditto ...	Late Káshírám Dás.	ditto ..	Printed at the Kavitárat-nakar Press, No. 17, Brindában Dás Basak's Street, and published at No. 115, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Fakirchand Dás, and published by Vishwambhar Láhá.
1719	The Mahábhrat. Ban Parva.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, No. 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Troilokyanáth Datta.
1720	Kálí Kaivalyadáyiní; or, Kálí, the Giver of Salvation.	ditto ...	Late Nandakumár Kaviratna.	ditto ...	ditto	ditto ...
1721	Rámáyan	ditto ...	Late Krittivás Pandit.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, No. 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafarchandra Datta, and published by Vinod Viharí Shíl.
1722	Ditto	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ...	Printed and published at the N. L. Shil's Press, No. 99, Ahiritolá Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nrityalál Shíl.
1723	Ditto	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Hindu Press, No. 61, Ahiritollah Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Gopálchandra Mánná.
1724	Ditto	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Kamalákánta Press, No. 334, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Ganeshchandra Ghosh, and published by Váneshwar Ghosh.
1725	Ditto	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Harihar Press, No. 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Govindachandra Datta, and published by Akshayakumar Ray & Co.
1726	Ditto	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
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2160	Ganit Vodh; or, A Knowledge of Arithmetic. Part I.	Bengali	Akshaya Kumár Mazumdár.	Arithmetic, E.	Printed and published at the East India Press, Harinábhí.	Printed and published by Trailokyanáth Chakravartí.
2161	Anka Sútra; or, Arithmetical Tables. Part I.	ditto ..	Sashibhushan Banerji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Albert Press, No. 37, Mechua Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghose & Co., and published by Shashibhúsan Banerjí.
2162	Suburban Press Dhárápút; or, Arithmetical Tables published at the Suburban Press.	ditto ..	Nakuleshwar Vidyábhúshan.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Suburban Press, No. 28, Jaliápárá, Bhowanipore.	Printed and published by Priyanáth Mullik.
2163	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ..	Ishwara Chandra Sharmá.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Cháitanya Chandrodaya Press, No. 319, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Jadunáth Ghosh.
2164	Ditto ditto. Part I ...	ditto ...	Ashutosh Ghose & Co.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Albert Press, No. 37, Mechua Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Ashutosh Gosh & Co.

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1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
May 29th	96	8vo. ...	3rd ...	100	Printed	0 8 0	Krishnaranginí Dásí, Shampuker, Calcutta.	The Sabhá Parva	1716
June 20th	40	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 6 0	Ashutosh Ghosh and Co., No. 37, Mechua Bazar Street.	The Ajodhyá Kánda ..	1717
May 12th	196	8vo. ...	Not given.	500	ditto ...	0 2 6	Vishwambhar Láhá, No. 15, Káliprasád Dutt's Lane, Calcutta.	.....	1718
Sept. 5th	152	8vo. ..	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 2 6	Trailokyanáth Datta, of Calcutta.	The popular Bengali metrical version of the Mahábhárat.	1719
„ 25th	249	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 5 0	ditto ...	The greatness of the goddess Kálí set forth in verse.	1720
Aug. 2nd	156	8vo. ...	1st ...	2,000	ditto ..	0 3 0	Vinodvihárí Shíl, No. 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	The Lanká Kánda	1721
July 8th	488	8vo. ...	Not given.	4,000	ditto ..	0 6 0	Not given ...	The whole of the Rámáyan ..	1722
May 20th	452	8vo. ...	ditto	4,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto	1723
June 29th	537	8vo. ...	ditto	6,000	ditto ...	1 4 0	VáneshwarGhosh. Calcutta.	ditto	1724
Sept. 4th	132	8vo. ..	6th ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 6 3	Akshayakumar Ray and Co., Calcutta.	The Lanká Kánda	1725
Aug. 10th	100	12mo. ...	7th ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 5 6	ditto ...	The Uttará Kánda	1726
PAMPHLETS.									
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May 31st	94	Dy. 12 mo.	3rd ...	1,000	ditto ..	0 4 6	Akshaya Kumár Majumdar, Sylhet.	The four simple rules, mahájaní accounts, the rule of three, mensuration, &c., &c., intended for use in páthshálás and middle class vernacular schools.	2160
Aug. 3rd	27	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 2 0	Shashibhushan Banerji of Jangypore.	Arithmetical tables.	2161
May 25th	24	Dy. 12 mo.	1st ...	6,000	ditto ...	0 1 6	Nakuleshwar Vidyáratna, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	2162
July 2nd	24	12mo. ...	Not given.	9,250	ditto ...	0 1 0	Not given.	ditto ...	2163
Aug. 6th	24	12mo. ...	1st ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Ashutosh Ghosh & Co., No. 37, Mechua Bazar Street, Calcutta.	ditto ...	2164

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2165	Padyánkasár; or, Arithmetic in Verse. Part I.	Bengali	Tinkari Smritiratna.	Arithmetic E.	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, No. 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Vinod Vihári Shíl, and published by Tinkari Smritiratna.
2166	Sahaj Parimiti; or, Simple Mensuration.	ditto ...	Nrisinha Chandra Mukhopádhyáya, M.A.	Mensuration, E.	Printed and published at the New School Book Press, No. 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by B. L. Chakravartí.
2167	David Harer Jívan Charit; or, a Biographical Sketch of David Hare.	ditto ...	Pyarí Chánd Mitra.	Biography, E.	Printed and published at the New Arya Press, No. 43-1, Bhowani Charan Dutt's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Kedárnáth Bhattácháryya.
2168	Dukul Pharsá; or, Both Sides Lost. A farce.	ditto ...	Sharat Chandra Ghosh.	Drama ...	Printed and published at the B. P. M.'s Press, 22, Jhámápuker Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Varadá Prasád Mazumdár, and published by Niváran Chandra De.
2169	Gata Nikásh o Hál Vandovasta; or, the Adjustment of Arrears and Recent Settlements. A farce.	ditto ...	Shrínáth Kundí	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Girish Vidyáratna Press, 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kaviratna, and published by Srínáth Kundí
2170	Gupta Brindávan Nátak; or, Secret Amours. A drama.	ditto ...	Priyanáth Pálit, B.A.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the N. L. Shil's Press, 99, Ahiritolá Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Nrityalál Shíl, and published by Akshayakumár Sen.
2171	Gourímilan Nátak; or, (Shiv's) Union with Gourí. A drama.	ditto ...	Kedárnáth Gángulí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by Kanailál Dhar.
2172	Harish Chandra Nátak; or, Harish Chandra. A drama.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by Prem Chánd Dhar.
2173	Hathát Bábu; or, the Upstart Babu. A farce.	ditto ...	Harihar Nandí	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Girish Press, Dacca.	Printed by Munshi Moulá Baksh, and published by Rásvihárí Chakravartí.
2174	Jáminí Chandramáhiná, Gopan Chumvana; or, the Moonless Night. A Kiss in the Dark. A farce.	ditto ...	Kiran Chandra Banerjí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Beadon Press, 66, Beadon Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Hara Chandra Dás, and published by Kiran Chandra Banerji.
2175	Abhimanyuvadh Játrá; or, the Slaughter of Abhimanyu. An opera.	ditto ...	Kedárnáth Gangulí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by Matilál Chandra.
2176	Abhimanyuvadh nátak; or, the Slaughter of Abhimanyu. A drama.	ditto ...	Nandalál Ráya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Troilokyanáth Datta, and published by Nrityalál Shíl.

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July 20th	68	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	Printed	0 6 0	Tinkari Smriti-ratna of Shivapore.	Arithmetical exercises in verse ...	2165
Aug. 12th	56	12mo. ...	4th	2,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	Nrisinha Chandra Mukerji, M.A., No. 7, Brahmo Samaj Lane, Calcutta.	Intended for the use of primary schools.	2166
May 27th	26	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 2 0	Jádav Chandra Ráya, No. 43-1, Bhowaní Charan Dutt's Lane, Calcutta.	An interesting work written in a simple style, with a portrait of David Hare.	2167
July 1st ...	20	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Sharat Chandra Ghosh, Beadon Street, Calcutta	Surendra, a spoilt lad, takes to drinking and other immoral habits. In a fit of rage, he kills his aunt, who has refused to give him certain jewels which he wishes to present to his mistress. He is hanged for his crime; the woman for whose sake it was committed helping the police to arrest him. He "loses on both sides,"—his life and his mistress. Obscene expressions are occasionally to be met with in the book.	2168
May 5th ...	19	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	Shrináth Kundí, Kumártuli, Calcutta.	A picture of native society at the present time, and of the condition of the people. Jama, or Death, orders his chief accountant to adjust last year's accounts with respect to India, and make a settlement for the present year. The latter thereupon informs his master that last year the collections were plentiful owing to the exertions of famine, cholera, and small-pox, who might also be recommended as fit agents for the work of collecting the king's dues. The writer dwells on the prevalence of wickedness at the present day.	2169
Aug. 25th	97	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 4 0	Akshayakumár Sen.	The evils of marrying in old age and of drinking are depicted in this book. Nafar, an old man, marries a young lady, who soon falls in love with another man; Nafar's son, Brajendra, a hypocritical Brahmo, seduces a neighbour's wife. Almost all the characters meet with a tragic end. The book contains obscene sentiments and passages.	2170
May 26th	66	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,500	ditto ...	0 4 0	Kanailál Dhar, 19, Brindában Basák's Lane, Calcutta.	The marriage of Shiva with Gourí, the daughter of Himálaya	2171
June 15th	68	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	Premchánd Dhar, 320, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	The tale of Rajah Haris Chandra from the Mahábhárat showing how his piety and constancy were tested by the sage Vishwámitra.	2172
July 23rd	14	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 1 6	Not given ...	Vinod Babu, a young man given to excessive drinking and spendthrift habits, runs into debt and is spurned by the mistress on whom h had bestowed a considerable portion of his wealth.	2173
„ 6th	16	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Kiran Chandra Banerji of Bagbazar, Calcutta.	A Brahmo husband is outwitted by his unscrupulous wife, who bestows her favors on a friend of his. The husband, although he suspects the chastity of his wife, fears to speak to her, or prohibit his friend's visits, lest he should be regarded as hostile to "female emancipation."	2174
4th Aug.	70	12mo.	1st ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Matilál Chandra, 19, Vrindávan Basak's Street, Calcutta.	The slaughter of Abhimanyu, the son of one of the Pándavas, by the seven charioteers of the Kurus. The story is taken from the Mahábhárat.	2175
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2177	Bharat Samágam Nátak; or, the Advent of Bharat. A drama.	Bengali	Parán Chandra Dás.	Drama ...	Printed and published at the Sudhá Sindhu Press, 54, Valarám De's Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Rákhál Chandra Dás, and published by Rámkánái Dás.
2178	Chitránginí Milan Gítábhinaya; or, Union with Chitránginí. An opera.	ditto ...	Kedárnáth Gánguli.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by Nrityalál Shíl.
2179	Dakshajajna Játrá; or, the Sacrifice by Daksha. An opera.	ditto ...	Tinkari Viswás	ditto ...	Printed and published at the General Printing Press, 115, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Venímádhav Bhattáchárryya.
2180	Dwádasha Gopál; or, Twelve Gods. A farce in one act.	ditto ...	Gnán-garbha Sikshámaní.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Albert Press, 37, Mechua Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghosh & Co., and published by Sharat Chandra Ghosál and Viháríláll Chatterji.
2181	Dhruva Tapasyá Nátak; or, the Penance of Dhruva. A drama.	ditto ...	Girish Chandra Ghosh.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Trailokyanáth Datta.
2182	Kanak Kamal bá Párvatí Milan Nátyarásak; or, the Golden Lotus or (Shiv's) Union with Parvati. An opera.	ditto ...	Priyanáth Rayá	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Kar Press, 107, Shyám Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Jadunáth Mandal, and published by Priyanáth Ráya.
2183	Kanak Pratimá, Gíti-Nátya; or, the Golden Image. An opera.	ditto ...	Atul Krishna Mitra.	ditto ..	ditto ...	Printed by Jadunáth Mandal, and published by Atulkrishna Mitra.
2184	Kapále Chhila Biye! Kándle habe ki? or, You were foredoomed to be married, What is the good of crying? A farce.	ditto ...	Vishnu Sharmá	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Ráya Press, 7, Bhowanícharan Dutts' Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Ashutosh Ghosal.
2185	Kinnar Páriját bá Sura Sundarí; or, the Flower of Paradaise or the Celestial Beauty. An opera.	ditto ...	Viháríláll Gánguli.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Gupta Press, 24, Mirjafir's Lane, Calcutta	Printed by Matilal Dás, and published by Viharílál Gánguli.
2186	Kupit Koushik Nátak; or, the Angry Vishwámitra. A drama.	ditto ...	Rámgati Nyáyaratna.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vudhodaya Press, Hooghly.	Printed and published by Káshináth Bhattácháryya.
2187	Maháshwetá Tápasívesh Nátak; or, Maháshwetá in the Guise of a Devotee. A drama.	ditto ...	Rámlál Mukerji	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Sudhásindhu Press, 54, Valarám De's Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Rákhálchandra Dás, and published by the author.

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3rd June	56	12mo.	1st	1,000	Printed.	0 4 0	Not given	The meeting of Ráma with his brother Bharat after his exile in the forest. The plot is taken from the Rámáyan	2177
22nd May	58	8vo.	1st	1,000	ditto	0 8 0	Nrityalál Shil, 335, Chitpore Road.	Describes how Chitrángini, the daughter of the king of Malwa, was seen in a vision by the young prince of Raipore, who became enamoured of, and subsequently married her.	2178
23rd June	69	12mo.	1st	2,000	ditto	0 2 0	Hrudayalál Datta, 106, Ahiritola Street, Calcutta.	The punishment of Daksha by the demons of Shiva. With a view to insult his son-in-law, Daksha celebrated a sacrificial	2179
feast to which Shiv only among the gods was not invited. His wife Satí, however, went there unasked; but hearing her father abuse Shiva, she laid down her life on the spot. The news of this circumstance so enraged Shiva, that he ordered his demons to repair to Daksha's house and create a disturbance in the midst of the sacrificial rites, and punish Daksha.									
11th July	20	12mo.	1st	1,000	ditto	0 1 0	Sharat Chandra Ghosal and Vihárilál Chatterji, Calcutta.	A party of dissolute young men and a woman from Calcutta make a pleasure trip by water to Máhes, near Serampore, on	2180
the occasion of the festival known as Dwádasha Gopál. The revellers drink and sing indecent songs on board the boat, and at last fall out among themselves and come to blows. An inspector of police appears on the scene with two constables and seizes the party and marches them off to the thana. The book concludes with reflections on intemperance, &c. The dialogues are amusing and natural, though they contain occasional obscene expressions.									
25th Aug.	72	12mo.	3rd	1,000	ditto	0 3 0	Trailakyanáth Datta, Calcutta	The devotion of Dhruva, a boy of five years of age, and the austerities practised by him. The story is taken from the Vishnu Purán.	2181
26th May	16	12mo.	1st	150	ditto	0 2 0	Priyanáth Ráya, 25, Jeliatola Lane, Calcutta.	Written for the National Theatre. The songs have been set to music by Rám Táran Sanyal. The subject is the destruction of Kama, or the God of Love by Shiva, and the latter's marriage with Parvati.	2182
19th June	56	12mo.	1st	500	ditto	0 8 0	Atul Krishna Mitra, Kambulitola Calcutta.	Cháruchandra, the young prince of Chandrapur, falls in love with Swarnalata, the heroine, who reciprocates his feelings. Dámodar, an old Brahmin, the king's family priest, aspires to	2183
Swarnalatá's hand, and thus becomes a rival of the prince to injure whom he administers a drug, which causes madness. The prince is however cured after a little while, and marries the heroine.									
6th May	28	12mo.	1st	100	ditto	0 1 6	Ashutosh Ghosál, Calcutta.	A powerful satire against the marriage of the daughter of Baboo Keshav Chandra Sen, the leader of the Progressive Brahmos with the Maharajah of Cooch Behar. The Brahmo	2184
minister is described as an insincere, worldly-minded hypocrite, taking advantage of the credulity of his followers. All the incidents of the late marriage are referred to in a spirit of irony. The real names of the parties are just slightly disguised.									
30th June	44	12mo.	1st	1,000	ditto	0 8 0	Vihárilál Ganguli, Hindu Library, Calcutta	Descriptive of the love of the heroine for Jotirmaya, the young Prince of Cashmere, and their marriage.	2185
28th "	85	8vo.	1st	500	ditto	0 12 0	Ramgati Nyayaratna, Ichoba.	The tale of Rajah Harishchandra from the Purans dramatized. Adapted from the Sanskrit drama Chanda Koushik.	2186
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2234	Vasanta; or, Small-pox...	Bengali.	Sharatchandra Datta.	Medicine	Printed at the Chikitsátattwa Press, No. 28, Upper Chitpore Road, and published at National Co.'s, No. 55, College Street.	Printed by Bholánáth Chattopádhyáya, and published by National Co.
2235	Upahármálá; or, Garland of Gifts.	ditto ...	Ramkánái Datta.	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the East Bengal Press, Dacca.	Printed and published by Navínchandra Dé.
2236	Ashwatattwa; or, A Treatise on Horses. Part I.	ditto ..	Rájá Kamalkrishna Sinha and Raja Jagatkrishna Sinha.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Bháratmihir Press, Mymensingh.	Printed by Judanáth Raya, and published by Rukminíkánta Thákur.
2237	Vádya Shikshá; or, Instructions in Music. Part I.	ditto ...	Compiled by Kedárnáth Gangopádhyáya.	Music ..	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, No. 117, Chitpore Road.	Printed and published by Trailokyanáth Datta.
2238	Dukhiní; or, the Afflicted Woman. Part I.	ditto ..	Harish Chandra Sarkár.	Poetry, E.	Printed and published at the B. P. M.'s Press, No. 22, Jhamapukur Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Varadá Prasád Majumdar, and published by Harish Chandra Sarkár.
2239	Kavitávalí; or, a Collection of Verses.	ditto ...	Rádhá Mádhav Mitra.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Kar Press, No. 107, Shyam Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Jadunáth Mandal, and published by Dínanáth Viswás.
2240	Kavita Nikara; or, a Number of Verses. Part I.	ditto ..	Basanta Kumar Bhattacharya, Student, Gourpore School.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Prakásh Press, No. 198, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Nityánanda Ghosh, and published by the author.
2241	Mitrapátha; or, the Friend's Lessons.	ditto ...	Ananda Chandra Mitra.	ditto ...	Printed at the Roy Press, No. 17, Bhowani Charan Dutt's Lane, Calcutta, and published at Mymensing.	Printed by Balarám Sarkár, and published by the author.
2242	Ostaditarjár Tappá; or, Master-pieces of Responsive Songs. Part VI.	ditto .	Gosain Chandra Dás.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the K. Press, No. 334, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Ganesh Chandra Ghosh, and published by Váneshvar Ghosh.
2243	Padyaparichaya; or, Introduction to Poetry. Part I.	ditto ..	Akshaya Kumár Sen.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the N. L. Seal's Press, No. 99, Ahiritola.	Printed and published by Nritya Lál Shíl.
2244	Padya Saral Pátha; or, Easy Lessons in Poetry. Part I.	ditto ..	Raj Krishna Mitra.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vudhodaya Press, Hooghli.	Printed and published by Káshináth Bhattáchárya.
2245	Padyapátha; or, the Poetical Reader No. II.	ditto ...	Jadu Gopál Chattopadhyáya.	ditto ..	Printed at J. G. Chatterji and Co.'s Press, No. 41, Amherst Street, and published at the Sanskrit Press Depository, No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Vihári Lal Banerji, and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.
2246	Pravás Darpan ebang Anyánya Kavitávali; or, the Sojourner's Mirror and other Poems.	ditto ...	Kálí Kinkar Sarkár.	ditto ...	Printed and published at G. P. Raya and Co.'s Press, No. 21, Bowbazar, Calcutta.	Printed by G. P. Raya and Co., and published by Kálí Kinkar Sarkár.
2247	Vétál Pancha Vinshati; or, Twenty-five Tales of Vétál.	ditto ...	Káli Dás Gupta	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Chaitanya Chandrodaya Press, No. 319, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Jadunáth Ghosh.

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1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
July 25th	16	32mo. ...	1st ...	2,000	Printed	0 0 3	Sharatchandra Datta, No. 55, College Street.	Containing within a short compass the principles of the homœopathic treatment of small-pox.	2234
May 6th	22	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 2 0	Not given ..	A collection of proverbs, concluding with a piece of wretched verse.	2235
Sept. 4th	51	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 6 0	Rukminíkánta Thákur, Susanga Durgápur, Mymensingh.	Compiled from various Sanskrit, English, and Urdu ancient and modern works on the subject, and containing principles and directions for the selection of horses and their training and treatment. It is a useful book, and will supply a desideratum in the Bengali language.	2236
Aug. 20th	55	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 4 0	Trailokyanáth Datta.	Directions for playing the *mridanga* and other instruments.	2237
„ 20th	69	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 8 0	Harish Chandra Sarkar, Bowbazar.	India is represented as an afflicted woman who bewails her lost grandeur, and the fate of her worthy sons and daughters. Properly speaking this little book is a history in verse, but it has little of poetry in it.	2238
„ 1st	53	12mo. ...	9th ..	2,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	Dinanáth Viswás, No. 94, Shyambazar Street.	For the use of schools ...	2239
„ 6th	45	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 2 6	Basanta Kumár Bhattáchárya, Kamalpore.	A worthless production ...	2240
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„ 25th	24	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 6	Rájkrishna Mishra, Devagrám.	ditto ...	2244
Sept. 12th	66	12mo. ...	20th...	6,000	ditto ...	0 4 0	Jadu Gopál Chatterji, No. 44, Amherst Street.	A useful compilation ...	2245
May 15th	71	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 8 0	Kálí Kinkar Sarkár, Chandernagore.	The first portion depicts with feeling and considerable force the pains of separation from one's near and dear relatives. The second portion contains poems which are tame and pointless.	2246
June 20th	91	12mo. ...	Not given	3,500	ditto ...	0 5 0	Not given ...	Tales told by the demon Vetál to Rajá Vikramáditya.	2247

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						BENGALI
2248	Sangíta Sudhákar; or, the Nectar-Well of Song.	Bengali..	Durgá Charan Chakravartí.	Poetry ...	Printed and published at the Satyaratna Press, Berhampore.	Printed and published by Navín Chandra Choudhuri.
2249	Sudhá Vishamaya; or, the Poisonous Nectar.	ditto ...	Amrita Lál Banerji, M.B.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Stanhope Press, No. 249, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by I. C. Bose and Co., and published by the author.
2250	Mahábhárata, Swapna Parva.	ditto ...	The late Kásirám.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the N. L. Shíl's Press, No. 99, Ahiritola Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nrityalál Shíl.
2251	Mámá Bháginír Pánchéli; or, Verses relating to the Uncle and Niece.	ditto ...	Aghor Chandra Ghosh.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Jnánollas Press, No. 19, Brindaban Vasák's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Krishnalál Chandra.
2252	Mámá Bháginír Vilap; or, the Lamentations of the Uncle and Niece.	ditto ...	Krishnalál Chandra.	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ...
2253	Mámá Bhaginír Chhará; or, Verses relating to the Uncle and Niece.	ditto ...	Aghor Chandra Ghosh.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Kamalákánta Press, No. 334, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Ganesh Chandra Ghosh.
2254	Uh! Mámár-ki-Vichár; or, Oh! What judgment on the part of the Uncle!	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2255	Sushikshita Charita; or, the Work of a well-educated man.	ditto ...	Madhusúdan Sarkár.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Prakásh Press, No. 198, Bowbazar Street.	Printed by Nityánand Ghosh, and published by Madhusúdan Sarkár.
2256	Tinti Kusuma; or, the Three Flowers.	ditto ...	Shiva Chandra Bhattáchárya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the B. P. M.'s Press, No. 22, Jhamapukur Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Varadá Prasád Majumdar, and published by the author.
2257	Vilápi Vilápa; or, the Laments of an afflicted person.	ditto ...	Kunja Vihári Háldár.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Rájakíya Press, No. 71, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Shrísh Chandra Bhattáchárya.
2258	Shishushikshá; or, the Infant Teacher. Part I.	ditto ...	Madan Mohan Tarkálankár.	Primer, E.	Printed at the Sanskrit Press, No. 62, Amherst Street, and published at the Sanskrit Press Depository, No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Pítámvar Banerji, and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.
2259	Shishu Pátha; or, Lessons for Children. Part I.	ditto ...	Jadunáth Nyáya Panchánan.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the N. L. Shíl's Press, No. 99, Ahiritola Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nrityalál Shíl.
2260	Shishu Vodhak; or, Infant Instructor.	ditto ...	Not given ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed and published by N. L. Shíl.
2261	Varnajnán; or, the Knowledge of the Alphabet.	ditto ..	Srináth Kundi	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Girish Vidyáratna Press, No. 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kaviratna, and published by Srináth Kundi.
2262	Varna Parichaya; or, Bengali Primer. Part I.	ditto ...	Ishwara Chandra Vidyáságara.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Sanskrit Press, No. 62, Amherst Street, and published at the Sanskrit Press Depository, No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Pítámvar Banerji, and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.
2263	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2264	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
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May 21st	36	12mo. ...	1st ...	250	ditto ..	0 4 0	Amrita Lal Banerji, M.B., Calcutta.	Descriptive of the author's feeling at the death of his wife.	2249
Sept. 3rd	31	12mo. ..	Not given.	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Not given ...	.....	2250
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„ 17th	12	12mo. ...	1st ...	3,500	ditto ...	0 1 6	Krishnalál Chandra, Ahiritola.	ditto ...	2252
„ 17th	12	12mo. ...	1st ...	3,000	ditto ...	0 1 6	Aghor Chandra Ghosh, Bagbazar, Calcutta.	ditto ...	2253
„ 20th	12	12mo. ...	1st ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 6	ditto ...	ditto ..	2254
May 28th	71	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 8 0	Madhusúdan Sarkár, Málanchi, in Pubna.	It is enough to say of this production that it utterly belies its title.	2255
July 10th	24	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	Shiva Chandra Bhattáchárya, Sántipore.	Containing three poems:—the Lament of a Kulin's daughter; an Address to a female friend; and Disappointed Love. A very indifferent production.	2256
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June 4th	27	12mo. ...	86th ...	10,000	ditto ..	0 1 0	Iswara Chandra Vidyáságara, Calcutta.	Letters and the combination of vowels and consonants.	2258
„ 18th	31	12mo. ...	3rd ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Jadunath Nyáya Panchánan, Calcutta.	ditto ...	2259
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May 8th	9	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 0 6	Shrínáth Kundi, Kumártuli, Calcutta.	.....	2261
June 5th	37	12mo. ...	75th...	20,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Ishwara Chandra Vidyaságara, Calcutta.	.....	2262
July 22nd	37	12mo. ...	76th...	20,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	ditto ...	.....	2263
Sept. 10th	37	12mo. ...	77th..	20,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	ditto ...	.....	2264
July 22nd	42	12mo. ...	74th...	10,000	ditto ...	0 1 3	ditto ...	.....	2265
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2267	Varna Paríkshá; or, a Bengali Primer. Part II.	Bengali..	Hirá Lál Mukherji.	Primer E.	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, No. 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Trailokyanáth Datta, and published by Nritya Lál Shíl.
2268	Ditto ditto Part III	ditto	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ..	ditto ...
2269	Varna Shikshá; or, a Bengali Primer. Part I.	ditto	Gopál Chandra Vandyopádhyáya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Hitaishí Press, 1, Krishnadás Pal's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Jogendra Chandra Sen.
2270	Ditto ditto. Part II	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2271	Bháshávodha; or, the Knowledge of Language.	ditto ...	Shrínáth Chanda.	Reader E.	Printed and published at the Bhárat Mihir Press, Mymensing.	Printed by Judunáth Bhattácháryya, and published by Hari Mádhav Basu.
2272	Cháru Pátha; or Entertaining Lessons in Science and Literature.	ditto ...	Akshaya Kumár Datta.	ditto ...	Printed at the New Sanskrit Press, No. 14, Goabagan Street, and published at the Sanskrit Press Depository, No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Gopál Chandra Dé, and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.
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2276	Shishu Shikshá; or, the Infant Teacher. Part III.	ditto ...	Madan Mohan Tarkálankár.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2277	Ditto Part I.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2278	Vodhodaya; or, the Dawn of Knowledge.	ditto ...	Ishwara Chandra Vidyáságara.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2279	Age Této Sheshe Mité; or, First bitter, then sweet.	ditto ...	Calcutta Christian Tract and Book Society.	Religion, C.	Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, No. 24, Lower Circular Road, and published at the Christian Tract and Book Society, No. 23, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Rev. G. H. Rouse, and published by the Calcutta Christian Tract and Book Society.
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2281	Amviká Mangal; or, Songs in praise of the goddess Amviká.	ditto ...	Phani Bhúshan Vasu.	ditto, H....	Printed and published at the Sudhá Sindhu Press, No. 54, Balaram Dey's Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Rákhál Chandra Dás, and published by Mohan Lál Vasu.
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2283	Dharma Grantha; or, a Book on Religion.	ditto ...	Pyári Mohan Chaudhuri.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2284	Ishwarér Dashti Ajná; or, the Ten Commandments of God.	ditto ...	Edited by Rev. S. C. Ghosh.	ditto, C. ...	Printed at the Sáptáhik Samvád Press, No. 9, Ram Mohan Datta's Road, Bhowanipore, and published at the Calcutta Christian Tract and Book Society.	Printed by Braja Mádhav Vasu, and published by the Christian Tract and Book Society, Calcutta.
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2286	Jagannáthá; (the name of the Hindu deity).	Bengali	Cal. Christian Tract and Book Society.	Religion, C.	Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, No. 24, Lower Circular Road, and published at the Tract and Book Society, No. 23, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Rev. G. H. Rouse, and published by the Christian Tract and Book Society.
2287	Galpamálá; or, Flowers of Fables.	ditto ...	Translated by H. C. Ráhá.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2288	Manasár Bháshan; or, Verses relating to Manasá, the Serpent Goddess.	ditto ...	Kshamánanda Dás.	ditto, H....	Printed and published at the N. L. Shíl's Press, No. 99, Ahiritolá Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nritya Lál Shíl.
2289	Ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Harihar Press, No. 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Govinda Chandra Datta, and published by Akshaya Kumár Ray & Co.
2290	Pápér Uparé Páp; or, One sin leads to another.	ditto ...	Edited by Rev S. C. Ghosh.	ditto ...	Printed at the Sáptáhik Samvád Press, No. 9, Ram Mohan Datta's Road, Bhowanipore, and published at the Tract and Book Society, No. 23, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Braja Mádhav Vasu, and published by the Christian Tract and Book Society, Calcutta.
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AMENDMENT OF THE LAW REGARDING THE ADMINISTRATION OF NATIVE RELIGIOUS AND CHARITABLE ENDOWMENTS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.—LAND REVENUE.

Calcutta, the 28th October 1878.

RESOLUTION.

THE necessity of amending the law regulating the administration of native religious and charitable endowments has been frequently of late years pressed upon the consideration of this Government and the Government of Madras, and has been fully admitted by the Government of India. The only doubt has been as to the precise direction which such fresh legislation should take. In order to the better understanding of the issues involved, and with a view to elicit a more general expression of opinion from the native public of Bengal, it is proposed in the following paragraphs to review in some detail the past history of the question.

2. The preamble of Regulation XIX of 1810 set forth that—"Whereas considerable endowments have been granted in land by the preceding Governments of this country and by individuals for the support of mosques, Hindoo temples, colleges, and for other pious and beneficial purposes; and whereas there are grounds to suppose that the produce of such lands is in many instances

appropriated contrary to the intentions of the donors to the personal use of the individuals in immediate charge and possession of such endowments; and whereas it is an important duty of every Government to provide that all such endowments should be applied according to the real intent and will of the grantor; . . . . . the following rules have been enacted . . . ." The Regulation then went on to provide that the general superintendence of all lands granted for the foregoing purposes should be vested in the Board of Revenue and Board of Commissioners in the several districts subject to the control of those Boards respectively. It was declared to be their duty to take care that all endowments of the kind described should be duly appropriated to the purpose for which they were destined, and to prevent any such lands from being converted to private uses or misappropriated. To enable the Boards to carry into effect their duties, local agents were appointed in each zillah and made subject to their control. The Collector was always to be *ex-officio* a local agent, and with him were associated such officers in the civil, military, or medical branches of the service as the Governor-General in Council judged expedient. (By Act XXXVIII of 1837, the restriction of appointments to these branches of the service was removed.) It was made the duty of the local agents to obtain full information regarding *all* endowments of the kind described in the preamble, and to report to the Boards instances of misappropriation; also to ascertain and report the names, together with other particulars, of the (then) *present* trustees, managers, or superintendents of the various institutions; also to report all vacancies and casualties among such persons, with full information of all circumstances, to enable the Boards to judge of the pretensions of the person or persons claiming the trust, particularly information regarding the character of the succession up to date. Where the nomination vested in, or devolved upon Government, the local agents were to propose a fit person to the Board, who would either appoint him, or make other suitable arrangements. Any individual aggrieved by any orders passed by the Boards or local agents with respect to the appropriation of any lands, might sue for redress in the civil courts.

3. Such were the provisions of the first law on the subject of religious and charitable endowments in Bengal. It will be observed that the regulation only provided for the due administration of *lands* granted for pious uses before the passing of the regulation. It took no cognizance of endowments other than land, or of grants made after the date of its passing. But as regards landed endowments existing in 1810, the intention was that *all* of them should be brought under the control of the local agents and the Board. As a fact, however, in the great majority of districts in Bengal, the provisions of the regulation were never put in force. Outside the province of *Orissa*, where the religious endowments were too prominent a feature in the district economy to be altogether overlooked, the regulation seems to have been applied in less than twenty cases. In Orissa itself there were hundreds of endowments that were never brought under the regulation. Indeed a special committee appointed to enquire into the Orissa endowments reported, in respect of the mass of the endowments in that province, that 'the local agents appear to have taken action only where their interference was called for, by the succession to the trust being in dispute between conflicting claimants.'

4. Then, as to the powers which the authorities possessed under Regulation XIX of 1810, it will be observed that they were really in many respects extremely vague. It was not stated how the Board were to act in order to prevent misappropriation, or how their orders on the pretensions of claimants, in cases where the right of appointment did not lie with Government, were to be carried into effect. The official position of the Boards and of the local agents enabled them doubtless to give effect to their decisions.

5. After 1840, under instructions from the Home Government, the connection of the officers of Government with religious endowments began to be more or less completely severed, and the institutions with their revenues were generally made over to unofficial trustees and managers, Government divesting itself entirely of such powers of nomination as it may have possessed. This executive action was, however, admittedly in contravention of the spirit, if not also of the letter, of the law; but it was not until the passing of Act XX of 1863 that the policy involved in it was formally recognized by the Legislature.

6. Act XX of 1863 set forth that it was "expedient to relieve the Board of Revenue and the local agents from the duties imposed on them by Regulation XIX of 1810, so far as those duties embraced the superintendence of land granted for the support of mosques or Hindoo temples, and for other religious uses; the appropriation of endowments made for the maintenance of such religious establishments; the repair and preservation of buildings connected therewith, and the appointment of trustees or managers thereof; or involved any connection with the management of such religious establishments." The Act then proceeded to divide religious endowments into two classes—first, those in which, at the time of the passing of the Act, the nomination or appointment of the trustee, manager, or superintendent rested in any way with Government or any public officer; and second, those in which, at the time of the passing of the Act, such nomination or appointment did not in any way vest in Government or any public officer. In the case of endowments of the first class, the Act provided for the appointment, once for all, of one or more committees in every division or district to take the place and exercise the powers of the Board of Revenue and local agents. The committee was to be appointed from among persons professing the religion with which the endowment was connected, and in accordance with the general wishes of *those interested in the maintenance* of such mosque, temple, or religious establishment. The members were appointed for life and removeable only for misconduct or unfitness under the orders of the civil court. Vacancies among the members were to be filled up by election by the "persons interested," the election being managed by the remaining members of the committee. If the committee failed to take action, *any person whatever* might apply to the civil court, which was empowered to appoint to the vacancy, or to order the committee to fill it up. On the appointment of a committee, the Board or local agents were to hand over to them the property of the endowment.

In the case of endowments of the second class, the Local Government was to hand over to the trustee, manager, or superintendent all the property, and the powers of the Board and local agents then ceased and determined. On the occurrence of a vacancy in the office of trustee, if any dispute arose as to succession, *any person interested* might apply to the civil court to appoint a manager to act until some other person established a better claim by suit.

Trustees, managers, and superintendents, in both classes of endowments, were bound to keep regular accounts, and committees of endowments of the first class were empowered to call for these at least once a year, and bound to keep accounts themselves. *Any person interested* might sue any trustee or member of committee for breach of trust, misfeasance, or neglect of duty, and the civil court might on such suit direct specific performance of any act, award damages and costs, and direct the removal of any trustee, superintendent, manager, or member of committee. The only restriction upon the conveyance of endowments to the trustees and committees, as the case might be, was contained in section 21 of the Act, which provided that, where endowments were partly for secular and partly for religious uses, the Board of Revenue might retain a portion of the property for application to such secular uses, or make over the lands burdened with a suitable charge on this account payable to the Board and local agents.

7. The Act nowhere defined what were to be treated as religious and what as secular uses, and very diverse opinions have been put forward and acted upon in giving effect to it. The Commissioner of Orissa, for instance, held in 1864 that there were no endowments in the province that could be said to have been made for *secular* purposes; even those in which charity to the poor was the predominant feature being intimately connected with religious observances, places, or establishments. The whole of the endowments in Cuttack were therefore made over absolutely either to trustees or committees, and a similar course was commonly followed elsewhere. There can, however, be no doubt that in by far the greater number of endowments the original intention of the donor was to benefit the poor and helpless, though the very nature of the Hindoo's creed, under which morals and religion and law are one, compelled him to consecrate his charity by vowing it in the name of some god. It has therefore, on the other hand, been very strongly argued that in abandoning the control of such charitable endowments Government

went quite beyond the necessities of the case. It is also worthy of notice that, for years before Act XX was actually passed, the policy of Government having been to make over to independent trustees and managers as many endowments as possible, the great majority of existing endowments were on the passing of the Act found in the possession of trustees not nominated by Government, who became at once absolutely invested with the control of the property. In the great majority of districts no committees were appointed; indeed they were, outside Orissa, appointed in only the five districts of Dacca, Patna, Jessore, Burdwan and Moorshedabad, and in Orissa it would seem that no district committee was appointed, though small separate committees were appointed to supervise some of the more important endowments.

8. In so far as regards the procedure to be followed after the endowments were made over by the Government, Act XX of 1863 proved from the very outset to be practically inoperative. Its defects were thus described by the late Governor of Madras:—

(i.)—Want of effectual legal provision for compelling trustees to perform their duty. The "person interested," deterred partly by the expense and delay of litigation, partly by want of sufficient interest, partly (as it would seem) by dislike to try religious questions in a Christian court, probably also in part by ignorance and misapprehension, never appears, and committees and trustees appropriate the funds absolutely at their own pleasure.

(ii.)—The powers and duties of committees are insufficiently defined. The Act describes them vaguely as those which formerly belonged to the Board of Revenue.

(iii.)—No effectual provision for supplying vacancies. As regards committees, these are to be supplied by election, and in default by the civil court. But no election ever takes place, and no notice of a vacancy is ever given to the court.

(iv.)—Committees are unpaid and without any strong interest in the creditable performance of their duties.

(v.)—The Act makes over one large class of institutions to trustees uncontrolled by any supervising agency whatever.

To these might be added—

(vi.)—The committees had no power to raise out of the property belonging to the endowments the expenses necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties, though they were liable to be sued for neglect of such duties.

9. The Commissioner of Orissa reported in 1867 that "in that province committees of management appeared to be apathetic and indifferent, and had taken no action whatever; and the result of the act had been to leave the entire management of religious endowments, formerly supervised under Regulation XIX of 1810, in the hands of the hereditary or officiating priests and pundahs. The revenues of the endowments were squandered or appropriated to private uses, while the services of the temples and charitable distribution of food or alms had been entirely neglected and abused. Generally throughout Orissa the management of temples, muths, and other religious endowments was a scandal, and appeared likely to remain so until there was a stronger and more efficient system of management and supervision than that exercised by the local committees."

10. When Sir Cecil Beadon visited Cuttack in 1866, a deputation of Hindoo gentlemen pressed upon him the necessity of amending the Act, so as to give committees more power over trustees and managers; and in 1867 they submitted formal memorials to Government, praying that the orders of the committees might have given them the effect of decrees of court or awards of arbitration and be enforced as such; and that the control of committees should be extended to those endowments which had been made over to trustees, and indeed to all endowments in which the public were in any way interested. In forwarding these memorials, the Commissioner remarked that had the revenues of the charitable endowments of the province been applied in accordance with the intentions of the grantors, the whole starving population of Orissa might have

received the relief and assistance which had then lately been administered at the cost of the State.

11. Under the orders of the Government of India a commission of three native gentlemen was appointed in February 1868 to enquire into the general condition of religious and charitable endowments in Orissa, and invited to submit proposals for the amendment of the Act. The report of this commission was received through the Board of Revenue in August 1869. It left no doubt as to the existence of gross and general misappropriation of the property of the endowments, but the proposals made to remedy these abuses were by no means very clear or complete. They are contained in the following paragraphs of the report:—

29. To this end we would suggest the following alterations in the present law. In the first place, we would recommend that all institutions and endowments to which Act XX of 1863 apply should be placed under the control of the committee appointed under section 7 of the law, instead of only those specified in section 3, as at present. The committee possesses under the law, as it now stands, the same powers as the Board and local agents had under Regulation XIX of 1810—powers which enabled the Board, as above stated, to dispossess trustees of the estates, and put other persons in their stead. We only consider it desirable that the committee's powers should be distinctly laid down, instead of being left to be inferred, as they have to be done at present: we would not make their decisions final and unappealable, but would place them exactly in the position of the Board of Revenue in Regulation XIX of 1810, in respect to both powers and responsibilities; that is to say, give them complete jurisdiction over the administration of the institutions, extending to the removal of the trustees, their powers in the matter of appointment being limited to institutions of the kind mentioned in section 3, rendering them at the same time liable to be sued in the civil court, the costs being paid out of the endowment funds; except in those cases in which the Court may, for particular reasons traceable to improper motives on the part of the committee, direct otherwise. Our reasons for so limiting the committee's powers, speaking with reference to the suggestions on the point as contained in the petitions made by the residents, are that it may not always be possible to get men to act on the committee sufficiently intelligent and upright to warrant such large powers being conferred upon it as those proposed by the petitioners. Their proceedings might be conducted on the same plan as that upon which those of arbitrators under Act VIII of 1859 are carried on; the Civil Court giving them, when necessary, such aid as they may stand in need of in the matter of compelling the attendance of witnesses and the production of accounts, and their decisions might be enforced by the Civil Court like the Court's own decrees.

30. The provision of the law as to the appointment of a separate committee for each endowment is, in our opinion, calculated to secure better supervision than what could be exercised by a single divisional or district committee. But the plan is open to the objection that it is not likely that persons will be found in all the localities sufficiently qualified to be trusted even with such limited powers as those proposed to be given to such committees. To provide against this, we would recommend the appointment of a central divisional committee, to direct and check the proceedings of local committees. The latter, we are inclined to think, might with advantage be made to supply the place of the local agents, and the former that of the Board in Regulation XIX of 1810.

31. We have to offer no suggestions in regard to the mode of appointment and constitution of committees. The law on these points as well as that bearing on the removal of members, filling up vacancies, &c., might unobjectionably be allowed to stand unaltered.

32. We are unwilling to recommend that the members of committees should be paid, being persuaded that none worth having on such committees would think of accepting any remuneration for trouble taken in the cause of charity and religion.

12. In forwarding this report, the Board of Revenue remarked as follows:—

2. The subject is one of much difficulty. It appears to the Board that the only really efficient and practical supervision possible at present is that which would be conducted by Government officials. As this, however, is, they presume, out of the question, the remaining alternative is to trust to committees, to whom should be delegated power sufficient to enable them to act, and who should be guaranteed from all risk of loss from any acts done in good faith.

3. The recommendations made in the report now submitted are not very clear. In paragraph 29 the Committee say—"We would place them (committees) exactly in the position of the Board of Revenue in Regulation XIX of 1810:" but this is exactly the position these committees do occupy with regard to one class of endowments, as is admitted in the report. The language of paragraph 7 of Act XX of 1863 is as precise and definite as it can be on this point. The real difficulty as regards the powers of local committees under the present law is that Regulation XIX of 1810 did not specify what the powers of the Board were. The Board agree with the opinion expressed by the committee that the extent and nature of the powers exercised should be for the future unmistakeably laid down.

4. Again, it is proposed in the report that committees should be "liable to be sued in the civil court, the costs being paid out of the endowment funds." There seem to the Board to be two difficulties in the way of any such plan: first, that the endowment funds are

charitable funds, which should not be diverted to litigation; secondly, that the endowment in dispute may possess no funds out of which costs could be paid. For example, a mohunt may have been turned out by a committee, and another man put into his place, the funds of the endowment being just sufficient to carry out the purposes of the endowment and support the necessary establishment. Where, in such a case, would be the funds out of which costs should be paid?

5. The plan which commends itself most to the judgment of the Board is that in each division or district, as may be thought most expedient, there should be a central committee, composed of persons whose decisions would carry weight with the public; that under them there should be as many sub-committees as might be required; that to the sub-committees should be entrusted the duty of enquiring into the management of all endowments within a defined circle, with power to call for accounts and to take evidence; that the sub-committees should report their proceedings to the central committee; that with this latter should rest the power to dismiss the mohunt, to appoint in cases of vacancy according to the custom of the endowment, and generally to exercise all powers of punishment, which, it may be inferred, Regulation XIX of 1810 gave to the Board of Revenue, including the power of fining within a certain limit when accounts are withheld; that any suit in the civil court brought against the central committee should only be entertained on the plaintiff supplying funds for the defence as well as the prosecution, and that costs should only be awarded against the members of such committee when, in the opinion of the court, they had acted in bad faith.

6. It is a question for consideration whether the Secretary of the Central Committee should not be paid a monthly salary, to be levied proportionately from the proceeds of each religious endowment.

7. The Board are aware that many objections may be urgrd to this proposal, but, in the absence of all Government supervision, they see no alternative between some such plan as now recommended, and the practical freedom, as at present, from all checks over the trustees of religious endowments.

13. The report with the Board's letter was laid before the Government of India by Sir W. Grey with the following remarks:—

2. The investigations of the Committee seem conclusively to show that, in the great majority instances, the funds of the religious and charitable endowments of the province are squandered or misappropriated by the Managers or Trustees who directly administer them. Where the endowments were formerly under the charge of the Agents of the Revenue Board, the Local Committees are, as the law stands, powerless to exercise efficient control, even in the few cases where they are really anxious to interfere: and where the endowments were originally exempt from Government supervision, the Trustees are now only the more reckless in their profligacy, as they find themselves no longer singular in their indulgence of it.

3. Accepting the policy of Act XX of 1863 as one from which it is not now open to recede, the Lieutenant-Governor thinks it clear that the Act has failed to give sufficient legal power to the Committees in whose hands the control of religious endowments are vested. Under Regulation XIX of 1810, the Board of Revenue had, it is true, no more definite power than is now held by the Local Committees, but as pointed out in paragraph 27 of the Report now forwarded, the Board were, by their official position, and the influence of the Collectors, as their local agents, able to exercise a real authority to which the Local Committees can show no claim. This would appear to have been overlooked when Act XX of 1863 was passed.

4. What seems to be required now, is to strengthen the hands of Local Committees and to bring under their control endowments of all kinds, whether originally supervised by Government or not, and to create a Central Committee in each district with very full and absolute powers of control over the Local Committees, and over the Managers of the various endowments. The proposals made by the Board of Revenue in paragraph 5 of their covering letter have the Lieutenant-Governor's general approval. The necessary expenditure incurred by the Central Committees and Sub-Committees should be provided rateably from the endowment funds, and the post of Secretary to each Central Committee should have a salary attached to it sufficient to secure the services of a competent and trustworthy man.

5. An examination of the tables attached to the Committee's Report has led the Lieutenant-Governor to doubt whether in divesting itself of the Orissa endowments, the Board of Revenue has sufficiently attended to the provisions of Section 21 of Act XX of 1863. That section empowered the Board to reserve under its control all endowments or parts of endowments designed for secular uses. It may be inferred from the tables annexed to the Report, however, that the transfers of the endowments therein mentioned, have been made absolutely and without sufficient inquiry as to the different purposes for which the funds are intended. On this point a reference will be made to the Board of Revenue, and the Lieutenant-Governor would suggest that if the fact should prove to be as above surmised, any amending Act might provide for the rectification of the oversight, and that it should at the same time define what are to be considered "secular uses" for the purposes of the Act. On this point paragraphs 14 and 20 of the Committee's Report deserve consideration.

6. It will be observed, that the Report deals only with the Hindoo endowments of the province of Orissa which are by far the most numerous and important of all the endowments in Bengal. Some further inquiry will be made as to the state of things elsewhere, and also as to Mahomedan Institutions, but early legislation for the purpose of giving a better protection to the numerous Hindoo endowments in Orissa seems very desirable. The principles which may be laid down in regard to them, will no doubt be found to be generally applicable.

The only matter of doubt appears to be whether the expenditure incurred by the Committees of Mahomedan endowments, can be met from the funds under their control, wuqf being under Mahomedan law inalienable. On this point I am to refer you to the papers forwarded with this Government letter No. 501, dated 5th February 1869. It will be for the Government of India to determine whether section 15, Regulation IV of 1793, is a bar to legislation on this matter in the present day. It seems probable that enlightened Mahomedans would not now object to such a proposal, and the best way perhaps to meet the difficulty would be to vest by law the Committees with the powers of Mutawah for certain specific purposes.

7. I am to add that the Lieutenant-Governor apprehends that though the proposed legislation would not in any way contravene Act XX of 1863, being indeed rather the complement of that law, yet as it would technically be considered an amendment of the Act, it would be beyond the competence of the local legislature.

14. In accordance with the undertaking given in paragraph 5 of the foregoing quotation, the Board of Revenue were asked to submit a return showing all the endowments—Hindoo, Mahomedan, Jain, or other—in the Lower Provinces, whether such had been under the control of the Board under Regulation XIX of 1810 or not, with careful specification of the uses to which they had been appropriated. It was represented, however, that the number of endowments which had been left entirely free of Government control was so vast, that the preparation of anything like a complete return would require a special agency and occupy many months, and by subsequent orders the enquiry was restricted to the case of endowments of which cognizance had been taken under Regulation XIX of 1810. The result of this enquiry was to show (as has been already noted) that, outside Orissa, only about 16 endowments had ever been brought under that regulation. Even in Orissa it appeared that comparatively few of the endowments had ever been controlled under that law, and what the Commissioner and the Native Commission, who were again consulted, urged was that, in any amendment of the law, it should be made to include all endowments not of a strictly family and hereditary character and designed for the benefit of individuals only.

15. The Native Commission took this opportunity to submit a supplementary report with the draft of a Bill for giving effect to their revised proposals. The Bill is printed as appendix A to this resolution.

In explanation of the principal provisions of the Bill, the Commission remarked—

18. Next, as to the agency by which the administration of the endowments is to be controlled. Whatever may be our views regarding the policy of Government in disconnecting itself with institutions of the kind under notice (we have already expressed ourselves clearly on the point, *vide* paragraph 19 of our previous report), it is, we are afraid, looking to section 22, Act XX of 1863, vain to expect that Government should recede from such policy and re-assume the superintendence of the endowments. If this be so, the agency provided for by Act XX of 1863 is best calculated to answer the purpose. Instead of there being, however, only local committees one for each institution and such local committees taking the place and exercising the powers of both the Board of Revenue and the local agents in Regulation XIX of 1810, as laid down in section 7, Act XX of 1863, there should be a central committee for the division which should take the place and exercise the powers of the Board in respect of all the institutions in the division, the local committees performing the functions of the local agents, each with regard to the particular institution placed under it. Our reason for recommending such a double system as this is, that on the one hand the requisite number of persons sufficiently qualified to be entrusted with the powers which ought to vest in the local committees, supposing there is to be no central committee, can hardly be expected to be found anywhere except at the divisional or district head-quarters, and that on the other hand a single committee sitting at the divisional or district station could but ill control the management of all the institutions in the division or district situated, as they are, in different parts of the country, some of them far distant from such stations. We prefer a divisional to a district central committee, as well with a view to complete centralization as in order to secure uniformity of system throughout the division in all matters connected with the institutions.

19. Now as regards the powers of the central committee. We do not propose that it should have larger powers of supervision and control than those contemplated by Act XX of 1863, which are the same as the Board of Revenue possessed under Regulation XIX of 1810. It is simply necessary to supply what is obviously an omission in the previous laws, viz., a clear definition of such powers. This we have done in detail in Appendix I. The only part of these powers which may seem sufficiently important to demand an explanation here, is the authority proposed to be given to the committee to remove trustees, and generally to confirm their appointment, and, in the case of the institutions of the kind specified in section 3, Act XX of 1863, to nominate them itself. It can hardly be said that our proposition goes ahead of Regulation XIX of 1810, which, though it did not expressly confer such authority upon the Board, evidently intended to do so by implication, as will appear from the portions of the law already quoted above. We are not singular in putting the construction we do upon them.

There are instances of trustees having been removed by the authorities, and that not only in the case of the institutions which would come under section 3, Act XX of 1863, to show that the law was always so interpreted. Indeed, it is hard to conceive how the authorities could, without exercising such powers, to quote the words of the Regulation again, "take care that the endowments were appropriated to the purposes for which they were intended" or "prevent misappropriation." If, therefore, the committee is to be expected to accomplish the same end, it follows that they must have the same powers.

20. We are conscious that, allowing due weight to the considerations we have above set forth, powers of removal, &c., are large powers to confer upon any person or body of persons, and the more so upon a quasi-judicial body such as the central committee is proposed to be. We have accordingly taken care to recommend the same safeguards as Regulation XIX of 1810 provided,—safeguards which we consider amply sufficient not only against intentional abuse of power but also against errors of judgment. The parties aggrieved by the committee's proceedings have the right to sue it in the civil court, and the civil court has the power not only to upset the committee's orders, but also to award costs and damages against the committee, should it see good reasons to do so. If, notwithstanding such provisions as these, calculated, as they are, almost to ensure uprightness and carefulness on the part of the committee, a few evils should arise, and we do not pretend to predict the contrary, they can only be looked upon as necessary evils.

21. The powers which we would give the local committees have also been set forth in the appendix above referred to. These are just sufficient to enable them to perform the duties we would impose upon them, which are much the same as those which devolved upon the local agents under Regulation XIX of 1810.

22. We futher think it necessary that the committees, both central and local, should be recognized as representatives as well of the endowers as of the persons interested in the endowments, as such interest is defined in section 15, Act XX of 1863, and as such should be authorized to institute proceedings in the courts. Such a provision is specially called forth by the necessity which, notwithstanding the supervision and control provided for, may arise, perhaps not unfrequently, for resorting to the courts for the purpose of recovering land or other property improperly transferred, or of preventing the transfer of such property. It is not that in recommending the provision we desire to provide against speculative contingencies. Alienations of endowment lands by the trustees, either under some pretence or other, or without any assigned cause, and sales of such lands by the civil courts in execution of decrees for debts against the trustees, have, especially of late, been rather frequent than otherwise, a result which we think to be due, though secondarily—the primary cause being of course the exceptionable conduct of the trustees—to the absence of any representative body, such as we have proposed, which would and could dispute the right of the trustees to alienate trust property, or contest the liability of such property to sale for their debts.

23. The mode in which the committees are to conduct their proceedings and execute their orders has likewise been described in the appendix. The rules of procedure have been drawn upon the model of those which generally regulate the proceedings of arbitrators, and the orders of the committee have been proposed to be carried into effect, when necessary, by the civil court in the same manner as its own decrees are executed.

24. The rules we have proposed relating to the mode of appointment and constitution of the committees, the removal of the members, filling up vacancies, &c., have been taken almost verbatim from those contained in the points in Act XX of 1863, the slight alterations made being rendered necessary by the double agency recommended. The general terms used in section 8 of that law, respecting the religious persuasions of the persons to be selected as members, need not be adopted in the case of the central committees, which might unobjectionably be composed of persons of only the Hindu and Mahomedan persuasions, inasmuch as all the endowments belong to one or the other of these two religions, Jain or any other similar persuasion being a sect of the Hindoo religion rather than a different persuasion. The number and extent of the Hindu endowments being by far the greater, the majority of the members should, in our opinion, be of the Hindoo persuasion. As to ascertaining the general wishes of the persons interested, as provided for in the same section, the measure is almost impracticable in the case of the central committee; and even if it were otherwise, we do not quite see the utility of making such a provision, considering that there do not exist such an intelligent public as the law would pre-suppose. The provision in section 8 has remained almost a dead letter.

25. In order to enable the central and local committees to meet the expenses incidental to the performance of their functions, we have proposed that they should be authorized to raise funds by proportionate assessments on the incomes of the several institutions under their superintendence, and that, in the event of the trustees or managers failing to pay their respective quotas, the committees should have power to assume the direct management of the endowment property for the purpose of realizing the same.

26. As regards the power the civil court is to have, we do not purpose to take away any of those which it possessed either under Regulation XIX of 1810 or Act XX. of 1863, or in the least to limit them, as will appear from the general provision we have inserted on the point in the appendix. We have thought it proper further to recommend that sections 14 to 20, Act XX of 1863, be retained with slight alterations.

27. Now, as to the extent of the operation of the amended law. The proposed Act should, in our opinion, be the general endowment law applicable to all endowments of the kind under

consideration, though no institution should be considered as coming within its operation until an order of Government shall have specially extended it to the same.

16. The Board of Revenue approved generally of the proposals of the Commission. They were not, however, submitted at this time (January 1871) to the Government of India, partly because the information given with respect to some considerable endowments was very incomplete, and partly because intimation was received from that Government that they had decided to invite the opinions of other Governments and Administrations before taking action to amend Act XX of 1863. The question became also to some extent complicated by another suggestion made by the Commissioner of Orissa in connection with the Pooree Lodging-house Bill, that the Government might meet the practical necessities of Orissa by levying a fixed percentage upon all pilgrim endowments, to be spent by Government for the benefit of the pilgrims. The Commissioner was even sanguine that he could induce the muthdars to make voluntary annual contributions for this purpose, and he was allowed to try. The attempt seems to have been a failure, and the papers connected with the whole subject of endowments were then apparently allowed to lie by.

17. Attention was again drawn to them on the receipt of a circular from the Government of India, dated the 16th November 1874, enquiring what the practice was in Bengal as to the alienation of endowments to meet the debts of their temporary trustee or manager. The replies to this circular from local officers went to show that, while the rule of law is clear enough as to the illegality of alienation of trust property either in sales under decrees against the trustee personally or by voluntary transfers, they are in practice by no means uncommon, owing to collusion between creditors and debtors, and in Orissa have come to be regularly recognized. In submitting to the Government of India the Board's report upon this matter, Sir Richard Temple took the opportunity of pressing again upon that Government the necessity of amending Act XX of 1863, and, forwarding the whole of the more recent correspondence, drew attention to the draft Act submitted by the Native Commission in 1870, which seemed, he thought, calculated to meet the object in view.

18. In reply to this, the Government of India, on the 23rd March 1876, forwarded a copy of a correspondence with the Government of Madras regarding the amendment of Act XX of 1863. The conclusions come to by the Government of India are embodied in the following paragraphs of their letter No. 306, dated the 29th February 1876, to the Government of Madras:—

2. The Government of India agree with the Government of Madras that Act XX of 1863 has failed to prevent malversation of the endowments dealt with under its provisions, and that fresh legislation in the matter is necessary.

3. It must be understood, however, that the policy of which the Act of 1863 is the expression should, as far as possible, be maintained; and in this view it appears to the Government of India that there is more probability of a successful solution of the question in the scheme propounded by Sir William Robinson in his Minute of the 10th October 1874 than in any other scheme that has yet been devised. His proposals involve no direct interference in the administration of the endowments by the European officers of the Government, but provide that the duty should be entrusted to a strong Native Board exclusively devoted to the work, and armed with full powers to inquire into and obtain redress for abuses of their authority by the local managers of the trusts.

4. It is doubtful whether it will be possible to appoint in the districts efficient local committees, unless the European element be included in them; but, as suggested by Sir W. Robinson, there would seem to be no difficulty in providing for the effective discharge of most of the duties which would be assigned to district committees by the appointment of Inspectors acting under the orders of the Central Board. For the work to be done thoroughly the members of the Board and their staff must be well paid; and there seems to be no reason why their salaries should not be defrayed from the funds of the endowments. It will probably be better that the members should be appointed and removed by the Government, as any system of election for the first or future members of the Board would not be likely to answer well.

5. The appointment and removal of trustees might be vested in the Central Board, subject to rules to be approved by His Excellency the Governor in Council. It does not seem necessary to fix the number of trustees for each endowment; this must vary according to the nature and previous history of the trust.

6. There would seem to be no objection to provide for the application of the surplus funds of the endowments to useful public purposes, such as the establishment of a school for general education, or of a scholarship, or the construction of some beneficial local work.

7. I am to take this opportunity of acknowledging your letter No. 59,* dated 12th January 1875, relative to the sale of certain villages under judicial decrees for debts due by the manager of the property, notwithstanding that the estate had been held on a rent-free tenure for charitable purposes. In the opinion of the Government of India provision should be made for the protection from alienation, under decrees of courts, of inams granted for religious or charitable purposes.

* To the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce.

8. I am to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, a Bill, based upon the above suggestions, supplemented and modified according as local experience may suggest, may be submitted to the Government of India for sanction under section 43 of the Indian Council's Act and for transmission to the Secretary of State. Steps will then be taken here at the proper time to repeal Act XX of 1863, as far as the Madras Presidency is concerned, so as to remove the objection under section 42 of the Indian Council's Act as to the competency of His Excellency the Governor's Council to deal with this subject. I am also to request that the fullest information available may be supplied as to the actual facts of the misappropriation of the funds of the endowments. It is gathered from some expressions used in the proceedings of the Madras Board of Revenue, dated the 18th July 1874, that the Board and the Government had before them specific instances of misappropriation which were regarded as affording strong confirmation of the opinion on which the recommendation in favour of fresh legislation was founded, but the papers showing this have not been sent up.

19. The minute by Sir W. Robinson, to which allusion is made in the foregoing extract, proposed to follow, in dealing with these endowments, the model of the English Charitable Trusts Acts of 1853, 1855, and 1860. His views are set out in the following paragraphs of his minute:—

Following, *mutatis mutandis*, the model proposed (Charitable Trusts Acts of 1853, 1855, and 1860), the first step to be taken is that Government appoint and continue to appoint as vacancies occur three or more well salaried Commissioners of Religious Endowments, who with a Secretary, likewise appointed by Government, should constitute a Board to inquire into the condition and management of all religious endowments throughout the Presidency. I do not think that the retention of this degree of patronage would contravene the principle of perfect neutrality, which should characterise all Government action. The patronage should be exercised with the advice of the Board when once formed, and is simply, as it appears to me, a necessary guarantee for character and qualification. And in a country where religious factions affect men's minds, as it does here, I think that the Government must thus far act the part of a daysman between them.

N.B.—In England two of the Commissioners (and the Secretary I believe) must be lawyers of standing, and I am disposed to suggest similar qualifications here. I should at all events endeavour at the outset to place an English Barrister of standing on the Board for obvious reasons.

N.B.—I should be inclined to extend their powers of inquiry, &c., to all charities for whatever object existing.

N.B.—The correspondence shows how difficult is the question between the two sects of Vishnuvites and the various creeds amongst the Shivavites and other shades of belief which prevail in various parts of the country.

The Board should receive all requisite legal powers to enable them to execute their functions most effectively—including that of placing independent persons in a position to ascertain accurately the income and miscellaneous receipts (*e.g.* from pilgrim offerings and the like) of any institution into the affairs of which their inquiries may extend—under penalties for delays and obstruction whencesoever arising, which shall be sufficiently deterrent and prompt. The action of the Board should be of a summary but *quasi*-judicial character, and all their proceedings and the reports of the local Committees and Inspectors should be published for general information.

N.B.—The restriction in respect to examination of persons who claim or hold property adversely to the charity under inquiry, contained in section 16 of Charity Trust Act of 1853, has proved most inconvenient, and should be avoided in the proposed law.

N.B.—In England these are, I believe, annually laid before Parliament. Here it might be sufficient to publish them periodically, with appendices.

The registration of all religious endowments in the office of the Board—with full particulars of every kind—within a specified period by their respective trustees or managers should be made compulsory. And all trustees and persons acting in the management of any institution within the perview of the law should be obliged—under severe penalties—to submit, if required by the Board, a provisional budget estimate of receipts and expenditure for the following year for such orders as may be advisable, and at the close of the year to send in a statement of all receipts and disbursements for official audit by the Board.

The Board should be required to institute progressive inquiry into the management of all institutions within the scope of their functions, and, where not satisfied with the existing administration of the funds, &c., of any of them, to draw up—after disposing of objections and suggestions of parties interested in the charity—a scheme for the management of the institution and its funds; for the acceptance of those concerned (if willing to accept such proposals), or for submission to the courts of law for ratification or modification as the case may be—and the Board should be empowered to modify or obtain the modification of such schemes from time to time as may be found expedient. Wherever the scheme of the Board is unopposed their orders should be final, and perhaps considerable powers of provisional approval and execution of their order might be conceded to them even when there is a show of opposition (as in England) under the more recent extension of the Charity Commissioners Law (1860).

Most of the provisions of the Charity Trust Law of England respecting the powers of the Board are applicable and will prove useful. The principle of section 16 (application for opinion and advice and indemnity for acts on such advice) might be extended so as to constitute the Commissioners arbitrators and referees in all matters of doubt and dispute, and to make the provisional order valid unless reversed by competent judicial courts. The powers given in section 17 and sections 19 to 28 might, with suitable modification, be exercised with advantage by the Commissioners to be appointed under the proposed law.

Sections 17, 19, 20—Authorization of suits.
Section 21—Sanction of leases, &c., and repairs.
Section 22—Removal of officers.
Sections 23 to 27—Compromises, exchanges, &c.

I am satisfied that it would be highly beneficial to constitute the Board—under stringent provisions for the faithful execution of the trust—Official Trustees of Endowment Lands, in the manner provided in sections 47 to 50 of Charity Trust Act, 1853, and Official Trustees for the investment of all surplus funds, &c., and for the management of any funds which may be voluntarily transferred to them by persons acting in management of religious and charitable endowments.

Having constituted a Central Board, it becomes necessary to provide them with the means of local information and investigation, and with agency for fulfilling the requirements of the law. Most of those who have written on the subject have recommended the retention of the District Committees constituted under Act XX of 1863, and some would even extend the system and form "Local Fund Circle" Committees. I entertain the gravest doubts of the utility and expediency of these numerous permanent local vestries, and I think that the papers sufficiently prove that their constitution has neither been operative nor judicious, and that their action has been too often factious, meddlesome, and irritating. I should therefore greatly prefer the English system of inspectors, who under the orders of the Board *pro re natâ* would take up the investigation of each institution in its town for final disposal by competent authority.

20. The Madras Government appointed a committee to draft a Bill for regulating the control of Hindoo religious endowments upon the basis of the plan suggested by Sir W. Robinson. A copy of the Bill drawn up by that committee was received from that Government, and is printed as appendix B to this resolution. It was referred to the Board of Revenue and the Commissioner of Orissa for report. The Commissioner is of opinion that a Bill framed upon the model of the Madras Bill would be well suited to the circumstances of Orissa and the other provinces of Bengal, provided that its scope were enlarged to cover secular as well as religious endowments. He objects to the appointment of a European barrister upon the committee, and would leave the Government to select the committee and chairman, providing only that three out of four members be Hindoos. The Board also express themselves in favour of the general outline of the Bill as applicable to the circumstances of Orissa. But it is manifest that it is impossible to leave entirely out of sight in Bengal the Mahomedan endowments, and it is doubtful whether the very elaborate machinery of the Madras Bill is really necessary. It may be that some more simple modification and strengthening of the provisions of Act XX of 1863, as suggested by the Native Commission in 1870, would meet all requirements.

21. The Lieutenant-Governor has therefore decided to refer the whole question in this full and detailed manner for the consideration of the British Indian Association, the Mahomedan Literary Society, and the National Mahomedan Association, and of such other native associations and individuals as Commissioners and District Officers may think it desirable to consult. The opinions received through district officers should be carefully digested by Commissioners and forwarded to Government through the Board of Revenue with such further remarks and suggestions as the Board may find to be required.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPENDIX A.

An Act to amend Act XX of 1863.

1. Act XX of 1863, except section 22, and except in so far as it repealed other laws, and also except as regards acts done under the said Act, is hereby repealed.

2. This Act shall be called "the General Religious Endowment Act," and may be extended to any Hindoo or Mahomedan religious endowment by an order of the local Government published in the *Official Gazette.*

3. The word "endowment" shall include grants in land or money as well as offerings and presents of whatever description which have been made, or may hereafter be made for whatever purposes by any person to any temple, mosque, or other religious establishment or institution, together with land or other property purchased with the surplus profits of such lands, or with such money, offerings, or presents, and shall also signify such temple, mosque, or other religious establishment or institution itself.

4. The word "manager" shall include every person who, under the designation of trustee, superintendent, mutwalie, darogah, mahunt, udhicaree, or under any other designation whatever, has or may have the charge and administration of an endowment entrusted to him.

5. The word "civil court" and "court" shall mean the principal court of original civil jurisdiction in the district.

6. The local Government shall once for all appoint a committee consisting of five or seven persons in every division, to be called "the Central Endowment Committee."

7. The local Government shall also once for all appoint sub-committees, one for each endowment, consisting of three or more persons to be called "the Local Endowment Committee," except where there exist committees of management under section 7, Act XX of 1863, which committees shall, after the passing of this Act, be called "Local Endowment Committees" within the meaning of this Act.

8. The central endowment committee shall be the chief controlling authority in the division, and the local endowment committees shall act in subordination to it.

9. It will be the duty of the central endowment committee to superintend and control the management of the endowment, and to take care that the endowments are appropriated to the purposes intended by the endowers, and to no other.

10. It will be the duty of the local endowment committee to superintend and control the management of the endowment under its charge according to such rules as may be prescribed for that purpose by the central endowment committee, and to carry into effect all directions which the central endowment committee may give to it in connection with the said endowment, and it shall be the duty of each member of the local endowment committee to visit the endowment at least once a year.

11. It will be the further duty of the local endowment committee to report to the central endowment committee any instance of mismanagement or misappropriation of endowment, misconduct of managers, and the occurrence of vacancies in the office of manager, with full information of all circumstances connected with the mode of succession in vogue in each case, and in the cases in which the power of appointing the successor is vested by this Act in the central endowment committee, to propose a fit person for the office of manager.

12. The members of the central endowment committee shall be selected by Government from among persons residing in the division under the following restrictions, viz., if the total number of the members be five, three shall be Hindoos and two Mahomedans, and if the total number be seven, four shall be Hindoos and three Mahomedans.

13. The members of the local endowment committees shall be appointed from among persons professing the religion for the purposes of which the endowment was founded, or is now maintained, and in accordance, so far as can be ascertained, with the general wishes of those who are interested in the maintenance of such endowment. In order to ascertain the general wishes of such persons in respect of such appointment, the local Government may cause an election to be held under such rules (not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act) as shall be framed by such local Government.

14. The appointment of the members of both the central and local endowment committees shall be notified in the *Official Gazette.*

15. Every member, whether of the central endowment committee or of the local endowment committee, shall hold office for life, unless removed for misconduct, unfitness, or gross neglect of duty, and no such member shall be removed except by an order of the civil court.

16. Whenever any vacancy shall occur among the members whether of the central endowment committee or of the local endowment committee, a new member shall be elected to fill the vacancy by the remaining members of the committee.

17. No member, whether of the central endowment committee or of the local endowment committee, shall be capable of being or shall act also as a manager, except when an attachment shall have been made for the realization of sums assessed and remaining unpaid as hereinafter provided for in sections 28 and 29.

18. The central endowment committee shall have power to prescribe rules for the management of the endowments by the managers not inconsistent with the intentions of the endowers, whether expressed or implied, or with the provisions of this Act, and also for the superintendence of such management by the local endowment committees, and it will be the duty of the managers and local endowment committees to act up respectively to such rules.

19. It shall be the duty of the managers to keep regular accounts of the actual receipts from every source of income, and of the actual disbursements, and the central endowment committee and local endowment committees shall have power to call for and examine such accounts, and the managers shall be bound to submit their accounts to the said committees whenever called upon to do so.

20. The members of the central endowment committee shall be allowed access to all such public records as they may desire to see for the purpose of ascertaining any matters connected with endowments.

21. Any member of the central endowment committee shall have power to enter the premises of endowments for the purpose of making inquiries, provided there be no objection to his doing so on the score of his religion or caste.

22. The members of the local endowment committees shall have power to enter the premises of the particular endowment under their charge for the purpose of making inquiries.

23. The central endowment committee shall have power to examine witnesses on matters under inquiry before them, and may administer oath or solemn affirmation to such witnesses.

24. The central endowment committee may apply to the civil court for the issue of summonses to witnesses whom it may desire to examine, and who may not attend at its requisition, and the civil court shall, upon such application being made, summons such witnesses to appear before the central endowment committee. All the rules in force for the time being in the civil court, relative to the summonsing of witnesses, their attendance, diet allowance and discharge, shall apply to the summonsing of witnessess on the application of the central endowment committee.

25. In the event of the office of manager being vacant in the case of endowments which may at the time of the passing of this Act be under the control of committees appointed under section 7, Act XX of 1863, the central endowment committee shall have power to appoint a fit person to the office, having due regard to the nature and conditions of the endowment, and in all other cases the succession to the office, either by election or otherwise, shall be subject to the confirmation of the central endowment committee.

26. The central endowment committee shall have power to remove managers for misconduct, mismanagement, or misappropriation of endowment.

27. The central endowment committee may move the civil court to execute its orders, and the civil court shall, on receipt of the committee's application, issue process of execution. The rules for the time being in force relative to the execution of the court's own decrees, and resistance of its processes, shall apply to the execution issued under this section, except that no claims preferred by any parties shall be allowed to bar or defer such execution.

28. The central endowment committee shall have power to raise sums to form a fund to be called the "general endowment fund" from the several endowments under their control for the purpose of paying the salary of its establishment, and generally for carrying out the purposes of this Act, assessing each endowment in proportion to its estimated income. When it shall have determined the total probable expenditures on the said accounts for a given year, and the amount to be levied from each endowment, it shall notify the assessments to the managers, and call upon them to pay their respective quotas within a certain time, to be specified in the notice. In the event of a manager failing to pay the amount due from him within the said time, and on its being proved to the satisfaction of the committee that such manager has actually had the notice, and that he is in a position to pay, which cirrumstances shall be duly inquired into, the committee may attach and assume the direct management of the whole or any portion of the landed property belonging to the endowment concerned, until the amount unpaid by the manager shall have been realised from the proceeds of such land. Provided that no assessment shall be made nor any attachment take place except in accordance with a decision arrived at by the committee at a general meeting specially convened for the purpose.

29. The central endowment committee shall also have power to raise funds for the purpose of instituting or defending suits in the civil court, or instituting proceedings in the criminal or revenue court, or any other public offices. The funds required shall be levied from the endowment in the interests of which the suit, action, or proceeding shall have to be instituted or defended, and may be realized in the manner laid down in the last preceding section for the realization of the sums constituting the "general endowment fund:" provided that no assessment shall be made nor any attachment take place except in accordance with a decision arrived at by the committee at a general meeting specially convened for the purpose.

30. The central endowment committee and local endowment committees shall have power to institute and defend suits in the civil court, or institute other proceedings in the civil, criminal, or revenue courts, and other public offices, in the interests of the endowments, and shall, in the exercise of this power, be recognized by the said courts and offices as representatives of the endowers and also of persons interested in the endowments, except as against persons actually interested in the endowments.

31. The central endowment committee shall, for the purpose of transacting business, meet at least four times during the calendar year.

32. The members of the central endowment committee shall select a duly qualified person, who shall not be a Government servant, to act as Secretary. The Secretary so selected shall draw such monthly salary as the committee shall determine.

33. The central endowment committee shall perform the duties and exercise the powers laid down in this Act, except those provided for in sections 28 and 29, either at a full meeting or at a meeting at which not less than three of its members shall have attended, provided that

in the latter case, if the matter to be disposed of relate to a Mahomedan endowment, no decision shall be passed unless at least two of the members present are Mahomedans, and if the matter to be disposed of relate to a Hindoo endowment, unless at least two of the members present are Hindoos. The decision of the majority of the members shall be the decision of the committee, and in the event of the votes being equally divided, the member presiding shall have a casting vote.

34. The members present at every meeting of the central endowment committee shall select one from among themselves to act as president of that meeting. The proceedings, including the examination of witnesses, shall be reduced to writing, and after the matter under inquiry shall have been fully discussed, each member present shall record his decision and sign it, and the decision finally arrived at in the manner laid down in the last preceding section, shall be recorded by the secretary and signed by all the members present.

35. The proceedings of the local endowment committee, including the statements of witnesses examined, shall likewise be reduced to writing, and the opinion of each individual member shall be separately recorded. The proceedings and opinions shall in every case be forwarded in original to the central endowment committee.

36. No inquiry shall be conducted, nor any report made by the local endowment committee except at a full meeting, or if the committee shall have been composed of more than three members, at a meeting at which at least three members shall have attended. The central endowment committee shall, on application, render the local endowment committee such assistance as may enable the latter duly to inquire into and report upon the matters which it may have to investigate.

37. Whoever shall resist either the central endowment committee or the local endowment committee in the execution of its duty, or in the doing of any act which it is authorized to do by this Act, shall be held as having resisted a public servant in the execution of his duty.

38. The civil court shall have power to try the merits of all acts done and all orders passed either by the central endowment committee or the local endowment committee, in regular suits instituted by parties who may feel aggrieved by them, whether they be managers or persons interested in the endowments, and to adjudicate upon all matters connected with the endowments. It may require the production of any documents, papers, accounts, proceedings, either in the possession of the managers, the central endowment committee, or local endowment committee.

39. Any person or persons interested in any endowment or the trusts relating thereto may, without joining as plaintiff any of the other persons interested therein, sue before the civil court the manager of such endowment or the member of any committee appointed under this Act or Act XX of 1863 for any misfeasance, breach of trust, or neglect of duty committed by such manager or member of such committee, in respect of the endowment, and the civil court may direct the specific performance of any act by such manager or member of a committee and may decree damages and costs against the manager or member of a committee (in the latter case such damages and costs shall be paid out of the estate unless the court shall see reason to direct otherwise) and may also direct the removal of such manager or member of a committee.

40. The interest required in order to entitle a person to sue under the last preceding section need not be a pecuniary or a direct or immediate interest, or such an interest as would entitle the person suing to take any part in the management or superintendence of the endowment; any person having a right of attendance, or having been in the habit of attending at the performance of the worship or service of any mosque, temple, or religious establishment, or of partaking in the benefit of any distribution of alms, shall be deemed to be a person interested within the meaning of this Act.

41. In any suit or proceeding instituted under this Act, it shall be lawful for the court before which such suit or proceeding is pending, to order any matter in difference in such suits to be referred for decision to one or more arbitrators. Whenever any such order shall be made, the provisions of chapter VI of the Code of Civil Procedure shall in all respects apply to such order and arbitration in the same manner as if such order had been made on the application of the parties under section 312 of the said Code.

42. Nothing in the last preceding section shall prevent the parties from applying to the court, or the court from making the order of reference under the said section 312 of the said Code of Civil Procedure.

43. No suit shall be entertained under this Act without a preliminary application being first made to the court for leave to institute such suit. The application may be made upon unstamped paper. The court, on the perusal of the application, shall determine whether there are sufficient *primâ facie* grounds for the institution of a suit, and if in the judgment of the court there are such grounds, leave shall be given for its institution. In calculating the costs at the termination of the suit, the stamp duty on the preliminary application shall be estimated, and shall be added to the costs of the suit. If the court shall be of opinion that the suit has been for the benefit of the endowment, and that no party to the suit is in fault, the court may order costs, or such portion as it may consider just, to be paid out of the estate. If, on the contrary, the court shall find that the cause of action originated in improper motives on the part of the party cast, it may direct that the costs and damages if any, shall be paid by such party.

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TO

Provide for the better administration of Hindu Religious Institutions in the Presidency of Fort St. George.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to define the duties of Trustees of Hindu Religious Institutions in the Presidency of Fort St. George, and to provide for the registration and supervision of such Institutions and for the due administration of property belonging thereto; It is enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Madras Hindu Religious Institutions Act, 187

Local extent and application.

It extends to the Presidency of Fort St. George, and applies to all Hindu Religious Institutions within the said Presidency.

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the day of

Repeal of Enactment.

2. On and from that date, Act XX of 1863 shall be repealed so far as it affects Hindu Temples and Establishments in the Presidency of Fort St. George, and except so far as it preserves Regulation VII of 1817.

Interpretation Clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context,

"Board" and "Commissioner" mean the Board and any Commissioner appointed under this Act,

"Religious Institution" and "Institution" include every Hindu pagoda, temple, shrine, *devastanam, devasam, muttum*, or other Hindu establishment or foundation of a religious character by whatever local designation known, and all property and endowments connected therewith, whether applied wholly to Hindu religious purposes or partly to religious and partly to charitable or other purposes, and every express or constructive Trust of a Hindu religious nature by which property or money is vested in the hands of any person or persons.

"Trustee" includes—

(*a*) all persons administering the affairs of, or having control over, a Religious Institution, or acting in the management thereof;

(*b*) all persons to whom the property of any Religious Institution was transferred under Act XX of 1863;

(*c*) all *Dhurmakhartas, Mahunts, Uralers, Punchayets, Madhyasts, Adinakartas, Matadhipathies, Stanikas, Hakdars, Ballals, Muktassars*, and the like, by whatever local designation such person may be known;

(*d*) the Official Trustees appointed under this Act; and

(*e*) all persons holding any property in Trust for any Religious Institution.

"Person interested" includes all persons who have a right of attendance, or are in the habit of attending, at the performance of the worship or service of any Religious Institution. The interest need not be a pecuniary, or a direct or immediate, interest in the Institution, or such an interest as would entitle the person to take any part in the management or superintendence thereof.

"Officer" includes any person appointed under this Act, but shall not include any Trustee or other person acting in the administration of any Religious Institution, or any servant under his control.

"Civil Court" means the highest Court exercising civil jurisdiction in the district in which a Religious Institution is wholly or partially situated, and, for the town of Madras, the High Court in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction.

CHAPTER II.—OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE BOARD AND TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS.

Appointment of Board of Hindu Commissioners for supervision and control.

4. For the purposes of this Act, the Governor in Council shall appoint a Board consisting of three Commissioners, who must be persons professing the Hindu religion. And one of the said Commissioners shall be nominated Chairman.

European Barrister-Commissioner.

It shall also be competent to the Governor in Council to appoint a European Barrister of not less than ten years' standing to be a Commissioner under this Act, who shall receive such monthly salary not exceeding Rs. 1,000 as the Governor in Council may deem fit.

Board how to be designated.

Such Board may be called "The Hindu Religious Institutions' Board."

Annual payment of fixed percentage to Commissioners.

5. Every Religious Institution to which this Act applies shall pay annually to the Board a sum, to be fixed by the Governor in Council, not exceeding 5 per cent. of the gross annual income of such Institution.

Exemption by the Board.

Provided that it shall be competent to the Board to exempt from the operation of this section any Religious Institution whose gross annual income does not exceed Rs. 50.

Such payment to form an account to defray expenses.

6. The payments so made shall be placed to an account at the Bank of Madras, or such other Bank as may from time to time be appointed by the Governor in Council, to be termed "The Hindu Religious Institutions' Account," and such funds shall be employed in defraying all expenses connected with the Board and its proceedings, salary of officers, rent of office, commissions of inquiry, audits, and other like expenses.

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7. All orders or cheques against the said account shall be signed by the Secretary and countersigned by the Chairman, or in his absence by such other Commissioner as may be authorized by the Chairman in that behalf; and it shall be lawful for the Bank to pay all orders and cheques so signed.

8. Whenever any Religious Institution fails to make the payment aforesaid or any other payment required by this Act, it shall be lawful for the Board through their agents duly authorized in that behalf to enter upon and manage such Institution or any reasonable part of the property thereof and to remain in possession until the sum due shall have been paid or recovered.

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Tenant may pay the sum due to Board, and payment so made may be deducted from the rent due.

9. The Board may, with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council, raise loans of money upon the security of the funds vested in them by Section 6 for the purposes of the said section, and shall discharge the same out of the said funds.

Loan may be raised for purposes of Section 6.

10. The Chairman shall receive a monthly salary not exceeding Rupees 1,250, and each of the other Commissioners a monthly salary not exceeding Rupees 1,000, to be determined, from time to time, by the Governor in Council.

Salary of Commissioners.

11. The Commissioners shall hold office during the pleasure of the Governor in Council. The Hindu Commissioners shall give their whole time to the discharge of their official duties, and shall not be at liberty to follow any other profession or calling, or to hold any office connected with any Religious Institution.

Duration of office of Commissioners.

Not to follow any other occupation.

12. The Governor in Council shall appoint a Secretary to the Board who shall receive a monthly salary not exceeding Rupees 600 to be determined from time to time by the Governor in Council.

Secretary to the Board.

Salary.

The Secretary shall be a person professing the Hindu religion, and shall hold office during the pleasure of the Governor in Council; he shall give the whole of his time to his official duties, and shall not follow any other profession or calling, or hold any office connected with any Religious Institution.

Duration of office.

Not to follow any other occupation.

13. The Governor in Council may, in communication with the Board, appoint a sufficient number of Inspectors not exceeding five upon monthly salaries to be determined from time to time by the Governor in Council not exceeding Rupees 500.

Appointment of Inspectors.

Such Inspectors shall be persons professing the Hindu religion, and shall hold office during the pleasure of the Governor in Council.

Provided that the Governor in Council may in like manner appoint Additional Inspectors for any special purpose and for any specified time and fix the remuneration to be paid to such Additional Inspectors.

14. The Governor in Council may grant to any Commissioner or to the Secretary leave of absence not exceeding twelve months and make arrangements for the carrying on of the duties of the absentee. Such leave of absence and the allowances payable to the officer on leave and to the person appointed to act in his place shall be regulated by the rules applicable to the Uncovenanted Civil Service.

Governor in Council may grant leave of absence.

15. The Board shall have an office in Madras for the transaction of business, and shall have a common seal. Such office shall be open at such times as the Board, subject to the approval of the Governor in Council, may appoint.

Board to have an office in Madras and use a common seal.

16. The Board shall meet at least twice in each week for the transaction of business, and no business shall be transacted at any meeting unless at least two Commissioners are present at such meeting.

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18. The Board shall have power, from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council, to entertain such establishment of officers, clerks, and servants as may be necessary, and to grant salaries, pensions, and other emoluments to such persons. The Board may appoint, suspend, or remove any such persons.

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19. It shall be competent to the Board to grant leave of absence to the Inspectors and all persons appointed by them, and to make arrangements for the conduct of business during such absence. Such leave of absence and the allowances payable to the Inspector or person on leave, and to the persons appointed to act in their place, shall be regulated by the rules applicable to the Uncovenanted Civil Service.

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20. The Board may appoint Committees consisting of two Commissioners for any purpose under this Act: Provided that the proceedings of every Committee shall be submitted to the Board.

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General Minutes how to be signed.

22. The Board shall cause Minutes of all their discussions and of proceedings, and of all orders, opinions and advice, and of all certificates and schemes made or approved by the Board under this Act, together with the grounds of their approval, and the objections (if any) which have been made to such schemes, and all proceedings had in respect of such objections, and the grounds on which any such objections have been overruled, to be entered in books to be provided and kept for such purpose; and all such entries shall signed by the Secretary.

Minutes of proceedings, &c., to be entered in a book.

23. The Board shall, in the month of April in every year, make a general report to the Government of all their proceedings during the preceding year up to the thirty-first day of December then last past.

Board to submit annual report to Government.

The Board shall specially distinguish and set forth in such report all the schemes (if any) approved by them, together with an account showing the receipts and disbursements connected with the Religious Institutions under their control in such form as they may determine.

Report to set forth all schemes approved and objections taken.

Such report shall, within one month after the making thereof, be published by the Board in the *Fort St. George Gazette;* and such portions thereof as affect the Religious Institutions in any particular district shall be published in the local Gazette of that district.

Publication of annual report.

24. All Registers prepared under Section 65, and all records of the Board's proceedings and orders, and all books of account, statements, and returns made to the Board, shall be kept at the office of the Board in the custody of the Secretary.

Record to be kept in the office under custody of the Secretary.

CHAPTER III.—OF TRUSTEES AND THEIR DUTIES.

25. All property belonging to a Religious Institution shall vest in the Trustee or Trustees of such Institution subject to the control and direction of the Board under this Act.

Property to vest in Trustees.

26. It shall be the duty of the Trustees of every Religious Institution to prepare and submit to the Board, within such reasonable time as the Board may prescribe after the date on which this Act comes into force, a complete and true account showing—

Trustees to furnish certain statements.

(1) the name and, so far as is known, the history of the Institution;

(2) the objects of the Institution, with copies of all grants, *sasanams*, *shnnuds*, title-deeds, and other documents relating thereto;

(3) all endowments belonging to the Institution, with full particulars as to the nature, extent, and value of the immoveable property of such Institution, how and when acquired, and how let, occupied, or employed;

(4) the existing *dittam* or scheme of administration and appropriation of funds;

(5) the names, so far as may be known, of past Trustees and the names of existing Trustees, how and when, and by whom, appointed;

(6) the names of all persons in receipt of any salary, emolument, or perquisite from the Institution, and the nature, tenure, and conditions (if any) of service in each case;

(7) the jewels, gold, silver and other vessels and utensils, and all other moveables belonging to the Institution with their estimated value; and

(8) all such further information as the Board may prescribe.

27. The affairs of every Religious Institution shall be administered and the funds thereof applied by the Trustee or Trustees with discretion, and in accordance with the terms of any existing or sanctioned *dittam* or scheme of administration or with the terms of the Trust.

Trustees to administer affairs and apply funds.

28. It shall be competent to the Trustees to exercise, subject to the provisions of this Act, all powers incidental to the provident and beneficial management of the Institution, and to do all acts necessary for the due performance of the duties imposed upon them.

Trustees may exercise all powers incidental to beneficial management.

29. All servants belonging to a Religious Institution remunerated by fixed pay or otherwise deriving any benefit from such Institution shall be under the immediate orders and control of the Trustees, and shall be bound to obey all lawful orders and directions given by such Trustees.

Control of servants.

30. All property and title-deeds and documents belonging to a Religious Institution shall be in the custody or under the control of the Trustees.

Trustees to have custody of property and documents, &c.

31. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to provide for the proper cultivation and leasing of all lands and buildings belonging to the Institution, and for the punctual collection of all assessments, rents, and dues accruing therefrom.

Trustees to provide for cultivation, lease, &c., of lands.

32. It shall be the duty of the Trustees from time to time to submit to the Board proposals for revising, altering, modifying, or setting aside any existing *dittam* or scheme of administration, or for framing a new scheme where none exists or where the existing *dittam* or scheme may, from altered circumstances or other cause, require to be set aside.

Trustees to propose alteration of schemes or framing new ones.

33. It shall be lawful for the Trustees to apply to the Board for their opinion, advice, or direction respecting any matter connected with the administration of a Religious Institution or respecting any question or disputes relating to rites, ceremonial observances, and the like.

Trustees to apply for opinion or advice of Board.

Trustees to keep and maintain accounts.

34. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to keep and maintain full and true accounts of all moneys received and paid by them on account of the Institutions under their management, in books to be provided by them for that purpose.

Trustees to maintain buildings and lands.

35. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to maintain all buildings, lands, and other property belonging to the Institutions under their management in a state of proper preservation, so far as the funds at their disposal will permit.

Trustees to invest surplus funds beneficially.

36. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to invest or employ all surplus funds and accumulations in such manner as may be most conducive to the interests of the Institutions under their management, and, subject to the approval of the Board.

Trustees to recover property not in hand by needful process.

37. It shall be the duty of the Trustees, subject to the directions of the Board, to recover any property belonging to the Religious Institutions under their management which has been improperly alienated or is held to the detriment of such Institutions, and generally to protect the interests of such Institutions by legal proceedings or otherwise when necessary.

Trustees may deposit deeds, &c., for security in a repository provided by the Board.

38. The Trustees or other persons having the custody of any documents, jewels, or other property belonging to any Religious Institution may deposit the same for security in such place as the Board may direct.

Trustees to keep Board informed of all important matters.

39. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to keep the Board informed of all matters affecting the well-being of the Institutions under the management of such Trustees, and to make any inquiry which may be necessary into any matter connected with the due administration thereof, and to submit the information for the orders of the Board.

Indemnity to Trustees acting in good faith.

40. Whenever any discretionary authority vests in the Trustees of a Religious Institution and such Trustees exercise their discretion in good faith, and in all cases in which they act under the orders of the Board, they shall be deemed, so far as their personal responsibility is concerned, to have acted in accordance with the terms of the Trust.

The Trustees to refer differences of opinion to the Board. In cases of emergency the vote of the majority to prevail.

41. Whenever there is a difference of opinion among the Trustees of a Religious Institution touching any matter connected with the administration thereof, the Trustees shall obtain the opinion or advice of the Board touching such matter. Provided that, in cases of emergency in which it is not practicable to obtain such opinion or advice, the opinion of the majority shall prevail until it is reviewed by the Board.

Trustees to obey all lawful orders of the Board.

42. Every Trustee shall be bound to obey all lawful orders passed by the Board under the provisions of this Act.

Trustees may remove any servants for misconduct.

43. It shall be lawful for the Trustees to punish by a fine, or to suspend, remove or dismiss, any servant attached to a Religious Institution, or any person in receipt of any emolument or perquisite therefrom, for breach of trust, incapacity, disobedience of orders, neglect of duty, misconduct, or other sufficient cause, subject to an appeal to the Board as hereinafter provided.

Trustees may appoint servants.

44. It shall be lawful for the Trustees to fill up every vacancy caused by the death, resignation, or removal of any servant of a Religious Institution under their control by the appointment of a duly qualified person.

Where the office has been hereditary, preference shall be given to any person rightfully claiming under a right of hereditary descent.

All such appointments shall be subject to the orders of the Board on appeal or otherwise as hereinafter provided.

Trustees may propose abolition of any office as unnecessary or obsolete subject to Board's sanction.

45. It shall be competent to the Trustees from time to time to submit to the Board any proposal which the Trustees may deem necessary in the interests of any Institution for abolishing the office of any servant thereof, or of any person in receipt of any emolument or perquisite therefrom, wherever the office or any service which it may have been the duty of such servant or other person to perform may, from altered circumstances or other good and sufficient cause, have become no longer necessary.

Power to recover possession of property from a dismissed servant.

46. Whenever any servant or other person who has been removed, suspended, or dismissed as aforesaid has possession of or control over any immoveable or moveable property belonging to any Religious Institution, and refuses or neglects to relinquish possession of such property to the Trustees or to the successor of such servant or person, it shall be lawful for the Magistrate of the district or the Magistrate of a division of a district within whose jurisdiction such Institution is situated, on application made to him by the Trustees or any person duly authorized by them, and on the production of the order of the Trustees directing such removal, together with the certificate of the Board confirming such removal and setting forth that the property in question belongs to such Institution, to issue a warrant empowering any constable or other officer to enter upon the premises and to deliver possession of the property withheld to the Trustees or successor, and, if necessary, to remove such servant or other person from any part of such immoveable property.

The order of the Trustees and the certificate of the Board aforesaid shall be *primâ facie* evidence of the facts therein mentioned.

Power to recover property held over by lessees and others.

47. When any person shall hold or occupy any moveable or immoveable property belonging to any Religious Institution without the permission of the Trustees or under a lease or agreement which is ended or duly determined by a legal notice to quit, and shall neglect or refuse to quit and deliver up possession of the same, the Trustees or the Board or any other person duly authorized by

them may apply to the Civil Court within whose jurisdiction the said property may be situated for an order to obtain possession thereof.

Court may require to show cause.

The Court upon such application may issue a summons directed to such person to show by what title he claims to hold or occupy the said property, and why he should not quit and deliver possession thereof. Such summons may be served in the manner in which summonses issued under the Civil Procedure Code are served.

Proof by the Trustees, &c., of his right to possession.

If the person summoned shall not appear and show cause to the contrary, and shall still neglect or refuse to quit and deliver up possession of the said property, the Trustees or the Board or any other person duly authorized by them may give to the Court proof of the right by which possession is sought for.

Issue of warrant to place the Trustees, &c., in possession.

Upon being satisfied with the evidence adduced, and upon proof of the due service of the summons, the Court may issue a warrant to its officer authorizing him to give possession of such property to the Trustee or to the Board or other person duly authorized by them. Such a warrant shall have the same force and validity as that issued in execution of a decree passed by the said Court.

Proviso not to bar a regular suit.

48. Nothing in Section 46 or 47 shall preclude any Magistrate or Court from referring the applicant to a regular suit, or any person aggrieved from seeking relief or redress in due course of law.

CHAPTER IV.—OF THE DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE BOARD.

Duties of the Board summarised.

49. The following are among the duties of the Board:—

(1) to make inquiries into any matters relating to any Religious Institution;
(2) to register all such Institutions;
(3) to appoint and remove the Trustees and servants of any such Institutions;
(4) to aid and control and direct the Trustees in all matters connected with their duties;
(5) to control the application and investment of funds, and to audit the accounts of the income and expenditure;
(6) to give opinions and advice in respect of the management and administration of Religious Institutions, and in respect of rites and ceremonies connected therewith;
(7) to arbitrate on all matters in dispute respecting rites and ceremonies connected with Religious Institutions;
(8) to confirm, revise, or modify the *dittam* or scheme of administration already existing, and from time to time to frame new schemes;
(9) to authorize and direct judicial proceedings in respect of any matters relating to Religious Institutions;
(10) to frame bye-laws for the purposes of this Act; and
(11) to perform all other acts which may be necessary for the purposes of this Act.

PART A.—*As to inquiries.*

Board to cause local inquiry.

50. The Board shall have power to cause local investigations to be made into the affairs of any Religious Institution for all or any of the purposes of this Act, and with a view to such inquiry the Board may depute—

one or more of the Commissioners, or
one or more duly authorized Inspectors,

to visit such Institution and hold local investigations; and may associate with such Commissioner or Inspector for the purpose of such investigation one or more persons belonging to the district or locality in which the Institution is situated.

And the Board shall associate such persons for the purpose of any local investigation—

(1) if satisfied that such is the wish of a reasonable number of persons interested, or
(2) if so directed—
(a) by the Civil Court, or
(b) by the Advocate-General, or by such other officer as may be appointed for the purposes of Section 539 of the Code of Civil Procedure and acting under that section.

Power to require Trustee and others to furnish accounts, statements, &c.

51. The Board, or any Commissioner duly authorised by the Board in that behalf, may require written accounts and statements and answers to inquiries relating to any Religious Institution or its management, to be rendered to the Board or such Commissioner by all or any of the following persons; that is to say:—

the Trustees of any Religious Institution, or any servant thereof;
the Agents of such Trustees;
persons in possession of, or having any control over, any property or moneys belonging to any Religious Institution;
persons in the beneficial receipt of any funds thereof or of any income or stipend therefrom;
any ryot, tenant, or lessee of land or other property belonging to any Religious Institution;
Persons having the possession or control of any documents concerning the aforesaid funds or any property thereof.

Power to require Trustees and others to attend and be examined.

52. The Board, or any Commissioner duly authorised, may require any such Trustees, Agents, or persons aforesaid to attend at such times and places as may be appointed in that behalf, for the purpose of being examined in relation to any Religious Institution, and to answer questions relating thereto, and to produce any documents in their custody or power relating to the said Institution, and may examine all such persons and any person voluntarily attending the said Board or Commissioner.

Officers of the Board to have power to search the records of Courts and Public Offices, and take copies.

53. Any Commissioner or Inspector, or other officer of the Board, shall be at liberty, subject to the bye-laws made in that behalf, to examine and search at all reasonable times the registers and records of any Court or Public Registry and Office of Record, and to take copies of, or extracts from, any decree

record, or other document relating to any Religious Institution recorded, registered, or deposited therein, for any of the purposes contemplated by this Act.

Officers having custody of records to furnish copies to Board as required.

And all officers having the custody of any record, or other document aforesaid, shall furnish such copy or extract as shall be required by the said Board, Commissioner, Inspector, or other officer.

Power to require the transmission of document in which any Institution is solely interested.

54. The Board may require any person having the custody or control of any document in which any Religious Institution is solely interested to transmit the same to the office of the Board for examination, and the Board may either retain it or at any time deliver the same to the Trustees of the Religious Institution to which such document relates.

When the Board may detain such document.

Board may summon witnesses.

55. The Board or any Commissioner duly authorized may, for the purpose of any inquiry under this Act, summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses and compel them to give evidence and to produce documents in their custody or control, and if necessary may issue commissions for the examination of witnesses as if such Board or Commissioner were a Civil Court. Provided that it shall not be competent to the Board or Commissioner to attach the property of witnesses.

Court may enforce attendance of witnesses.

56. If a witness summoned by the Board or Commissioner absconds or keeps out of way to avoid the service of the summons, or, having been served with the summons, fails to attend, or refuses to give evidence or produce a document as therein required, or if any Trustee or other person refuses or wilfully neglects to comply with any requisition made by the Board or Commissioner under sections 52, 54, and 55, any Court or officer appointed by the local Government from time to time in that behalf may, on the application of the Board, Commissioner, or any other person authorized by them in that behalf, enforce the attendance of such witness and compel him to comply with the summons or requisition as if the summons or requisition had been issued or made by such Court or officer.

Inspector may examine Trustees and other persons, and require production of documents.

57. Any Inspector may, by notice in writing, require any of the persons specified in section 61—

(1) to attend before him for the purpose of being examined by him in respect of any Religious Institution at any time and place appointed by such notice, and

(2) to produce any document in the custody or under the control of such person, and relating to such institution.

Such Inspector may examine all persons attending in pursuance of such notice and all persons voluntarily attending before him.

Inspector how to enforce attendance of witnesses.

58. Any Inspector authorized to conduct an inquiry may call upon such officer or Court as the local Government from time to time directs in that behalf to issue summonses to any person, whose presence or testimony is necessary, or having in his custody or control any document which he is bound to produce, to appear before such Inspector either in person or by duly authorized agent as in the summons may be required, and at the time and place therein named.

The officer or Court shall upon receipt of the peon's fee payable in such cases issue a summons and cause it to be served upon the person whose appearance is so required.

Examination of persons unable to attend.

59. A person who by reason of bodily infirmity is unable without risk to his health or serious inconvenience to appear before the Inspector conducting the inquiry, a person in jail under civil or criminal process, and a person exempt by law or usage from personal appearance in a Court, shall not be required to appear before such Inspector.

In every such case the Inspector may either himself go to the house of such person, or to the jail in which he is confined, and examine him, or issue a commission for his examination.

Law as to summons, commissions, and witnesses.

60. The law in force for the time being as to summonses, commissions, and compelling the attendance of witnesses, and for their remuneration in suits before Civil Courts, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to any summons or commission issued, and to any person summoned to appear under the provisions of this Act.

Power to administer oath.

61. The Board and every Commissioner or Inspector conducting an inquiry under this Act may at their or his discretion administer an oath to any person examined.

Record of substance of statement.

Such Board, Commissioner, or Inspector may also record a note of the substance of the statement made by each such person, and such statement shall be read over or (if made in a language with which such person is not acquainted) interpreted to him in a language with which he is acquainted, and if he admits the correctness of such a note, it shall be signed by such Board, Commissioner, or Inspector.

Every such note so signed shall be admissible in evidence for the purpose of proving that the statements therein recorded were made by the persons and under the circumstances therein stated.

Report of inquiry to be made.

62. Every Commissioner or Inspector making any inquiry under this Act shall make a full report thereof to the Board, and shall send to the Board all the records and proceedings connected with such inquiry.

Officers appointed under this Act to be deemed public servants.

63. Every officer appointed under this Act shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

All persons required under this Act to give information or produce documents shall be legally bound to do so.

PART B.—*As to Registration.*

Board to keep a register of Religious Institutions.

64. It shall be the duty of the Board to make inquiry and prepare a full and complete register of every Religious Institution.

Such register shall include the following particulars:—

(1).—The name and, so far as can be ascertained, the history of the Institution;

(2).—The names, so far as may be known, of past Trustees and the names of existing Trustees, and the mode of their appointment;

(3).—The nature and objects of the Institution, together with copies of all grants, *sunnuds*, title-deeds, and other documents relating thereto;

(4).—Statement of the nature, extent, and value of the moveable and immoveable property belonging to the Institution, and of the income derived therefrom;

(5).—The existing *dittum* showing the manner in which the income of the Institution is applied or apportioned among the various objects thereof; and

(6).—Such other particulars as the Board may prescribe.

Such register shall be sealed and signed by all the Commissioners.

Copy of register to be furnished to Trustees.

65. It shall be the duty of the Board to furnish to the Trustees of every Religious Institution a duly certified copy of so much of the register as relates to such Religious Institution; and the same shall be deposited in the office of the Trustees or such other place as may be prescribed by the Board.

Register to be open to inspection and copies to be given on payment of fee.

66. Such register and certified copy shall be open to the inspection at all reasonable times of persons interested, who shall be entitled to take or obtain copies thereof on payment of such fee as may be prescribed by the Board.

PART C.—*As to Appointment and Removal of Trustees and Servants.*

Vacancy in the office of Trustee to be reported to Board.

67. Every vacancy occurring in the office of Trustee by death, resignation, or otherwise shall be forthwith reported to the Board by

(1) the surviving Trustee; or by

(2) the chief ministerial servant; or by

(3) any person interested in the Institution concerned; or by

(4) any Inspector or other officer of the Board.

How a Trustee may be appointed.

68. A Trustee may be appointed by

(*a*) succession or election in accordance with Trust Deeds or usage; or by

(*b*) communities, families or co-Trustees or other persons in whom such right is vested; or

(*c*) in accordance with any scheme duly sanctioned under this Act and by which the Institution concerned is regulated; or by

(*d*) an order of a Civil Court; or by

(*e*) the Board.

Appointments made under Clauses (*a*), (*b*), and (*c*) to be forthwith reported.

69. In cases coming under Clauses (*a*), (*b*), and (*c*) of the last preceding section, the appointment made shall be forthwith reported to the Board by the surviving Trustees (if any), or any person succeeding or appointed, or by the chief ministerial servant of the Institution; and it shall be competent to the Board, after due inquiry, and after hearing all objections made, to recognize such appointment in writing under their hand and seal. Until so recognized, every such appointment shall be deemed to be provisional.

Nomination by Board in certain cases.

Where no appointment has been made under Clauses (*a*), (*b*), and (*c*) within thirty days from the date of the occurrence of the vacancy, it shall be lawful for the Board, after due inquiry, to nominate a duly qualified person in conformity with local usage and, so far as may be practicable, with the wishes of the community interested.

Such nomination to be notified in the District Gazette.

70. Such nomination shall be notified in such manner as the Board may deem fit and in the local Gazette of the district in which the Religious Institution concerned is situated; and the Board shall, by a public notice, invite any objections or suggestions with reference to such nomination to be submitted to them within a time to be specified in the notice.

Nomination to be confirmed.

71. On the expiration of the period specified, it shall be lawful for the Board to hear and consider all objections and suggestions made to them, and to confirm the nomination already made, or to make such other appointment as may be deemed just and proper in the interests of such Institution.

Final appointment to be binding.

72. Such appointment shall be notified to the surviving Trustees or to the persons interested, under the hand and seal of the Board, and shall be binding upon all concerned.

Appointments by Courts.

73. All appointments made by a Civil Court shall be notified to the Board by such Court, and the Board shall give immediate effect to such appointments.

Proviso.

Provided that it shall be lawful for the Court to direct the Board to make such inquiry and obtain such information in respect of any such appointment as the Court may see fit to direct before making such appointment.

Provided further, that, when a Civil Court has entertained an application for the appointment of a Trustee, the Court may, if it see fit, direct the Board to stay all proceedings in respect of the appointment.

Effect of appointment of Courts.

74. No appointment made by the Board under this Act or by any Court shall have such retrospective effect as to invalidate any act done in good faith and in the performance of their duty by the Trustees theretofore in charge of the Religious Institution in respect of which such appointment has been made.

Removal of Trustees.

75. Every Trustee shall be liable to be suspended, removed, or dismissed by the Board for—

(1) breach of trust, misappropriation, malversation or other misconduct, of which such Trustee may be guilty in the performance of his duty, or

(2) wilful disobedience of any order or direction issued under the provisions of this Act, or

(3) wilful neglect of duty, or
(4) incapacity or unwillingness to act, or
(5) insolvency, or
(6) by an order of a Civil Court.

Board may hold inquiry into such causes for removal.

76. It shall be competent to the Board to hold or direct to be held by any Commissioner or Inspector an inquiry into any of the matters specified in Section 75 in respect to any Trustee of a Religious Institution, and for that purpose to take and record the necessary evidence. The provisions of Sections 51 to 62, both inclusive, shall apply to any inquiry under this section.

May pass orders or direct prosecution.

77. On such evidence being submitted to the Board, it shall be lawful for the Board to suspend, remove, or dismiss such Trustee or pass such other order they may deem fit, or to take or direct proceedings, civil or criminal, against such Trustee before a Court of competent jurisdiction.

Courts may refer charges for preliminary investigation by the Board.

Provided that where proceedings in respect of breach of trust, misappropriation, malversation, or misconduct are taken in any Civil Court against a Trustee, it shall be competent to such Court to refer the matter to the Board for preliminary investigation and report.

May make provisional arrangement for the management of the Institution.

78. In the case of the suspension, removal, or dismissal of a Trustee by the Board, it shall be competent to the Board to make provisional arrangements for the administration and management of the Religious Institution concerned pending the appointment of a successor.

Power to recover possession of property from a dismissed Trustee.

79. Whenever any Trustee who has been suspended, removed, or dismissed from his office under the provisions of this Act shall hold or occupy, either directly or through any other person on his behalf, any immovable or movable property belonging to a Religious Institution, and shall neglect or refuse to deliver possession of such property to the other Trustees or his successor or any person duly authorized by the Board in that behalf, it shall be competent to such Trustees, successor, or to the Board, or the person duly authorized by them, to apply to the Civil Court for a warrant requiring the said Trustee to deliver possession of the property to such Trustees or to the Board or other person aforesaid.

Court may issue warrant.

And it shall be competent to such Court to issue its warrant to any officer of the Court and give possession accordingly as if it were a warrant issued in execution of its own decree.

Board's application, &c, sufficient authority for the Court to act.

And for this purpose, the application, accompanied by the order of suspension, removal or dismissal, duly certified under the hand and seal of the Board, shall be the *primâ facie* evidence of the facts stated in the said order, and shall be sufficient authority for the Court to act as aforesaid.

Proviso as to seeking relief in due course of law.

Nothing in this section shall preclude the Court from adopting the procedure laid down in Section 48 of this Act in respect to the ejectment of tenants and others, or preclude any party affected from seeking relief or redress in due course of law.

Board may call upon Trustee to state reasons for removal of any servant.

80. It shall be competent to the Board, on appeal or otherwise, to call upon any Trustee to submit to the Board his reasons for suspending, removing, or dismissing any servant attached to a Religious Institution, or any person in receipt of any emolument or perquisite therefrom.

Board may confirm removal, &c.

81. On receipt of such report, it shall be competent to the Board to confirm the suspension, removal or dismissal, or to pass such other order in respect thereof as they may deem fit. The orders passed by the Board under this section shall be final.

Proviso.

Provided that in case the servant suspended, removed, or dismissed claims a hereditary right to the office, it shall be open to him to appeal from the order of the Board, within four months from the date of such order, to the Civil Court.

The Board may hear appeals against any appointment of servants.

82. It shall be competent to the Board to hear and consider any objections and appeals made or preferred to them touching any appointment made by Trustees under Section 44, and to call upon the Trustees for any information in respect thereof. The Trustees shall be bound to obey such requisition within a reasonable time.

The Board may confirm such appointment of servants.

83. On receipt of such information, it shall be lawful for the Board to confirm such appointment, or to pass any other order in relation thereto which the Board may deem fit. Such order of the Board shall be final.

Proviso.

Provided that where the appeal relates to a claim to a hereditary office, it shall be competent to the party aggrieved by any order of the Board to prefer an appeal therefrom within four months from the date of such order to the Civil Court.

Power of the Board to remove any servant.

84. It shall be competent to the Board of their own motion to remove or order to be removed any servant of a Religious Institution for good and sufficient cause, and it shall be the duty of every Trustee to give immediate effect to such order.

Board may abolish obsolete offices.

85. It shall be competent to the Board, from time to time, on the representation of a Trustee, or of a reasonable number of the persons interested, or of their own motion, to direct the removal of any servant of a Religious Institution or other person in receipt of any emolument or perquisite therefrom whose office may from any cause be deemed by the Board to be unnecessary.

And grant gratuity.

The Board may grant a gratuity or compensation, as they deem proper, to any servant or person removed from his employment under this or the preceding section, or to his legal representative.

Board to give effect to any order of Civil Court.

86. The Board shall give effect to any orders passed by the Civil Court, whether on appeal or otherwise, in respect of the appointment or removal or dismissal of any servant of a Religious Institution, or any person in receipt of any emoluments or perquisites therefrom.

PART D.—*As to Control of Trustees and Funds.*

Trustees not to make any sale, mortgage, &c., for more than one year.

87. It shall not be lawful for any Trustee of a Religious Institution to make or grant, otherwise than with the express authority of the Board, any sale or mortgage of any property belonging to such Institution or otherwise encumber the same, or to make any exchange thereof, or to conclude any lease of immoveable property for more than one year from the making thereof.

Board may authorize sale or exchange of lands.

88. If at any time it shall appear to the Board that the sale, mortgage, or exchange of any property belonging to a Religious Institution is expedient in the interests thereof, the Board may, on the application of the Trustees or of their own motion, authorize such sale, mortgage, or exchange, and may give such directions in relation thereto and for the due investment of the money arising from any such sale, mortgage, or exchange, and for the repayment of any loan as they may think fit.

Letting of lands on building, mining, or other leases, cutting of timber or making improvements.

89. If it shall appear to the Board that any lands of a Religious Institution may be beneficially let on building, mining, plantation, or other leases, or for cutting timber, or that it is expedient in the interests of such Institution that any well, tank, or channel and the like should be made or repaired or improved, or that any existing road or street should be repaired, or that any new road or street should be made, or any drains or sewers made, through any part of its lands, or that any new building should be erected, or that any existing building should be repaired, altered, rebuilt, or wholly removed, or that any other improvement or alteration in the state or condition of such lands or buildings should be made, it shall be competent to the Board, upon the application of any Trustee, or of their own motion, to pass such orders in respect of the matters aforesaid as the Board may deem fit.

Board may authorize application of funds.

And the Board may authorize the application of any moneys or funds belonging to such Institution for any of the purposes or acts aforesaid.

The Board may authorize the redemption of rent charge.

90. The Board may, whenever they deem fit, authorize the redemption by the owners, holders, or occupiers of any land belonging to a Religious Institution, of any rent charge, *jodi*, assessment or other periodical payment charged upon the land, or any fees or other contributions payable to such Institution by the payers of such fees or contributions, upon such terms and conditions as the Board may deem beneficial to such Institution, and may give directions for securing the due investment and application of the money arising from such redemption for the benefit of such Institution.

Apportionment of property to Religious Institution.

91. When there is any uncertainty as to the specific part of any property which is applicable to the purposes of any Religious Institution, or whenever it may seem to the Board expedient to do so, it shall be competent to the Board, after due inquiry, to determine and certify under their seal and signature what portion of such property shall thereafter be specially applicable to the purposes of such Institution, to the exoneration of the residue of such property.

Provided that any person interested may appeal against such determination to the Civil Court.

Mode of investing surplus funds.

92. It shall be competent to the Board to direct or authorize the investment of any surplus fund or accumulations belonging to any Religious Institution in the purchase of lands or Government securities or in such other manner as may be most conducive to the interests of the Institution.

Application of surplus funds.

93. It shall be lawful for the Board to apply any surplus funds or accumulations belonging to any Religious Institution to any educational or other purposes approved by the Board, which shall not be inconsistent with the objects of such Institution.

Report of such appropriation to be made and published.

Provided always that a special report shall be made of all such appropriations of surplus funds or accumulations to the Governor in Council for publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and in the Gazettes of the districts concerned.

Board to recover property improperly alienated.

94. Whenever the Board are satisfied that any property belonging to a Religious Institution has been sold, mortgaged, or otherwise alienated to its detriment, contrary to law and to this Act, or the terms of the Trust, it shall be the duty of the Board to take measures to set aside such alienations, and to recover possession of the property improperly alienated.

Provided that, in the absence of collusion, it shall be lawful for the Board to pay the value of any permanent improvements made to or upon the property by the alienee, his heir or representative.

Board may set aside leases.

95. Whenever it may be proved to the satisfaction of the Board that any property of a Religious Institution has been leased by a Trustee—

(*a*) for a longer term of years than is consistent with the proper management of such Institution, or

(*b*) for a term of lives showing an improvident alienation, or

(*c*) for clearly inadequate consideration, or

(*d*) with a stipulation for perpetual renewal or other improper condition, or

(*e*) for the private benefit of the Trustee, or any of his relatives or servants, or

(*f*) with a fraudulent intent, and in a manner prejudicial to the interests of the Institution,

it shall be competent to the Board to take steps in order to set aside such lease, and recover possession of the property improperly leased or alienated.

Compensation for improvement.

Provided that, where there has been no collusion between the Trustees and the lessee in respect of the lease so set aside, it shall be lawful for the Board to grant such compensation as they may deem fit for permanent improvements to the property effected by the lessee during his tenure of the lease.

Leases, sales, &c., authorized by the Board to be valid.

96. All leases, sales, mortgages, exchanges, or other transactions authorized by the Board under this Act shall have the like effect as if they had been authorized or directed by the express terms of the Trust affecting such Institution.

Board to take charge of Escheats.

97. It shall be competent to the Board to take charge of all lands or other Endowments of any Religious Institution which from any cause may have escheated to Government and which may, from time to time, be transferred to the management and control of the Board for the purposes of this Act.

Board may apply funds arising therefrom to purposes of education, &c.

98. It shall be lawful for the Board, subject to the direction of the Governor in Council, to apply the funds arising from such lands or other Endowments to purposes of education or other objects conducive to the public good, health, or convenience.

Board to take charge of Charitable Institutions.

99. It shall be lawful for the Board to take charge of and bring under their management and control any Colleges, Choultries, or other Charitable Institutions and their Endowments which may, from time to time, be transferred to them by the Governor in Council; and the Board shall provide for the due administration of all such Institutions and Endowments.

Board to furnish to Government reports and returns of such Escheats and Institutions.

100. The Board shall furnish to the Governor in Council such periodical reports and returns in respect of all escheated lands or other Endowments and of all Colleges, Choultries, or other Charitable Institutions and their Endowments, which may have been transferred to their management under Sections 97 and 99 as may from time to time be directed by the Governor in Council.

Application of funds when the original object of the founder fails.

101. Whenever any object designated by the founder of a Religious Institution fails or becomes impracticable, or the terms of the deed or writing creating the Trust cannot be carried out, it shall be lawful for the Board—either of its own motion, or upon the application of a Trustee or any other person interested therein—to apply to the Civil Court to devote the funds to purposes of education or other objects conducive to public good, and such Court may make such order as it thinks fit on such application.

Board may sanction annual fee or honorarium to Trustees.

102. It shall be competent to the Board on application of the Trustees to sanction the payment to the Trustees of a fee or *honorarium* at the close of each year after the accounts of the Institution have been audited and reviewed by the Board and after the report prescribed by Section 23 has been duly published.

Such fee or honorarium shall be paid out of the balance, if any, which may be left at the close of the year after defraying all the expenses of the Institution.

PART E.—*As to Accounts.*

Board may call for Accounts.

103. It shall be the duty of the Board at the close of each calendar year to call upon and obtain from the Trustees of every Religious Institution a full and correct statement showing—

(*a*) the balance, if any, brought forward from the previous year;

(*b*) all receipts in cash or in kind during the year on account of such Institution, with the dates of such receipts;

(*c*) all payments made during the same period, with the dates of such payments;

(*d*) the balance at the credit of the Institution at the close of the year;

(*e*) all offerings, contributions and gifts, and other property which shall have been received or acquired for the institution during the year; and

(*f*) all debts due to or by such Institution.

Board may review.

The Board may, whenever they think fit, review the statement and give such orders and directions in respect thereof as to them may seem necessary.

And all such orders and directions shall be binding on and shall be obeyed by the Trustees.

Such review shall be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, and such portions of the statements as relate to the Religious Institutions in each district shall be published in the local Gazette of that district.

Accounts to be open to inspection of Board, &c.

104. All books and accounts of every Religious Institution, with all vouchers connected therewith, shall at all times be open to the inspection of the Board or any Commissioner or Inspector or other person duly authorized in that behalf, and the Board may call for and examine such books, accounts, and vouchers whenever they think fit.

Board to prescribe forms of books and accounts.

105. It shall be competent to the Board, from time to time, to prescribe the forms of books, accounts, and statements to be kept and furnished under this Act, and every Trustee required to keep and furnish such books, accounts, and statements shall be bound to use such forms.

Audit of accounts.

106. The Board shall, as soon as possible after the close of each calendar year, cause the accounts of receipts and expenditure of all Religious Institutions to be audited by an Inspector or other officer appointed by them for the purpose. Such Inspector or other officer shall, on the completion of the audit, submit a report to the Board on the state of the accounts and the result of the audit made by him. Such report may be published in the local Gazette of the district in which the Institution is situated, or in such other manner as to the Board may seem fit.

The Board may, whenever it shall appear to them necessary, appoint a professional Auditor to conduct any such audit, and such Auditor shall receive such remuneration as the Board may determine. Such remuneration may be paid from the funds vested in the Board, or from the funds of the Religious Institution whose accounts have been audited, as the Board may direct.

Board may take stock.

107. It shall be lawful for the Board, from time to time, to examine or cause to be examined the balance of cash remaining at the credit of any Religious Institution, and all other property belonging thereto, and to ascertain whether such

balance and property agree with the entries in the accounts and books of the Institution. The Board may pass such orders in respect of the result of such examination or institute such inquiry or proceeding thereon as may be necessary.

Board may require Trustees to furnish back account.

108. Whenever the Board see reason to believe that a breach of trust has been committed by the Trustees of any Religious Institution, it shall be competent to the Board to call upon the Trustees to furnish accounts of previous years for a period not exceeding twelve years, and it shall be the duty of the Trustees to comply with such requisition.

May move Court to require Trustees to account.

Provided that in all such cases it shall be lawful to the Board to apply to the Civil Court for an order directing an account against the Trustees for such longer period as may seem fit to such Court.

PART F.—*As to giving Opinions and Advice, and Arbitration.*

Board to give opinion and advice.

109. The Board may, upon the application of the Trustees of a Religious Institution, or otherwise, give their opinion, advice, or direction respecting

(1) any matter connected with the administration thereof, or

(2) any question or dispute relating to rites, ceremonial observances, and the like, in such Institutions.

Board may make inquiry, &c.

110. The Board may, before giving any opinion, advice, or direction

(1) cause an inquiry to be made;

(2) cause the report of any previous inquiry to be deposited for local inspection;

(3) give notice of the same being deposited; and

(4) consider any statements or objections which may be made or transmitted to them, and thereupon record such opinion, advice, or direction as to the Board may seem fit.

Opinion or advice to be in writing, certified and sealed.

111. Such opinion, advice, or direction shall be certified in writing and sealed with the seal of the Board.

Indemnity to Trustees.

112. Every Trustee acting upon the opinion, advice, or direction of the Board shall be deemed to have acted in accordance with his Trust; and no order subsequently made by any Court shall have such retrospective effect as to interfere with the indemnity given by this section.

Act not to protect persons guilty of fraud or misrepresentation.

Provided always that nothing herein contained shall extend to indemnify any Trustee for an act done in accordance with the opinion, advice, or direction of the Board if the Trustee has been guilty of fraud or wilful concealment, or misrepresentation of facts in obtaining the opinion, advice, or direction.

Power to arbitrate in matters of ritual and the like.

113. In case any question or dispute respecting rites, ceremonial observances, precedence, and the like in connection with any Religious Institution shall arise, it shall be lawful for the parties to such question or dispute, Trustees, or person interested therein, to submit the same for the decision or arbitration of the Board.

Decision or award binding on Trustees, &c.

It shall be competent to the Board to make the requisite inquiry in respect to the matter submitted to them and give such decision or award as to them may seem fit. The decision or award shall be certified in writing under the seal of the Board and the signatures of not less than two Commissioners, and shall be binding on the Trustees and all persons concerned.

PART G.—*As to Schemes.*

Board may revise existing schemes.

114. It shall be competent to the Board to confirm, revise, modify, or set aside any existing *dittam* or scheme of administration relating to any Religious Institution.

Or propose new schemes.

Where there is no *dittam* or scheme of administration existing, or where an existing scheme has been set aside, it shall be the duty of the Board, upon the application of a Trustee, or any person interested, or of their own motion, to frame a new proposed scheme.

Notice to be published.

Every such proposed scheme shall, in the first instance, be published by notice in the district in which the Institution concerned is situated, in such manner as the Board may deem fit for securing due publicity.

Notice to invite objection.

Every such notice shall require any objection to such proposed scheme, or any suggestions in relation thereto, to be made known or transmitted to the Secretary within three months from the publication of such notice.

Board may modify or affirm scheme.

115. After the expiration of such period, the Board shall consider all objections and suggestions which may have been submitted to them, and may thereupon modify, alter, or approve such proposed scheme; and after all objections and suggestions shall have been disposed of, or if no objections or suggestions shall have been made, the Board may proceed to affirm such scheme, and to certify the same in the manner hereinafter mentioned.

Scheme when settled to be certified and deposited by the Board.

116. Every scheme finally settled by the Board shall be certified by the Board under their seal and the signatures of not less than two Commissioners, and a copy of such scheme shall be deposited with the Trustees, and also in some convenient place within the locality in which the Institution may be wholly or partially situated, and at the office of the Board.

Scheme to be binding.

And such scheme and any subsequent alteration or modification thereof shall be binding on all parties concerned, unless set aside by the Civil Court.

Reference to Court.

117. If, before giving any opinion, advice, or direction, or framing or settling any scheme of administration as provided in Section 115, the Board entertain any doubt on any question of law or usage having the force of law, it shall be competent to them to draw up a statement of the facts of the case, and refer the point on which doubt is entertained, with a statement of their own opinion, for the decision of the Civil Court.

Procedure on reference.

Such Court shall upon hearing all parties interested decide the point so referred, and transmit to the Board a copy of its decision under its seal and signature.

And on the receipt of such decision it shall be the duty of the Board to act in conformity therewith.

PART H.—*As to Suits.*

Suits by Trustees.

118. No Trustee of a Religious Institution shall institute a suit or other legal proceeding in respect of any matter connected with such Institution, or withdraw or compromise the same, without the previous consent, obtained in writing, of the Board.

Suits may be allowed to proceed.

119. If it shall appear to the Board that such suit or other proceeding may be instituted, it shall be competent to the Board to give a certificate under the signature of their Secretary to that effect.

Power of Board to direct legal proceedings.

120. Whenever it shall appear to the Board that the institution of legal proceedings is requisite with respect to any Religious Institution, the Board may direct such proceedings to be taken by any Trustee, or other person to be nominated for the purpose by the Board, in writing, under the hand of their Secretary, and give such other directions in relation thereto, as the Board may deem proper.

Power of Board to certify certain cases to Advocate-General or Government Pleader for legal proceedings.

121. If in any case it shall appear to the Board to be expedient that proceedings should be instituted by the Advocate-General or other officer acting under Section 539 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Board may certify such case, under the hand of their Secretary, to such Advocate-General or other officer, and furnish such statements and particulars as in the opinion of the Board may be requisite for the proper elucidation of the case.

Advocate-General or Government Pleader may proceed thereupon.

The Advocate-General or other Officer aforesaid may thereupon institute such legal proceedings in a Civil Court.

Suits by other persons.

122. No person shall institute any suit or other legal proceeding in respect of any Institution until the expiration of one month next after notice in writing shall have been delivered to the Board or left at their office explicitly stating the cause of action and the name and residence of the intended plaintiff, together with the name of the Institution in respect of which the suit or other proceeding is intended to be instituted.

Not to limit the powers of the Advocate-General.

123. Nothing contained in this Act shall be held to restrain or limit the powers of the Advocate-General or other officer duly authorized in that behalf under Section 539 of the Civil Procedure Code.

Law officers may refer applications to Board for previous investigation and report.

Provided that it shall be competent to the Advocate-General or other officer authorized as aforesaid to refer any application made to him under the said Section 539 of the Code of Civil Procedure for previous investigation and report by the Board, and it shall be the duty of the Board to make such investigation and report with due care and expedition.

Board may give directions.

124. On receiving such notice as is provided in Section 122, it shall be competent for the Board, after making such inquiry as may be necessary, to give such directions in respect thereof to the Trustees of the Institution concerned as to the Board may seem fit.

Board may compromise.

125. If, before or after the institution of any suit or other legal proceeding, it appear to the Board that any claim or demand or cause of action may, with advantage to the Institution concerned, be compromised or adjusted, it shall be competent to the Board to effect or direct such compromise or adjustment.

Such compromise to be a final bar to all actions, &c.

And upon the due performance of the terms and conditions of such compromise or adjustment all further suit or other proceeding shall be barred in respect to the cause of action concerning which such compromise or adjustment has been made.

Costs, &c., of legal proceedings chargeable to the Religious Institution concerned.

126. All costs and expenses incurred in respect of legal proceedings authorized to be taken under Part II of Chapter IV of this Act shall be chargeable, subject to the directions of the Board, to the Religious Institution on whose behalf such legal proceedings may have been instituted or defended.

CHAPTER V.—OF OFFICIAL TRUSTEES OF RELIGIOUS INSTITUTIONS.

Appointment of Official Trustees of Religious Institutions.

127. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in Act XVII of 1864, the Secretary to the Board for the time being, together with such other person as the Governor in Council may appoint, shall be Official Trustees of Religious Institutions, and shall, for the purposes of taking, holding, conveying, and administering property, be a corporation sole, and shall have perpetual succession.

Any Commissioner eligible for the office.

Provided also that any Hindu Commissioner appointed under Section 4 of this Act not being the Chairman shall be eligible for the office of Official Trustee under this section, and shall receive such monthly salary not exceeding Rs. 250 as shall from time to time be determined by the Governor in Council.

Salary of Official Trustee appointed by the Court.

128. The Official Trustee appointed by the Governor in Council other than a Commissioner shall be a person professing the Hindu religion. And he shall receive such monthly salary not exceeding Rs. 350 as shall from time to time be determined by the Governor in Council, and shall not hold any office connected with any Religious Institution.

Qualification.

Secretary may be *ex-officio* Trustee.

The Secretary to the Board may as *ex-officio* Trustee, under Section 127, receive such additional monthly salary not exceeding Rs. 250 as shall from time to time be determined by the Governor in Council.

129. On the occurrence of any vacancy amongst the Official Trustees of Religious Institutions, it shall be the duty of the Board to report the same forthwith to the Governor in Council, and take all necessary steps for the conduct of the business until the vacancy is filled up in due course.

Board to report vacancy and provide for the duty.

130. The Official Trustees may, from time to time, subject to the orders of the Board, and with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council—

Appointment and removal of officers.

appoint such officers, auditors, and servants as may be necessary;

grant salaries, pensions, and other emoluments to such persons; and

suspend or remove any such persons.

131. The Official Trustees shall have the possession, management, and control of all property which may become vested in them under this Act, and shall apply the income thereof to the purposes of the several Trusts committed to them.

Official Trustees to hold and apply all property.

132. In all matters affecting their Trusts the Official Trustees shall act under the immediate direction of the Board, who shall have the same powers of supervision and control over such Official Trustees as such Board have over other Trustees under this Act.

To act under the orders of the Board.

Provided that nothing in this section shall bar the action of any Civil Court having jurisdiction from exercising the same in respect of any Trust or property vested in the Official Trustees. And all orders of such Court shall be binding on the Board and on the Official Trustees.

133. If any person shall be about to grant, assign, or settle any property, moveable or immoveable, upon or subject to any Trust of a religious or charitable nature, it shall be lawful for such person, with the consent of the Board and of the Official Trustees, to appoint such Official Trustees by the deed or writing creating the Trust to be the Trustees of such settlement.

Official Trustees may, with consent, be appointed Trustees of Settlement by grant or, &c.

Upon such appointment the property so granted shall vest in the Official Trustees, and shall be held by them upon the Trust declared and set forth in the said deed or writing.

Vesting of property.

134. Whenever the Trustees of any Religious Institution desire to withdraw from the management thereof, and to vest the property of such Institution in the Official Trustees, or

Board may apply to Court to vest property of Religious Institutions in Official Trustees.

where there are no Trustees existing, or

where it is uncertain in whom the property of any Religious Institution is vested, or

where the persons in whom such property is vested cannot be found, or are under age, or of unsound mind, insolvent, or otherwise incapable of acting, or

where in consequence of differences among the Trustees of any Religious Institution, or by reason of other considerations affecting the beneficial management thereof, it is necessary to withdraw the Institution from the management of the existing Trustees, or

where there may be other good and sufficient cause,

the Board may at their discretion apply to the Civil Court to vest the property of such institution in the Official Trustees.

135. It shall be competent to such Court to make an order vesting the property in the Official Trustees either permanently or for a specified period, or to pass such other orders in respect thereof as may seem fit to the Court.

Court may vest property in Official Trustees upon such application.

Upon such order being made, the property of the institution shall vest in the Official Trustees, and shall be held by them upon the same Trusts on which such property was previously held.

Provided that any Court having jurisdiction may, without any application from the Board, appoint the Official Trustees to be Trustees of any Religious Institution or Trust, and thereupon the property of such Institution or Trust shall vest in the Official Trustees.

Or without application.

136. The Official Trustees may, under the orders of the Board, direct that all or any of the property belonging to a Religious Institution or Trust which may have become vested in such Official Trustees shall be placed under the management of any Trustee appointed to act in the administration of such Religious Institution or Trust, and the Trustee so appointed shall thereupon have the possession and control of such property as if it had vested in such Trustees.

Official Trustees may transfer any property to the actual Trustees of any Religious Institution.

137. All Trustees apppointed under the last preceding section to act in the administration of any Religious Institution shall have the same duties and responsibilities as Trustees under this Act, and shall be subject to the orders of the Board.

Duties and responsibilities of Trustees acting in administration of any Religious Institution.

138. The Official Trustees shall keep and maintain in respect of each Trust—

Official Trustees to keep inventories and accounts.

(1) correct inventories of all property which may from time to time become vested in them;

(2) true and correct accounts of all receipts and disbursements; and

(3) any other books and accounts which the Board may direct.

139. The said inventories, accounts, and books shall be kept in the office of the Official Trustees, and shall be at all reasonable times open for the inspection of the Board, or of any Civil Court, or of any person authorized by the Board or any Court in that behalf, or of any person interested.

Such records to be kept at the office subject to inspection.

140. It shall be the duty of the Official Trustees to close the accounts of each Trust on the last day of December in each year.

To close their accounts each calendar year.

141. The Official Trustees shall, in the month of April in each year, submit to the Board a full report on the several Trusts which may have become vested in them.

Report to be submitted to the Board.

The report shall be accompanied by accounts in such form and detail as may be determined by the Board, showing for each Trust—

(1) the balance, if any, brought forward from the previous year;

(2) all receipts in cash during the year in in respect of such Trust, with the dates of such receipts;

(3) all payments made during the same period, with the dates of such payments;

(4) the balance at the credit of the Trust at the close of the year;

(5) all property other than money which shall have come during the year into the possession of such Official Trustees or into the hands of any person employed by them; and

(6) all debts due to or by every Trust vested in the Official Trustees.

To be accompanied by a Schedule of Trust.

The report shall likewise be accompanied by a schedule of all Trusts and of the property connected therewith of which the Official Trustees shall have ceased to be the Trustees during the same period, specifying the nature and value of such property and the persons to whom it has been transferred.

Board to review and publish.

142. The Board may review such report, and pass such orders thereon as they deem fit.

To be published in the Gazette.

A copy of such report and accounts shall be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, and so much of the accounts as relates to each Trust shall be published in the Gazettes of of the districts in which the principal portion of the property belonging to such Trust is situated.

Account to be furnished to the persons by whom property was vested in Official Trustees.

In every case in which a Trust has become vested in the Official Trustees under Section 133, a copy of so much of the report and accounts aforesaid as relates to such Trust shall, on or before the 1st day of August next ensuing, be furnished, under the seal and signature of the Official Trustees, to the person by whom the Trust was vested in such Official Trustees or to his representatives.

Copies to be furnished to the Court.

In every case in which a Trust has become vested in the Official Trustees by order of any Civil Court, a copy of so much of the report and accounts and of the schedule as relates to such Trust shall, on or before the 1st day of August in every year, or such other date as the Court may direct, be submitted to such Court.

The Court may file and pass orders.

143. The Court shall cause the accounts and schedules submitted to it to be filed as records in the Court, and it shall be competent to the Court to pass such orders thereon as may seem fit. Such orders shall be binding on the Official Trustees and on the Board.

Investment of funds.

144. The Official Trustees shall cause all capital moneys received by them to be invested in Government securities, or as provided by the Trust, or as the Board or a Civil Court may direct.

To realize funds improperly invested.

145. If in any case the Trust funds or any part thereof shall at the time of vesting in the Official Trustees be found to have been invested otherwise than as provided by the last preceding section, it shall be the duty of the Official Trustees, within a reasonable time, to realize the funds so improperly invested, and to invest the same as provided in the last section.

To call for and recover all income due under securities.

146. It shall be competent to the Civil Court or any Court by whose order a Trust has been vested in Official Trustees by an order to authorize the Official Trustees to call upon any persons in whose name they are held for a transfer of, and to transfer, any securities, annuities or stock, to the Official Trustees, and to receive and recover, in trust for the Institution concerned, all dividends, interest, and income and arrears thereof due upon any such securities, annuities or stock.

It shall be the duty of all such persons to comply with the directions contained in such order.

May re-transfer Trust property to actual Trustee.

147. Nothing in Chapter V shall prevent the re-transfer of any Trust property which may have become vested in the Official Trustees to the original or any subsequently appointed Trustee, or to such other person as the Court which originally vested the property shall direct, unless otherwise provided in the deed or writing creating the Trust.

Application to the Court by whom to be made.

148. Any order of Court under Chapter V may be made on the application—

of the Board, or

of the Official Trustees, or

of any person beneficially interested in any Trust property, or

of any Trustee thereof.

Property subject to contribution.

149. The property of every Trust which shall become vested in the Official Trustees under the provisions of Chapter V shall be chargeable annually with a sum not exceeding 2½ per cent. of the gross annual income derived from such property, payable to the Official Trust Fund. The actual percentage to be charged in each year shall be determined by the Board in communication with the Official Trustees.

Provided that it shall be competent to the Board to exempt from the operation of this section Trusts whose gross annual income does not exceed Rs. 50.

Official Trust Fund Account.

150. Such sums shall be placed to an account at the Bank of Madras or such other Bank as may from time to time be determined by the Governor in Council, to be termed "the Religious Institutions' Official Trust Account," and shall be employed in defraying all expenses incident to the carrying out of the provisions relating to Official Trustees.

Cheques how to be drawn.

All cheques for the payment of money held upon such account shall be signed by at least one of the Official Trustees, and shall be a sufficient authority to the Bank to make such payments.

151. No Official Trustee shall be chargeable with, or accountable for, any loss or misapplication of the funds under his control, unless the same shall have been occasioned by his own neglect or default.

Indemnity to Official Trustees.

CHAPTER VI.—OF APPEALS FROM THE ORDERS OF THE BOARD.

152. The Advocate-General or other person empowered by Section 539 of the Code of Civil Procedure, or any Trustee or servant of a Religious Institution, or any reasonable proportion of the persons interested therein, or any persons whose rights are affected by any order of the Board, may appeal to the Civil Court against such order, except where otherwise provided for by this Act, within four calendar months from the passing of such order.

Orders of Board may be appealed against.

Provided that no appeal shall be entertained in respect of rites and ceremonial observances, and the like.

Except in respect of rites and ceremonial observances.

153. No appeal shall be preferred by any person without previous notice thereof having been given to the Board thirty clear days before the presentation of such appeal.

Notice of appeal to the Board.

It shall be lawful to the Board or any Trustee or other person duly authorized in that behalf to appear before the Court in support of the order appealed against.

Board may appear in support.

154. Upon such appeal being preferred, the Court may, at any stage of the proceedings, require from the Board their reasons for making the order appealed against, or may remit the matter for re-consideration or revision by the Board, with or without any declaration of opinion or instructions in relation thereto, or may make such other order in relation to the matter of the appeal as the Court shall think just. And the Court may certify the same to the Board, whose duty it shall be to conform thereto.

Powers of the Courts in respect to appeal.

155. The Court may pass such orders as to the costs incidental to the appeal and as to the security which may be required from any appellant, other than the Advocate-General or other officer aforesaid, as the Court may deem fit.

Costs.

156. It shall be competent to the Board or any of the persons mentioned in section 152 to prefer an appeal to the Court authorized by law to hear appeals from the decisions of any Courts subordinate to it against any decree or order passed under the provisions of this Act.

Board may appeal against decree, &c., of a Civil Court.

Such appeal shall be preferred within four months from the date of the passing of such decree or order.

Time for preferring appeals.

157. All applications and appeals made to any Court under this Act by the Board, or by the Official Trustees, or by any Trustee of a Religious Institution or other person duly authorized by the Board on that behalf, may be made by a petition bearing a stamp of the value prescribed by the law for the time being in force as to petitions to such Courts.

Applications and appeals to be by petition.

CHAPTER VII.—OF BYE-LAWS.

158. The Board may from time to time make, alter, or rescind bye-laws regulating the following matters or any of them :—

Power to make bye-laws.

(*a*) the distribution of business amongst the Commissioners;

(*b*) the delegation of any powers of the Board to Committees consisting of their body or to individual Commissioners;

(*c*) the procedure at the meeting of the Board or of any Committee of the Commissioners;

(*d*) the books and accounts to be kept at the head office of the Board;

(*e*) the preparation and submission to the Board of an annual budget of receipts and expenditure by the Trustees of the Religious Institutions under their control;

(*f*) the preparation of a general annual budget for Religious Institutions by the Board;

(*g*) the remittance to Madras of the annual payments fixed under Sections 5 and 149;

(*h*) the periodical accounts, reports, and statements to be rendered to the Board by the Trustees of Religious Institutions, and by the Inspectors, Auditors, and other officers appointed by the Board;

(*i*) the form and manner of applications to the Board for schemes, opinion, or advice;

(*j*) the mode of conducting local inquiries by Inspectors or joint agencies;

(*k*) the safe custody of the Trust funds and securities which shall come into the possession of Official Trustees; and generally for

(*l*) the due discharge of their duties by the Official Trustees; and the Board may by such bye-laws and rules amongst other things direct where and how the funds and securities and other property belonging to the Trusts of which the Official Trustees are the Trustees shall be kept, invested, or deposited, and how any remittances thereof shall be made; and

(*m*) generally for the conduct of all proceedings and business under this Act.

Bye-laws made under clauses (*k*) and (*l*) shall be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, and shall be binding on the Official Trustees; and the same shall be a full authority and indemnity for all persons acting in pursuance thereof.

Binding on Official Trustees.

Provided that no bye-law or alteration or rescission of any bye-law shall be of any validity except in so far as the same is consistent with the provisions of this Act, and unless it has been previously approved by the Governor in Council.

CHAPTER VIII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

159. It shall be competent to the Governor in Council, from time to time at his discretion, and subject to such directions as he may see fit to give in that behalf, to transfer to the management and control of the Board for the purposes of this Act any lands or other

Governor in Council may transfer escheats to Board.

Endowments of any Religious Institution which from whatever cause may have escheated to Government; and such lands or other Endowments shall thereupon vest in the Board.

Governor in Council may transfer Charitable Institutions.

160. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, from time to time at his discretion, and subject to such directions as he may see fit to give in that behalf, to transfer to th management and control of Board any Colleges Choultries, or other Hindu Charitable Institutions together with the lands or other Endowment belonging thereto, and thereupon such Institution and the lands or other Endowments aforesaid shal vest in the Board—anything in Madras Regula tion VII of 1817 notwithstanding.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. The object of this Bill is to provide for the better administration of Hindu charities in the Presidency of Fort St. George. The existing legislation specially applicable is contained in Act XX of 1863, under which the management of Hindu Temples and similar Institutions is committed to (1) hereditary or independent Trustees of the kind mentioned in section 4 of the Act, and (2) Trustees appointed by Committees of Management created by the Act; and power is given to any person interested to sue the Trustee in the Civil Court for any misfeasance, breach of trust, or neglect of duty committed by such Trustee; but no suit can be brought under the Act without the leave of the Court. It has been found that neither the general law nor the provisions of Act XX of 1863 are sufficient to secure the due administration of Hindu Charitable Trusts in the Presidency of Fort St. George, and there is reason to believe that great abuses prevail in the management of such Trusts, involving considerable breaches of trust and misappropriation of funds by persons having the control of such Institutions.

2. The Bill is divided into eight chapters.

Preliminary.

3. Chapter I states the title, extent, and commencement. It repeals so much of Act XX of 1863 as relates to Hindu Temples and Establishments, except so far as that Act preserves Madras Regulation VII of 1817. The Board of Revenue still superintend the management of Choultries and Chuttrums under Section 2 of the Regulation. So much of Act XX of 1863 as relates to Mosques or other Mahomedan Religious Establishments is untouched by the Bill. Section 3 defines "Board," "Commissioner," "Religious Institution," "Trustee," "Person interested," "Officer," and "Civil Court."

Of the Constitution of the Board and the Transaction of Business.

4. Chapter II provides for the appointment of a Board, upon the model of the Charity Commissioners in England, to be called the Hindu Religious Institutions' Board. The Board is to consist of four Commissioners: three of the Commissioners and the Secretary are to be Hindus, and the fourth Commissioner is to be a European Barrister The Commissioners and Secretary are to be appointed by the Governor in Council, and are to be paid salaries, to be fixed by the Governor in Council, not exceeding the amounts specified in the Bill. They are to have an office in Madras and to have a common seal. Inspectors, not exceeding five in number, as also additional Inspectors when required, are to be appointed by the Governor in Council. The cost of the establishment in Madras is to be paid by an annual contribution by every Religious Institution, to be fixed by the Governor in Council, not exceeding 5 per cent. of the gross annual income of the Institution. Section 9 authorizes the Board, with the sanction of the Governor in Council, to raise loans upon the security of the funds vested in them. Directions are given for regulating the transaction of business at meetings of the Board, and authorizing the Board to appoint and dismiss clerks and servants, and to fix their salaries and pensions. The Board (section 23) are expressly required to make a general report of all the proceedings in the month of April in every year to the Government. The report is to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, and such portions of it as affect the Religious Institutions of any particular district are to be published in the local Gazette of that district.

Of Trustees and their Duties.

5. Chapter III deals with Trustees and sets forth their duties. The Trustees of every Religious Institution are required to furnish to the Board a complete and true account showing the history and objects of the Institution, with copies of all grants and title-deeds, a statement of all the property of the Institution and of its application, and to set forth the existing scheme of administration. If this duty be adequately performed, an authentic record will in time be established which will prove most advantageous in securing the due administration of charitable Trusts. There being no such record at present, the detection of the misuse of charity funds is beset with difficulty. Trustees are further required to apply the funds according to the Trust, or any sanctioned scheme of administration. All servants are to be under the control of Trustees. All property belonging to the Institution shall vest in and be under their control, and they are required to provide for the proper cultivation and leasing of all lands and buildings belonging to the Trust; and minute directions are given for the due performance of their duties. It will be part of their duty to submit proposals to the Board for altering schemes, and to keep the Board informed of all matters affecting the interests of the Institution. Trustees will be bound to obey all lawful orders by the Board, and they are authorized to fill up vacancies in the office of Trustee subject to the orders of the Board. They

may dismiss servants subject to an appeal to the Board. They may apply to the Board for advice or opinion or directions respecting any dispute as to rites, ceremonial observances, or the like. Section 40 declares that when Trustees exercise their discretion in good faith, and in all cases in which they act under the orders of the Board, they shall not incur any personal liability. Power is given to recover possession of property from dismissed servants by summary proceedings before a Magistrate, and from tenants, whose tenancy has expired, by like proceedings in the Civil Court.

OF THE DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE BOARD.

6. Chapter IV prescribes the duties of the Board and gives powers to enable them to perform the prescribed duties. Among the more important duties are the making and maintaining of a register containing all the information relating to Institutions which the Trustees are required to furnish by the preceding chapter, to appoint and remove Trustees and servants, to control the application and investment of funds and audit accounts, to give opinions and advice, and to arbitrate in cases of dispute in respect of rites and ceremonial observances, and to frame schemes of administration. Parts A to H contain provisions enabling the Board to fulfil the duties imposed upon them. Power is given to hold local investigations into the affairs of any Institution, and for this purpose to depute any Commissioner or Inspector. In some cases persons resident in the locality are to be associated with the Commissioner or Inspector holding the inquiry; and the Board, or any Commissioner, or Inspector duly authorized are entitled to require written statements or accounts from Trustees, Agents, and persons in possession of the property of the Trust, to summon witnesses and examine them upon oath and to require the production of documents.

7. Part C treats of the appointment and removal of Trustees. The occurrence of vacancies in the office is to be reported to the Board. The appointment of new Trustees is to be subject to the approval of the Board, except where the appointment is made by a Civil Court, and in certain cases the Board may appoint in the manner provided by Sections 69 to 72 of the Bill. Trustees are liable to dismissal by the Board for breach of trust, neglect of duty, incapacity to act, insolvency, or wilful disobedience of any direction issued under the Act, and the Board may hold inquiries into the conduct of Trustees and direct proceedings of a civil or criminal character to be taken against them. The Civil Court, on the other hand, may remit any case for investigation by the Board whenever a suit is brought against a Trustee for breach of trust or other misconduct. The property of any Institution unlawfully held by any Trustee who has been dismissed or suspended may be recovered by summary application to the Civil Court (section 79). The dismissal or suspension of servants is to be subject to the directions of the Board, and any servant asserting a hereditary right may appeal to the Civil Court from any order of the Board removing him from his office. The Board may remove any servant for good cause when the service is no longer necessary, subject to the right of appeal to the Civil Court in the case of a person holding a hereditary office.

8. Part D relates to the control of Trustees and funds. Trustees are prohibited from making any sale, exchange, or mortgage of Trust property, or from making leases of immoveable property for more than a year, without the express sanction of the Board, but the Board are empowered to make such alienations, or to let the property on building, mining, plantation or other leases, or to make improvements upon it. Where it is uncertain what specific part of any property is applicable to the purposes of any Institution, or whenever they may think fit, the Board may certify what part of the property is so applicable to the exoneration of the residue, but this power is subject to appeal to the Civil Court by any person interested. The Board may authorize the investments of funds in any manner deemed most beneficial, and may apply, subject to the obligation of making a special report to the Government, to be published in the Gazette, the surplus funds of any Religious Institution to any educational or other purpose not inconsistent with the objects of the Institution. Power is given to the Board to take measures to set aside improvident alienation of Trust property, and to make compensation to the alienees in respect of permanent improvements made upon the property. The Board may take charge of all lands or other Endowments of any Religious Institution which have escheated to Government and have been granted to the Board in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Bill upon the Government (section 159); and in such cases the Board may apply the funds to purposes of education or other objects conducive to the public good, health, and convenience. The Board may also take charge of and administer any Colleges, Choultries, and other Charitable Institutions which may be transferred to the Board by the Government under Section 160 of the Bill, notwithstanding anything contained in Madras Regulation VII of 1817. In all cases where the object of any Institution fails or becomes impracticable, or the Trust cannot be carried out, the Board may apply to the Civil Court to direct that the funds of such Institution may be applied to purposes of education or other objects conducive to the public good. The Board is also authorized to sanction the payment of fees to Trustees.

ACCOUNTS.

9. Part E provides for keeping accounts by Trustees. The Board may prescribe the forms of books of account to be kept and furnished by Trustees, direct audits of such accounts and examine the balance of cash and other property in the possession of Trustees.

10. Part F authorizes the Board to give directions, opinions and advice, or to act as arbitrators upon matters connected with the administration of Institutions and upon questions relating to rites, ceremonial observances, and the like. Before acting under this part the Board

may hold inquiries and consider any statements or objections which may be made to the Board. Trustees acting in pursuance of the opinion, direction, or advice of the Board are indemnified, except where there has been fraud or wilful misrepresentation or concealment of facts in obtaining the same. In case of dispute arising with respect to ceremonial observances, precedence, or the like, the parties to the dispute may refer it for the decision of the Board, whose decision shall be binding upon Trustees and all persons concerned.

11. Part G treats of schemes. The Board may alter any existing scheme of administration or frame new schemes. Every proposed new scheme shall be duly published, and objections are to be sent to the Secretary within three months from publication of the notice. Upon the final settlement of the scheme it shall be certified under the seal of the Board: a copy shall be deposited with the Trustee, another copy at the office of the Board, and a third in some convenient place where the Institution is situated. The scheme so settled, as well as any subsequent alteration thereof, is to be binding upon all parties concerned, unless it is set aside by the Civil Court. Section 117 provides that if before giving any opinion, advice or direction, or settling any scheme, the Board entertain any doubt upon any question of law, or usage having the force of law, they may refer such question for the decision of the Civil Court, and the Court shall decide the question so referred upon hearing all parties interested.

12. Part H relates to suits. The Board are empowered to direct the institution, compromise, and withdrawal of legal proceedings in respect of any matter connected with the Religious Institutions under their control, and Trustees are prohibited from instituting legal proceedings or withdrawing or compromising the same without the written consent of the Board. Section 122 provides that no person shall institute any suit or other legal proceedings until after the expiration of one month after notice in writing shall have been given to the Board, stating the cause of action and the name of the plaintiff. But nothing in this part is intended to limit the powers of the Advocate-General or other officer under Section 539 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Of Official Trustees of Religious Institutions.

13. Chapter V provides for the appointment of Official Trustees and defines their duties There are to be two such Trustees—one of whom is to be the Secretary to the Board. Any person who may be about to settle any property upon any Trust of a religious or charitable nature may appoint the Official Trustees to be the Trustees of such settlement, and in the circumstance mentioned in section 134 of the Bill, the Board may apply to the Civil Court to vest the property of any Religious Institution in the Official Trustees. Any Civil Court having jurisdiction may appoint the Official Trustees to be the Trustees of any Religious Institution. The Official Trustees are required to keep accounts and to submit to the Board a report on the several Trusts vested in them. Copies of the accounts and reports shall be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and in the Gazette of the districts to which the Trusts relate. A copy of so much of the reports and accounts as relates to a Trust shall be furnished to the person by whom the Trust was vested in the Official Trustees or to his representatives; and when a Trust has become vested in the Official Trustees by an order of any Civil Court, a copy of the report and accounts relating to such Trust shall be furnished to the Civil Court. The Official Trustees are required to invest all funds in their possession as required by the Board, and they may apply to the Civil Court to require any person in whose name any securities, annuities, or stock is held to transfer the same to the Official Trustees and to enable them to receive and recover all dividends, interest, or income due upon such stock or securities. Whenever property shall become vested in Official Trustees, the same shall be chargeable annually with a sum, to be determined by the Board, not exceeding 2½ per cent. of the gross annual income derived from such property, and the Official Trustees are to receive monthly salaries as provided in Sections 127 and 128.

Of Appeals from the Orders of the Board.

14. Chapter VI gives a right of appeal to the Civil Court against orders made by the Board, except orders relating to rites, ceremonial observances, and the like. Thirty days' notice is required to be given to the Board before the presentation of an appeal. A further appeal is given from the decision of the Civil Courts to the Court authorized by law to hear appeals from the decisions of such Civil Courts. Applications and appeals under the Bill may be made by petition bearing a stamp of the value for petition in such Courts. It is deemed expedient for the present to give a double, or in some instances a treble, appeal in consequence of the novel and extensive powers conferred on the Board and the complicated nature of the questions which may arise. If the Board should succeed in securing the public confidence, as is hoped, many of the checks upon the action of the Board, which are now thought to be necessary, may, it is believed, be removed by future legislation.

Bye-laws.

15. Chapter VII enables the Board, with the sanction of the Governor in Council, to make, alter, or rescind bye-laws for regulating the various matters mentioned in it.

Miscellaneous.

16. Chapter VIII authorizes the Government to transfer to the management of the Board any lands or Endowments of any Religious Institution which may have escheated to the Government, and of any Colleges, Choultries, or other Hindu Charitable Endowments notwithstanding anything contained in Regulation VII of 1817.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 26th October 1878.

	No.	District, and date of	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.				
		Western Districts.		
BURDWAN DIVN.	1	Burdwan. Oct. 26 '78	Nil	The days are hot and the nights cool. The prospects of the *amun* crop are generally good. The high lands have suffered a little for want of rain.
		Cutwa	0·15	
		Bood-Bood	0·21	
	2	Bankoora, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—cold in the night and morning. Midday hot and bright. Rain fell only in Gungajalghati. More rain is wanted everywhere. The crops are suffering, especially on the high lands, for want of rain. Epidemic fever is still raging towards the east.
	3	Beerbhoom. „ 26 „		The crops are everywhere reported to be excellent, and the harvest promises to be a full one, even though the absence of rain is a disappointment.
	4	Midnapore, „ 26 „		Weather—sultry. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
	5	Hooghly, „ 26 „		Weather—clear throughout the week. No rain. Wind from south and north. The *amun* crop promises well. *Kartic sali* is in flower. The cultivation of potatoes is in progress. The prospects of all crops are generally good. Fever is prevailing everywhere.
		Howrah, „ 28 „		Weather—seasonable. Signs of cold weather. The prospects of the crops are good. Another fall of rain would do good. Prices continue high.
		Central Districts.		
PRESIDENCY DIVN.	6	24-Pergunnahs Oct. 25 '78	[illegible]	The days are hot and the nights cool. [illegible] prospects of the crops are satisfactory, but rain is wanted. Ordinary fever is still prevailing in the sub-divisions of Barasat, Busseerhat, Satkhira and Baripore.
		Diamond Harbour (for week ending 24th).	1·42	
		Baripore (for week ending 24th).	1·77	
	7	Nuddea, Oct. 25 '78	Nil	Weather—sunshiny and hot. The prospects of all crops are favourable as yet. A little more rain is required for *amun* and *kalai*, but no harm is done as yet.
	8	Jessore, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—clear and dry, and cooler than last week. The prospects of the *amun* paddy are good. Cultivation for the winter crops is going on.
	9	Moorshedabad „ 27 „	Nil	Weather—fine and bright. The nights begin to be cool. Nothing new to report. Ploughing for winter crops is being vigorously carried on, and the *amun* continues to promise well.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVN.	10	Dinagepore, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—cool and fine. The prospects of the crops are good.
	11	Rajshahye, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—fair and getting cool. The prospects of the standing *amun dhan* are said to be promising. The sowing of *mashkalai* has commenced. The price of common rice has fallen this week from 14 to 15 kutcha seers per rupee.
	12	Rungpore, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—getting cool. The state and prospects of the crops are good. Public health is good.
	13	Bogra, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. A heavy fog on the morning of the 25th. The standing crops, except the *amun* in the east of the district, which was much injured by the inundation, are doing well and promise a good outturn. In some places *amun* is coming into ear. Mustard, sessamum and *mashkalai* are being sown. Rice is getting cheaper. The usual fever is prevalent in the district, especially in the Panchbibi jurisdiction. Five cases of cholera have been reported from Bogra, of which two proved fatal.
	14	Pubna, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—clear, and cool at night. The state and prospects of the crops continue favourable. Prices remain high, and in Seraganje there have been complaints of want. Health is generally good, but with some fever, and a case of small-pox.
	15	Darjeeling, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—alternately bright and cloudy. The prospects of the crops throughout the district are good.
	16	Julpigoree, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—getting cooler, but the sun is still very powerful. Jute has been cut and is yielding a good outturn. *Haimanta dhan* is reported as doing very well. Health of the people is generally good.
		Cooch Behar, „ 24 „	Nil	The mornings are beginning to be foggy. The sun is still powerful. A shower of rain will do much good to the late rice, though it may injure the tobacco seedlings which have not yet been transplanted. The fields are being prepared for the cold weather crops. The price of rice continues high as reported last week. The distress among the poor people in pergunnah Lal Bazar is confined to a few talooks. Rice is, however, procurable everywhere. Public health continues good.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)			
	Eastern Districts.		
DACCA DIVN.			
17	Dacca, Oct. 26 '78	Nil	Weather—cool and dry. The rains are practically over. The state and prospects of the crops are fair.
18	Furreedpore, „ 27 „	Nil	Weather—fine; cold weather setting in. The state and prospects of the crops are excellent. The harvesting has commenced in some places.
19	Backergunge, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—hot throughout the day. There are heavy dews at night and the mornings are cool. The prospects of the rice crop continue favourable. The sugarcane crop is said to be the best for many years. The betel-nut trade is very active at all the leading marts. There has been a slight fall in prices. Health is fair.
20	Mymensingh, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—fine. The rice crop is promising. Cultivation of winter crops is commencing.
21	Tipperah, „ 25 „	0·27	Weather—fair. *Amun dhan* and sugarcane are in excellent condition.
	Brahmunbaria ...	0·45	
	Chandpore ...	0·20	
CHITTAGONG DIVN.			
22	Chittagong, „ 24 „	0·10	Weather—showery in the early part of the week, now fine and cool. The crop are magnificent. The prospects are very good. The prices are 10 to 16 seers per rupee.
23	Noakholly „ 24 „	0·28	The nights and early mornings are cool, but during the day the heat has been oppressive and unusual. The *amun* crop is progressing favourably, but at places insects are said to be doing some injury. Public health is good.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 22 „	3·33	Weather—cloudy and sunny alternately throughout the week with foggy mornings. The gathering of the joom paddy crop is nearly over. The outturn is said to be an average one. The prospects of the plough cultivators' crop are good. Land is being ploughed for mustard.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 23 „	0·83	Weather—still hot in the daytime, but the nights are getting cooler. There was a heavy shower on the 20th. The prospects of the crops continue very good. Public health has improved.
BEHAR			
PATNA DIVN.			
25	Patna, Oct. 26 '78	Nil	Weather—hot and dry. Rain is now much wanted for *rubbee* sowings and for maturing the rice crop on the ground.
26	Gya, „ 26 „	Nil	The sky is clear. Maximum reading in the shade 96°. Rain is wanted almost everywhere in the district, and it is reported from Aurungabad and Imamgunge stations that the crops are drying up for want of it. With the exception of a few cases of fever and small-pox, the public health is generally good. A few cases of cattle disease have been reported from Lakhimpore.
27	Shahabad, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—warm in the day with dry westerly winds; cool in the nights and mornings. No sign of rain. The *aghani* crop is withering, and the sowings of the *rubbee* crops are impeded for want of rain. The outturn of the *aghani* crop will be below the average unless there is immediate rainfall. The tracts irrigated by canal water are faring better. Flights of locusts are reported from the Buxar sub-division. Prices are increasing. Fever is prevalent.
28	Durbhunga, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—cool and clear. The outturn of the *amun* rice crop is estimated at 14 annas, or, if rain should fall, a little more.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 26	Nil	Weather—cool and seasonable. The prospects of the rice crop continue good. The *rubbee* sowings are going on, and in many places the young crops are coming up well.
30	Sarun, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—clear. No signs of rain. The mornings and evenings are cool. West wind is prevailing. Rain is badly wanted both for the rice crop, which on the high lands is fast drying up, and for the *rubbee* sowings. The moisture in the land is being affected by the west winds and prospects are the reverse of favourable. Locusts have been passing over in great numbers for the last three days. Prices of food-grains have greatly risen. Fever is still prevalent.
31	Chumparun, „ 26 „	Nil	Cold nights. No change to report. More rain is required for the dhan in the south and south-east of the district where the rainfall has been much below the average.
BHAGULPORE DIVISION.			
32	Monghyr, „ 26 „	Nil	The rains have apparently ceased, and the cold weather has commenced to set. No apprehension apparently exists for the *rubbee* sowings. Cholera is slightly, and fever much, prevalent.
33	Bhagulpore, ...	.....	Return not received.
34	Purneah, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable and dry. Easterly wind. The prospects of the rice crop are good. The sowing of the *rubbee* is progressing favourably. Fever is bad.
35	Maldah, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—fair. The prospects of the crops are unchanged. Heavy exports keep prices high. Fever is prevalent as before.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 27 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. All reports are cheering. A full crop seems assured now.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
ORISSA.			
ORISSA DIVS. 37	Cuttack, Oct. 26 '78	Nil	Weather—fine and hot. The early *sarad* rice is in ear, and the late crop is in excellent condition. The cold-weather plants are coming on well. Cholera has ceased in the town, but prevails in different parts of the district.
38	Pooree, „ 24 „ Khoorda ...	Nil 0·23	Weather—seasonable. No rain fell at the Sudder station during the week. It is reported from all other parts of the district The *boghoo* crop is being harvested. *Beali* and *mandia* have been harvested. *Sarad* rice is progessing well. The prospects of the miscellaneous crops are fair. Common rice sells at 17 to 26 Calcutta seers for the rupee, but in the salt tracts the price is 11 1/16 seers only. Public health is good.
39	Balasore, „ 25 „	0·01	Weather—seasonable. Early mornings cool and pleasant. The state and prospects of the crops are good; but a little more rain would do much good. Cattle disease and fever prevail.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Oct. 25 '78	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The rains have now entirely ceased and there is every appearance of the weather being settled for some time to come. A little of the rice crop sown on the high lands will probably be lost, but otherwise there will be a full rice crop throughout the district.
41	Lohardugga, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable and sensibly colder since the last three days. No change to report. More rain is much wanted for the higher land rice and for the *rubbee* crops. Without rain the outturn of the rice will not be up to the average and there will be very little *rubbee*, particularly in Palamow.
42	Singbhoom, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—very pleasant and seasonable. Rain has fallen in many parts of the district during the week. The condition of the crops is everywhere very satisfactory. Fever still prevails.
43	Manbhoom, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable on the whole; but rain is still wanted in almost all parts of the district for the higher transplanted lands. Report from thana Echagur states that want of rain is severely felt, and from thanas Simlapal, Supur, Jhurrea and Topechanchee, it has been reported that there has been no rain lately and that the crops will suffer if there be no rain shortly. There had been light rains at intervals in Maubazar and Gournagdee, but more is wanted. At Jhalda there had been a good shower on the 16th instant. The sub-divisional officer at Gobindpore reports—"Owing to there having been no rain, the paddy on the high lands have suffered a good deal; one heavy shower will greatly benefit the paddy on the low lands. The outturn of the high land paddy will probably be 12 annas in the rupee. Sugarcane is promising"

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 6th to 12th Oct. 1878.	Rain from 13th to 19th October 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Burdwan	Burdwan	Burdwan	0·15	1·38	59·45	19th Oct.	
		Cutwa	0·05	1·04	66·01	ditto	
		Culna	Nil	Nil	60·11	ditto	
		Bood-Bood ...	ditto	0·21	53·23	ditto	
		Raneegunge	ditto	0·57	47·86	ditto	
		Jehanabad ..	ditto	0·95	70·36	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	ditto	0·58	52·58	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Soorer	0·20	0·42	61·93	ditto	
		Hetampore	Nil	1·35	71·10	ditto	
		Roypore	0·25	1·71	70·46	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	0·22	0·27	45·63	ditto	
		Tumlook	Nil	1·22	52·58	ditto	
		Ghattal	0·88	0·53	6[illegible]·68	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	1·62	1·69	47·10	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	2·01	Not recd.	46·86	12th Oct.	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	3·07	0·11	87·50	19th „	
		Serampore	1·59	1·14	76·99	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	0·10	0·97	59·19	ditto	
		Maheshtaka ...	0·54	0·87	63·60	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	0·16	4·73	58·47	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ..	0·15	0·[illegible]	55·18	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary .	0·09	0·55	6[illegible]·58	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	0·14	0·47	63·13	ditto	
		Busseerhat	0·78	1·[illegible]8	65·08	ditto	
		Baraset	0·22	1·33	71·83	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ..	0·81	1·54	[illegible]	ditto	
		Barripore	1·80	3·82	65·35	ditto	
		Satkhira ...	1·56	1·51	72·89	ditto	
		Barrackpore	1·[illegible]	0·85	75·75	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	0·20	1·37	66·37	ditto	
		Kishnaghur	1·12	0·85	62·16	ditto	
	Nuddea	Bongong	0·80	1·14	65·81	ditto	
		Meherpore	0·38	0·72	53·72	ditto	
		Chooadanga	1·00	1·11	78·81	ditto	
		Kooshtea	Nil	0·12	71·31	ditto	
		Ranaghat	0·10	0·21	75·[illegible]	ditto	
		Jessore	0·59	0·[illegible]	67·61	ditto	
		Narail ...	0·10	0·66	49·18	ditto	
	Jessore	Khoolna	0·30	1·85	62·67	ditto	
		Jhenidah	1·66	1·92	63·77	ditto	
		Bagurhat	0·3[illegible]	0·6[illegible]	63·81	ditto	
		Magoorah	0·[illegible]0	0·03	68·35	ditto	
		Berhampore	0·58	0·31	65·87	ditto	
		Rampore Haut .. .	0·1[illegible]	1·59	61·95	ditto	
		Lallbagh	0·35	0·17	52·82	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Jungypore	0·[illegible]0	2·5[illegible]	54·69	ditto	
		Azimgunge	2·23	1·72	58·8[illegible]	ditto	
		Lalgolla .. .	1·00	2·[illegible]8	56·[illegible]	ditto	
		Kandee	0·27	0·42	61·25	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore .. .	Nil	0·25	70·73	ditto	
		Raigunge ...	0·27	0·80	70·06	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	0·35	1·02	53·80	ditto	
		Chanchal	1·11	0·75	57·10	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	0·56	1·19	71·29	ditto	
		Nattore	0·50	3·24	80·28	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	0·58	0·10	129·12	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	Nil	0·08	90·78	ditto	
		Kurigram	2·16	Nil	130·55	ditto	
		Bagdogra	0·16	ditto	141·99	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra . .	0·10	1·02	79·20	ditto	
		Sherpur	2·17	0·05	85·85	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	0·64	0·38	68·38	ditto	
		Panchbibi	Nil	2·92	84·76	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	1·26	Not recd.	71·34	12th Oct.	
		Seragunge	Not recd.	ditto	55·58	5th „	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	0·62	Nil	123·81	19th „	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ..	0·85	ditto	116·18	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	0·38	ditto	142·95	ditto	
		Boda	Nil	ditto	119·42	ditto	
		Buxa	1·15	ditto	2[illegible]8·61	ditto	
		Titalya	0·23	ditto	131·95	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	1·16	ditto	191·96	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 6th to 12th Oct. 1878.	Rain from 13th to 19th October 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office...	4·84	Not recd.	62·37	12th Oct.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	1·73	0·67	78·73	19th „	
		Moonsheegunge	5·50	0·80	88·48	ditto	
		Manickgunge	0·27	0·51	63·72	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	1·79	0·95	64·16	ditto	
		Goalundo	0·59	1·44	73·98	ditto	
		Madaripore	3·42	1·14	68·91	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	7·69	0·75	70·87	ditto	
		Perozepore	8·02	0·20	82·46	ditto	
		Patooakhally	4·64	0·97	74·67	ditto	
		Bhola	4·72	0·14	78·19	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	5·16	0·23	101·32	ditto	
		Jamalpore	2·52	0·23	97·8	ditto	
		Atia	0·43	0·51	64·66	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	4·49	1·43	86·04	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	4·41	2·04	104·37	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	4·57	0·35	98·15	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	6·13	0·92	110·80	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	5·25	0·3[illegible]	91·4[illegible]	ditto	Not received, 22nd to 28th September.
		Fenny	8·39	0·38	10[illegible]·33	ditto	Ditto ditto.
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	4·32	1·15	84·88	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	3·47	1·05	71·07	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	2·75	4·60	93·85	ditto	
		Ruma	8·57	4·87	62·97	ditto	From 17th February.
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	3·18	0·30	74·91	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	Nil	Nil	39·85	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	37·98	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	0·[illegible]9	43·[illegible]9	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	Nil	37·08	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	0·22	41·[illegible]2	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	Nil	39·42	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	32·16	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	39·05	ditto	Not received, 29th September to 5th October.
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	ditto	37·46	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	ditto	34·36	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	ditto	24·81	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	ditto	32·05	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	0·92	ditto	35·11	ditto	
		Hajeepore	Nil	ditto	29·83	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	0·93	ditto	44·86	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	0·10	ditto	34·29	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	Not recd.	ditto	42·95	ditto	Not received, 6th to 12th October.
		Tajpore	Nil	ditto	46·61	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	ditto	Not recd.	28·79	12th Oct.	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	32·81	ditto	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	0·29	Nil	40·23	19th Oct.	
		Bettiah	Nil	ditto	35·14	ditto	
		Segowlee	0·28	ditto	44·03	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	1·07	Nil	46·67	ditto	
		Begooserai	0·18	ditto	37·70	ditto	
		Jamooee	Nil	0·99	43·49	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	0·07	Nil	46·04	ditto	
		Soopool	Nil	ditto	54·10	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	0·60	ditto	61·54	ditto	
		Banka	Nil	0·10	6[illegible]·44	ditto	
		Sonbursa	ditto	Nil	56·38	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	ditto	ditto	6[illegible]·48	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	84·60	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	ditto	80·57	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	0·17	1·77	67·66	ditto	
		Rajmehal	0·32	0·53	98·40	ditto	
		Deoghur	Nil	0·56	62·27	ditto	
		Jamtara	Not recd.	0·66	34·70	ditto	From 30th June and not received, 11th to 17th August and 22nd September to 5th October.
		Pakour	ditto	Not recd.	40·58	5th Oct.	From 8th July.
		Godda	Nil	1·72	66·32	19th „	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 6th to 12th Oct. 1878.	Rain from 13th to 19th October 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack Hospital ...	0·69	Not recd.	49·03	12th Oct.	
		Jajpore	Not recorded.		20·90	27th July	Not recorded from 28th July
		Kendraparah	0·60	Not recd.	41·60	12th Oct.	
		Jagatsingpore	Nil	ditto	56·83	ditto	
		False Point	1·01	ditto	40·44	ditto	
	Pooree ...	Pooree	Nil	2·84	40·94	19th Oct.	
		Khurdah	0·02	0·61	41·09	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	0·62	2·40	53·23	ditto	
		Bhadrack	Nil	1·39	57·79	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	2·40	52·51	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	2·09	55·33	ditto	
		Chandbally	1·10	2·92	52·95	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	Nil	Not recd.	40·70	12th Oct.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	ditto	0·86	41·09	19th Oct.	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	ditto	1·98	43·18	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	0·17	22·80	ditto	From 4th August.
		Pachamba	ditto	0·36	51·30	ditto	
		Mowdie Hill	ditto	0·19	3·90	ditto	From 8th August.
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	ditto	Nil	45·73	ditto	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	34·63	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	ditto	0·70	47·96	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	ditto	1·04	59·64	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	0·05	49·54	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	4·23	0·52	158·70	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	1·34	Not recd.	81·85	12th Oct.	
		Golaghat	1·90	ditto	78·85	ditto	
		Jorhat	1·55	ditto	67·77	ditto	
		Akyab	6·31	5·06	119·33	19th Oct.	Not recorded, 16th to 29th June.
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	Nil	Nil.	24·98	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	23·77	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	12·34	ditto	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 26th October 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 20th to 26th October 1878.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Velocity. *	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Oct. 20th	10	29·818	29·839	85·5	80·5	80	S W by W	1·8	...	K, FK	c
		16	29·711	29·732	88·6	77·1	57	S W	5·8	...	K, CS	c
	21st	10	29·811	29·832	87·4	78·5	66	S	3·0	...	C, CS	c
		16	29·709	29·730	88·0	79·8	69	W by S	6·7	...	.....	b
	22nd	10	29·867	29·888	85·8	76·4	63	S W	4·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·779	29·800	87·9	77·4	60	S W	5·3	...	.....	b
	23rd	10	29·891	29·912	86·4	80·5	76	S W by W	5·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·772	29·793	88·8	78·6	63	S W by S	5·8	...	.....	b
	24th	10	29·881	29·902	85·8	78·6	71	W N W	5·8	...	.....	c
		16	29·761	29·782	88·2	72·8	76	N N W	5·7	...	.....	b
	25th	10	29·898	29·920	84·2	71·2	50	E	1·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·783	29·804	87·3	71·9	44	N W by W	4·7	...	.....	b
	26th	10	29·896	29·918	82·9	66·9	40	N W	0·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·777	29·798	85·0	69·0	41	N N W	4·8	...	.....	b
Saugor Island.	Oct. 20th	10	29·832	29·838	88·5	83·0	78	W S W	7·0	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·722	29·728	87·0	81·0	76	S	12·0	..	.....	b, c
	21st	10	29·832	29·838	87·5	78·0	64	W S W	4·0	...	.....	*wind variable.*
		16	29·726	29·732	89·0	76·5	55	W	8·0	...	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	29·874	29·880	88·0	80·5	71	S S W	7·0	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·791	29·797	88·5	80·5	69	S S W	8·0	...	.....	b, c
	23rd	10	29·900	29·906	88·0	81·5	75	S W	11·0	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·787	29·793	88·0	81·0	73	S W	12·0	...	.....	b, c
	24th	10	29·896	29·902	88·5	81·0	71	W	7·0	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·769	29·775	88·0	79·0	66	W S W	8·0	...	.....	b, c
	25th	10	29·918	29·924	86·0	78·0	68	N	3·0	...	.....	b
		16	29·796	29·802	86·5	75·0	57	W N W	4·0	...	.....	b
	26th	10	29·900	29·906	85·0	75·0	61	N	3·0	...	.....	b
		16	29·789	29·795	86·0	75·5	60	W N W	4·0	...	.....	b
Chittagong.	Oct. 20th	10	29·754	29·845	85·5	77·0	66	W	2·0	...	.....	b, c
	21st	10	29·773	29·864	86·0	80·0	76	C	3·0	...	.....	o, *sultry.*
	22nd	10	29·823	29·915	85·0	80·0	79	S E	1·0	...	.....	g, b, c
	23rd	10	29·845	29·937	85·0	78·0	72	C	3·0	...	.....	b, c
	24th	10	29·827	29·919	83·0	79·0	83	C	3·0	...	.....	b
	25th	10	29·831	29·924	82·0	73·0	63	N N E	3·0	...	.....	b, c
	26th	10	29·819	29·912	82·0	74·0	67	N	3·0	...	.....	b
Akyab.	Oct. 20th	10	29·858	29·880	84·0	81·0	87	E	2·0	0·02	.....	b, c
	21st	10	29·866	29·887	88·0	86·0	92	N N E	2·0	...	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	29·888	29·909	85·0	81·0	83	E N E	1·0	0·32	.....	b, c
	23rd	10	29·911	29·933	84·0	80·0	83	.....	1·0	...	.....	b, c
	24th	10	29·852	29·874	84·0	80·0	83	E	3·0	...	.....	b, c
	25th	10	29·874	29·895	85·0	80·0	79	E N E	2·0	0·01	.....	b, c
	26th	10	29·863	29·884	85·0	80·0	79	N N E	1·0	...	.....	b, c
False Point.	Oct. 20th	10	29·842	29·857	88·0	82·0	76	W S W	5·0	...	.....	b, c
	21st	10	29·852	29·867	87·0	78·0	65	W	5·0	...	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	29·882	29·897	89·0	78·0	59	W S W	3·0	..	.....	b
	23rd	10	29·896	29·911	88·5	80·0	68	S W	7·0	...	.....	b
	24th	10	29·880	29·895	88·0	80·0	69	W	4·0	0·17	.....	*threatening weather.*
	25th	10	29·911	29·926	85·0	80·0	79	N W	2·0	...	.....	b
	26th	10	29·914	29·929	85·0	74·0	58	C	3·0	...	.....	b
Vizagapatam.	Oct. 20th	10	29·878	29·909	85·5	80·0	78	N W	1·0	...	.....	b, c
	21st	10	29·858	29·889	85·5	79·5	76	N W	1·0	...	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	29·885	29·916	86·0	78·0	68	N W	1·0	...	.....	b, c
	23rd	10	29·905	29·936	86·5	78·0	67	N W	...	...	.....	b, c
	24th	10	29·877	29·908	87·0	78·5	67	S W	1·0	...	.....	b, c
	25th	10	29·885	29·916	86·0	76·5	63	S E	...	...	.....	b, c
	26th	10	29·893	29·924	85·0	74·0	58	N	1·0	...	.....	b, c
Colombo.	Oct. 20th	10	29·896	29·936	85·0	79·5	78	W	?	0·36	.....	b, c
	21st	10	29·892	29·933	84·0	79·5	81	S W	7·0	0·09	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	29·908	29·949	84·0	79·0	79	S S W	5·0	...	.....	b, c
	23rd	10	29·930	29·971	84·0	79·5	81	S W	10·0	.	.....	b, c
	24th	10	29·892	29·933	84·0	79·5	81	S E	5·0	0·06	.....	b, c
	25th	10	29·866	29·907	80·5	76·5	83	N W	8·0	4·66	.....	o, b, c
	26th	10	29·825	29·866	83·5	78·5	79	N N W	5·0	0·66	.....	*passing showers during day.*

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 26th October 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 20th to 26th October 1878.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah	Temperature				Hygrometry.				Wind		Rain	Weather.
				Mean	Maximum	Range	Minimum	Mean wet bulb	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded.		
1878.		⊖	Inches	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Oct.	20th	153 0	29 765	81 9	89 5	13 1	76 4	78 5	0 920	77 0	85	S W by W	64	Nil	Day chiefly cloudy, night clear, *f* and *w*.
"	21st	149 5	756	81 6	89 7	12 0	77 7	77 9	907	76 3	84	Till 9-30 A M, S W by W, till midnight chiefly W S W.	89		Morning partially cloudy, day and night clear, *f* and *w*
"	22nd	147 7	813	81 0	88 6	13.6	75 0	76 6	856	74·5	81	Till 9 A M W S W, till midnight S W.	95	.	Morning partially cloudy, day and night clear, *w*.
"	23rd	148 2	824	81 6	90 2	14 0	76 2	78 0	913	76 5	85	Till 3 P M chiefly S W, till midnight S W by S	92		Clear, *f* and *w*
"	24th	145 4	818	80 2	88 8	11 8	77 0	74 6	784	71 9	76	Till 7 A M chiefly S S W, till midnight N N W through S W, W and N W.	81	..	Morning partially cloudy, day and night clear, *w*.
"	25th	145 8	841	76 8	87 6	18 5	69 1	69 8	636	65 8	69	Till 8 A M N by E, till 10-15 A M E through N E, till 2 30 P M W S W through S E, S and S W till midnight N W by W through W.	70		Clear, *w*
"	26th	144 4	838	75 4	85 7	17 9	67 8	67 0	584	63 4	66	Till 4 P M chiefly N W, till midnight N N W	40		Clear, *w*.

	Inches
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·808
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	29 863
	⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	79 8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	80 0
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days	22 4
The maximum temperature during the seven days	90 2
	%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	78
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	78
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 20th to 26th October 1878	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office . .	1·62
The total fall from 1st January to 26th October 1878	56·33
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	64·08

The mean pressure, temperature, &c, are deduced from observations made at 6h, 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground

f fog; *w* dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 28th October 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
For Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

Report of Fluctuation of Traffic on the Eastern Bengal Railway for the five weeks ending 28th September 1878.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY COMPANY, TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, SEALDAH TERMINUS.

Report on the Goods Traffic for the five weeks ending 28th September 1878.

No. 6, dated Calcutta, the 16th October 1878.

From—W. INNES, ESQ., Acting Traffic Superintendent,
To—The Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, Sealdah.

THE total weight of goods carried over this railway during the above period was 9,98,591 maunds, which, as compared with the corresponding period of last year, shews a decrease of 4,29,927 maunds. This decrease is mainly in grain, including rice and seeds, jute in drums, foreign railway material; but there was a slight increase in hides, bales, jute, salt, tea, and tobacco.

Decreases.

Grain, including rice and seeds ... ... Mds. 3,86,952

This abnormal decrease is in consequence of the absence of demand for export this year.

Jute, drums of ... ... Mds. 70,785

I attribute this decrease to the fact of shippers having cleared off their old stock, and only the new season's just now coming down, and through a want of life in the market.

Foreign railway material ... ... Mds. 24,833

Last year, at this time, large quantities of material for the construction and maintenance of the Northern Bengal State Railway were being received; the line having been opened since then, this decrease was expected.

Increases.

Hides, bundles of ... ... Mds. 5,906

This increase is owing to an increased demand for Dacca slaughtered.

Jute, bales of ... ... Mds. 6,497

This increase is owing to the extension of work at the presses at steamer station.

Salt ... ... Mds. 22,439

This increase was expected, and is attributable to low rate of freight and facilities offered by this Company to salt merchants.

Tea . ... Mds. 7,195

This increase is satisfactory, and is accounted for by the opening of the Northern Bengal State Railway.

Tobacco ... ... Mds 10,465

This produce still continues to increase consequent on the growing demand for the country weed.

I attach the usual statement of increases and decreases.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Statement showing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line for the five weeks ending the 28th September 1878, as compared with the corresponding period of 1877.

STAPLES.	1877.		1878.		1877.	1878.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	Total.	Total.		
Ale, beer, wine, &c.	863	3	1,431	.. ...	866	1,431	565	....
Cotton, bundles of	.....	1,004	12	1,060	1,004	1,072	68	.....
Do., bales of	193	... ..	80	2,210	193	2,290	2,097	
Grain, including rice	10,575	3,90,212	2,185	26,704	4,00,787	28,889	.....	3,71,898
Gunny, bundles of	4,163	152	619	140	4,315	759	.....	3,556
Do., bales of	1,115	10,130	48	9,078	11,275	9,126	... ..	2,149
Hides, bundles of	43	5,793	12	11,720	5,836	11,712	5,906	.....
Do., bales of	... ..	.....	.. ...	682	.....	682	682	.....
Jute, drums of	6,937	6,60,794	8,667	5,88,879	6,67,731	5,97,546	.. ..	70,785
Do., bales of	759	91,128	1,211	97,173	91,887	98,384	6,497	.....
Piece-goods	33,798	34	35,720	334	33,832	36,054	1,822	.....
Railway materials, foreign ...	41,991	... .	17,158	.....	41,991	17,158	.....	24,833
Salt	25,315	... .	47,754	.....	25,315	47,754	22,439	... ..
Seeds	953	31,569	5,740	11,728	32,522	17,468	.....	15,054
Sugar	562	577	308	679	1,139	987	.....	152
Tea	.....	1,070	1	8,264	1,070	8,265	7,195	.. ..
Tobacco, bundles of	452	21,004	79	31,842	21,456	31,921	10,465	.....
Do., bales of	....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..	..	..	.....
Turmeric	.....	1,581	.....	6,565	1,581	6,565	4,984	.....
Twist	4,708	1,567	5,361	126	6,275	5,487	.....	788
Miscellaneous	60,076	19,367	65,316	10,695	79,443	76,011	.....	3,432
Total ...	1,92,538	12,35,985	1,90,702	8,07,889	14,28,518	9,98,591	62,720	4,92,647
					9,98,591	.....	.....	62,720
Decrease ...					4,29,927	.....	.....	4,29,927

Report of Fluctuation of Traffic on the Tirhoot State Railway for the month of September 1878.

Increases.

Coal ... ... Mds. 7,137

This coal is being worked up for brick-making at Mozufferpore and Durbhunga, principally for the new civil station there.

Food-grains	Mds.	13,310
Hides	"	734
Iron	"	1,054
Piece-goods		8,167
Saltpetre		8,924
Sugar		2,097
Tobacco		2,359

Taking into consideration the season of the year, the rains, and the approaching Doorga Poojah holidays, the business done in these staples of traffic may be taken as satisfactory.

Miscellaneous goods ... ... Mds. 11,002

This is very satisfactory and shews a healthy impetus to trade.

Decreases.

Railway material ... ... Mds. 6,267

Exceptional traffic depending upon railway works under construction.

Oil-seeds ... ... Mds. 15,538

Last year's prices for this staple were much higher, and the demand in the Calcutta and other markets much greater than this year.

Salt ... ... Mds. 1,459

This is import traffic, and at this season of the year it falls off.

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT.

Statement showing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line during the month of September 1878.

STAPLES.	1877.		1878.		1877.	1878.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	Total.	Total.		
Coal	.....	1,690	8,825	.....	1,690	8,827	7,137	.....
Food-grain	2,084	12,239	6,858	20,725	14,273	27,583	13,310	.....
Hides and horns	973	1,747	.....	3,454	2,720	3,454	734	.....
Indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Iron	163	357	1,542	32	520	1,574	1,054	.....
Piece-goods	622	21	8,778	32	643	8,810	8,167	.....
Railway material	4,694	2,479	606	300	7,173	906	.....	6,267
Seeds, indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Seeds, oil	.....	25,485	129	9,818	25,485	9,947	.....	15,538
Salt	280	8,023	6,045	799	8,303	6,844	.....	1,459
Saltpetre	74	8,539	.....	17,537	8,613	17,537	8,924	.....
Sugar	152	196	81	2,364	348	2,445	2,097	.....
Tobacco	119	733	64	3,147	852	3,211	2,359	.....
Miscellaneous goods	1,837	4,807	8,186	9,460	6,644	17,646	11,002	.....
	10,948	66,316	41,116	67,668	77,264	1,08,784	54,784	23,264
						77,264	23,264	
Increase.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,520	31,520	

SOMASTIPORE, *the* 17*th October* 1878. W. M. JOHNSTON, *Assistant Traffic Supdt.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 19th October 1878 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Tot
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	135,305	2,59,825 1 0	23,817 5 11	1,153,430 30	4,59,530 7 6	42,105 5 10	7,19,175 8 6	56,843¾	81,666¾	132,
Or per mile of railway	.....	203 0 5	18 12 3	... ..	358 14 9	32 18 0	561 15 2		... ..	....
For previous 15 weeks of half-year	1,911,291	23,17,129 2 9	212,403 10 2	1,32,27,476 0	52,06,629 9 0	482,774 7 6	75,83,758 11 9	692,801	1,023,077	1,715,
Total for 16 weeks ...	2,046,596	25,76,954 3 9	236,220 16 1	1,43,80,906 30	57,25,960 0 6	524,879 13 4	83,02,934 4 3	749,644¾	1,104,743¾	1,848,
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	121,983¾	1,68,051 2 9	15,404 13 10	13,46,691 0	5,07,311 7 3	46,503 11 0	6,75,362 10 0	42,453	104,421	146
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	131 5 1	12 0 9	... ..	396 6 7	36 6 9	527 11 8	..	... .	....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,048,968	25,13,210 7 5	230,377 12 6	2,06,91,024 10	79,51,854 1 11	728,919 19 2	1,04,65,064 9 4	710,183	1,634,949	2,345

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 19th October 1878 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,765	16,410 0 0	1,505 1 6	1,44,115 0	38,692 10 0	3,538 11 6	55,021 10 0	5,142	11,155¾	16,
Or per mile of railway	.....	73 6 1	6 14 6	.....	172 8 5	15 16 4	245 14 6	...	.....	....
For previous 15 weeks of half-year	72,569	1,96,086 15 9	17,974 12 10	11,85,748 20	3,46,697 14 9	31,772 7 10	5,42,694 14 6	66,225	87,221¾	153
Total for 16 weeks ...	78,334	2,12,505 15 9	19,479 14 4	13,29,863 20	3,85,210 8 9	35,311 19 4	5,97,716 8 6	71,367	98,376¾	169
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,501¾	17,052 12 6	1,563 3 5	2,47,043 30	63,120 12 9	5,786 1 6	80,173 9 3	4,689	13,049	17,
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	76 3 5	6 19 9	.....	282 1 8	25 17 2	358 5 1	.. ..	. ..	....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	93,336¾	2,30,674 7 10	21,145 3 2	37,03,673 10	9,10,041 14 6	83,420 10 2	11,40,716 6 4	73,489	237,797	311,

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 12th October 1878 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipt
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s.
Total traffic for the week	37,922	24,650 12 6	2,259 13 1	1,53,023 33	58,443 11 0	5,357 6 9	7,616 19
Or per mile of railway	239	155 4 6	14 4 8	967 28	368 2 5	33 14 11	47 19
For previous 14 weeks of half-year	5,35,870	3,56,858 11 3	32,712 1 0	29,46,893 3	9,59,674 2 1	87,970 2 6	1,20,682 3
Total for 15 weeks ...	5,73,792	3,81,509 7 9	34,971 14 1	31,00,516 36	10,18,117 13 1	93,327 9 3	1,28,299 3
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	42,675	35,404 12 5	3,245 8 9	3,58,014 25	1,14,823 0 5	10,525 8 10	13,770 17
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	269	223 0 4	20 8 11	2,255 8	723 4 9	66 6 0	86 14
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	5,38,161¾	3,45,770 12 4	31,695 15 0	48,98,453 12	12,67,615 13 5	1,16,198 2 3	1,47,893 17

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 36.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	To decre in 1
			8th September 1877.	7th September 1878.	To 8th September 1877.	To 7th September 1878.		
1878.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14th September ...	Northern Bengal ...	219	397 0 0	13,021 0 0	687 0 0	6,70,907 0 0	6,70,220 0 0	...
7th " ...	Tirhoot	78	5,036 0 0	5,245 0 0	1,87,558 0 0	2,94,458 0 0	1,06,900 0 0	....
28th " ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	1,797 0 0	2,418 0 0	75,101 0 0	92,388 0 0	17,287 0 0	....
7th " ...	Nalhati	27¾	1,429 0 0	1,342 0 0	60,691 0 0	63,222 0 0	2,531 0 0	...
	Total ...	352¾	8,659 0 0	22,026 0 0	3,24,037 0 0	11,20,975 0 0	7,96,938 0 0	....

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